Appraisement of Estate of John Martin Dec'd

Pursuant to an Order of the Montgomery County Court we the undersigned met on the premises of the late John Martin Deceased this 12th day of December 1820 proceeded to value the Real and Personal Estate of said John Martin Deceased (viz)

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One Negro Woman called Hannah & Fanny & age & value at		500	00
One Sorrel Mare value at		35	00
One Bay Mare	do	30	00
Nine Sheep	do	13	50
One Sow	do	1	00
One Sow & five Pigs	do	6	00
One Red and White Cow	do	11	00
One Clock and furniture	do	24	00
One do and furniture	do	18	00
Three Bedsteads & Cords	do	1	25
One Chest	do	3	00
One Water Stand	do	1	50
One Table	do	2	00
Six Chairs	do	3	00
One Wheel & Axe	do	1	50
two Little Wheels	do	2	00
one Big Wheel	do	2	00
One Working Staff	do	1	00
One pewter Dish & one Jar & Water do		2	00
One parcel of earthen Ware & two Bottles		2	00
One Clothes Brush	do	0	50
Four Knives & forks	do	1	50
One Decanter	do	0	37½
One Iron & Hook	do	2	00
One Iron the vise	do	0	75
One Smoothing Iron	do	0	25
One pair Tobacco Kettle & value	do	2	00
One pair Tobacco Rot do	do	1	00
two Pair Old Hooks	do	0	75
two Axes	do	2	00
One Shovel & Tongs	do	1	75
two Weeding hoes	do	0	87½
One Bedsteads Water Pail	do	0	50
One Berry Bowls	do	0	25
	John Barron	£ 683	25
	John Ranny		
	Benjamin Davis		

Personally appeared before me Alexander Williamson for Montgomery County and was qualified as to Law directs that they will faithfully perform the duty as Commissioners in the With Report this 12th March 1821

Alex Williamson JP

At a Court held for Montgomery the 7th June 1819

The Inventory and Appraisement of the estate of John Martin Deceased Was this day returned into Court Examined and Ordered to be Recorded Viz

Ab Harrison Clk

Charges &c

In the name of the Lord Amen. Since he Order 111 17.

I David Barron, of the County of Montgomery and State of Kentucky, being in common Health of Body and in the Enjoyment of my Reasonable Faculties, through divine goodness, do make, ordain and declare this making to contain (such respects my mortality perfecting) my last Will and Testament, Item. After paying my Just Debts and rendering to my Wife one third part of the plantation whereon I live, together with one third part of my personalty property during her natural life upon the Express Bargain complying with the condition of a bond she gave me, bearing date the 26th of June 1798 relative to the Dower whereon I live, once upon the condition that my Son David Gillium Barron will engage to pay four hundred Dollars (without interest) one hundred annually, to him after demanded, my Will and Desire is, and I do, on the above conditions, give and bequeath the Same Plantation whereon I live to my Son David G. Barron, to him and his Heirs forever, Item on the condition that my Sons Abraham, William, Matthew Gillium and David Gillium Barron, will pay two Hundred and fifty dollars to go towards paying my Son Nathan Barron, Second part, in Building the Saw Mill and cost of the Dam and other expences in partnership with me in building Saw Saw Mill, and the acceptance of two hundred fifty five Dollars (if any) I pay unto the administrator according to an act of the general assembly of Kentucky in this case made and provided. I give and bequeath unto my Sons above named Sons, each, an equal part of the Saw Mill, dam and all the appurtenances in any Wise thereunto Belonging, to them and their heirs forever. Item I give and bequeath to my three Sons, Abraham, William and David G. Barron to each one the Feather Beds & furniture. Item I hereby direct, that my Wife Libbie's library excluding

and Pamphlets of all kinds. to buy my four sons. Abraham. William
Hinchea & and Darius G Barron. have off. into four as equal parts as they
can. keeping first and second volumes together. and then they are
to draw lots for choice. this understood that my wife. have the
free use of my large bible and such other books as she may choose —
to peruse during her natural life. Item upon the fifth Purpose complying
with the condition of the before mentioned Bond (by of making a deed of
the same to Benson Stive to my heirs. and my son Darius G Barron —
accepting the gift upon the condition mentioned in the first item —
I give and bequeath. and direct that he pay to my Daughter Elizabeth
Brodwater. within twelve months after getting into the possession of the land
and Plantation One hundred Dollars. And twelve months thereafter I give
and bequeath and direct that he pay to my Daughter Sarah Ruth. one
hundred Dollars. and twelve months thereafter. I give and bequeath and
direct that he pay to my son Hinchea G Barron One hundred Dollars. and
twelve months thereafter. I give and bequeath and direct that he pay
to my Daughter Anne Eliz McClellan One hundred Dollars. without
Interest. and my desire is. that he pay these several legacies sooner
if he can with convenience — Item I give and bequeath. to the children
of my son Matthew Barron Decd. Ten Dollars. to be equally divided among
them. having at his letting out in the lot. given him. as much extra
make him equal with the rest of my children. Item as to my stock
of all kinds. Household and Kitchen Utensils. and other things not
herein disposed of. after selling them things. and that part as can be
best spared in the management of my Executor to pay my just debts. I give
and bequeath to my son Darius G Barron Item I leave my Dear and
Respected Friend. Henry Dannels. to manage the Production and sale of
Tobacco & pay on the Tenery and commerce of the Mercantile Species and
I hope that others of my Dear Friends may assist in the matter. so that my heirs
may not suffer. from my having the Books found and Rented —
and if any profits should arise ultimately from the sale of the Books
Friends to the Rest in the hands of my above named Friend. and those
agents. who may assist him in the work of eliminating the Books
and making collections Item I wish my Executor. to pay particular
attention. to Papers & letters. and many that are not filed. copies of letters
that I have kept on various subjects. Manuscripts. and papers enquired
[illegible] be found in my Drawer. and in Files and Pockets that

not only may be amusing but useful to some Minds. or understanding
for time to come. Therefore I wish them to be taken Care of them. and be
accessible to those who might improve by or upon them Item I constitute
appoint and ordain my Four sons Abraham. William. Hinchea
Gilliam and Darius Gilliam Barron the whole and sole Executors of this
my last Will and Testament. revoking and disclaiming every other and
all Testament, heretofore made by me. and do establish publish and declare
this writing to contain my last Will and Testament, In witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and fixed my seal this first day of
August in the year of our Lord Christ 1817. Darius Barron (Seal)

A writing purporting to be a Will. At a Court held for Montgomery County
on the third day of January 1820 A writing purporting to be the last
Will and Testament of Darius Barron Deceased was presented to the Court,
and satisfactory proof being made of the Execution of said Will
the same is ordered to be Recorded Test

M Harrison (CR)

Negroes

Memorandum of the Sale of the estate of Sife Negroes Deceased January
1st 1820 (Comt) One Negro man named Barney for 138.50 Sold
on a credit of 12 Months Thomas Mebane admr of the estate of said
Negroes At a Court held for Montgomery County the third
day of January 1820
The Sale Bill of the estate of Sife Negroes Deceased was
returned by Thomas Mebane the admr and on Motion the same
being examined by the Court is Ordered to be Recorded
Test

M Harrison clk