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and retained the use of my lands, with
all the appurtenances therof, during her
life, and at her death I will to her Youngest
son Samuel Abel to be his right, and
property forever, upon his paying her son
Isaacus Abel, twenty pounds in property
part of his inheritance and appoint my
loving wife Lucy Polke Samuel Abel
my executors of this my last Will and
Testament. In witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my
15th day of Sep^r 1804

Signed, Sealed Thos^r Polke
Published and
Delivered in the presence of
Jos^e
Ezraond Abel
Mathias Neel
William Ruth
Godlove Lamp

At a County Court held for Union County
on Monday the 9th day of Nov^r 1807.
The said Will and Testament of Thomas
Polke deceased was proved by the Oath of
Mathias Neel and William Ruth, sub-
scribing witnesses thereto, and sworn to by
Sam^t Abel one of the executors thereto
named and ordered to be recorded.

Seal Ben Grayson 66

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I do declare to and swear of the County
Court of Union aforesaid that the undersigned
do examine this and certify the accounts of
Michael Bentch administrator of
Timothy Richardson deceased.

The Administrator
To the amount of £⁰ of accidents £⁰ cens
" estate £⁰ 3¹/₂
To amount back recd of George Mathews £⁰ 00
£⁰ 158 3¹/₂
£⁰ 24 68
£⁰ 133 1¹/₂

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No 1st By back £⁰ 0 Grayson Blots £⁰ 1¹/₂
2. By Dr. Dr. Joseph Rand 1 00
3. By as as Sheriff " 18
4. By as as Poor Officer payment 1 00
5. By as as Rob^t Mathew recd 2 00
6. By allowance made Mr. Bentch
" for his Services 6 12¹/₂
7. By back paid Richard Head Mols £⁰ 2¹/₂
8. By Dr. Dr. 5 00
£⁰ 24 68

Union County Oct^r 1st 1808
The undersigned
being appointed by the County Court
of the said County to examine this and
certify the accounts of Michael Bentch
admin^r Timothy Richardson deceased
made the following statement and

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above settlement and said the aforesaid stand
settled in the sum of One Hundred and
Thirty Three Dollars. Sixty Three Cents
and half - given under our hands this
9th Nov^r 1807 -

Robert Allen

Lewis Brown

At a County Court held for Nelson County
on Monday the 9th day of Nov^r 1807 -

This settlement of account with the
wth master of Timothy Beckersom aforesaid
was returned to Court to record -

Jesus Beulahayson

In the name of God amen. I William Cleaver
of Nelson County and State of Kentucky being
of sound mind and disposing memory and of
weighing only the uncertainty of life, continuing
in a frail body, have thought best to make
make and ordain this instrument of writing a
will under my hand and seal my last will and
testament in manner and form following
to its impress. It is my will and desire
that my body be buried in a Christian like
accord manner at the discretion of my executors
hereafter named in part and buried before
a sleep resurrection and the full enjoyment
of the peace, happiness and tranquillity of
the life to come - and as to the worldly goods
I have pleased an alived breather to bequeath

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and settle the prouerage of acquiring during
Desire should be disposed of as herein desired
and bequeathed. Item I give and bequeath to
my loving wife Hannah Cleaver the said
Ward part of all my personal estate, without
Discrimination together with any grain and
meat &c that may be on hand at my death
for family consumption forsooth and further
during my life, that my wife shall have
free and peaceable possession of the one
third of my plantation, wherein I now live
to include my house &c during her natural
life, and at her death it is my will and
Desire that my executors shall sell my
plantation to the best advantage the said
either by Public or Private sale as to
them shall seem most advantageous for
my heirs - and it is my will and desire further
that all my just debts be paid, next
that it is my will and desire that John
Kenton receive his only payment from my
executors at the time the sale the said
plantation and settle off with the rest of
my heirs - and it is my will and desire
that the remainder of my estate that is
not therefore bequeathed, shall be equally
divided amongst my bloodred (sons)

Bangs Town April 26 1805 --

We Sam'l Morton, John Waller, Anthony Sanders
being just duly sworn which will show on the
back of the order of the Court to appraise the Estate of
Timothy Richeson deceased as follows

	£	¶	£	¶
1 Desk and Book Case	1	16	0	
1 Rolling top oval Table 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 square Table 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	3	0	0	
1 Cradle w th g th Cham. w th 1/2 ft for Cham.	1	11	6	
1 bed 1 sled bed and furniture. Lg th 6' one double £6.15 0 0				
1 Bed Sled bed and furniture £4 5 th one small 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft			6	0
1 Trunk and bed spread 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft one spinning wheel 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 2 6				
10 saddle tools £4 10 th one plastering trowel 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 4 13 0				
1 Cham 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft one large potl and oven 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 2 6				
1 Frying pan 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 duck oven w th two small potly 1 5 6				
1 Old Tin kettle 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft one ax w th sweding iron 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 9 9				
1 Pair of Skyscissors 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 3 Flat iron 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 4 "				
1 Coffee mill 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 hair rister 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 3 pair combs 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 18 6				
Pot rack 3 hooks 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 pair Dog iron 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 5 6				
1 Pair hand bellows 3 flesh fish 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 large billy 18 0				
1 large Bottle 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 5 Bottles 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 glass mug and Goblet. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 19 6				
1 Delft Pitcher 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 large hole 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	"	9	0	
4 Canisters 2 tumblers 3 cream jug and tea c			3	0
spoons 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft				
2 Brass candle Stick 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 4 pretty fans 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 11 18 0				
3 Tack cups 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 5 Japan Savers 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	"	18	0	

	£	¶	£	¶
Old set of knives and forks 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 pair candle snuffers 11	8	3		
Surge Staffs 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 Shaver 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 tankard 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	"	8	9	
2 Cedar pales 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 3 large Basons 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	1	12	0	
4 Small Basons 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 4 Pewter Dishes 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	1	16	0	
2 Pewter plates 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 Delft dish 2 plates 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 2 6				
12 Delft plates of Sundry old tin ware 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	"	11	6	
1 Large looking Glass 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 small auto 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	"	13	6	
1 Small bell 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 halft 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 12 Shucks flour 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	"	8	0	
1 Tin kettle 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 table cloth 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	"	11	3	
1 Loom all the implements belonging thereto 5 1 0				
1 Cudde 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 spinning wheel 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 tree 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 8 6				
3 Barrels 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 2 fathoms of 1 sack 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft	"	8	0	
3 Cotton 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 big wheel 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 small ca 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 1 3 3				
1 Large kettle 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft 2 cows at \$7 each	4	10	0	

Wmth Bentek Adam } John Waller

Sam'l Morton
Anthony Sanders

April 26th 1805. This day came Sam'l Morton
John Waller Anthony Sanders before me and made
oath to swear the Estate of Timothy Richeson
Deceased according to the best of their knowledge

Joseph Bain S.P.N.C

A County Court held for Nelson County on Monday July 8th
1805 c

This inventory and appraisement of the estate of Timo-
thy Richeson deceased was returned and ordered to be sealed
Teste Bentekayou C.H.B.

1 list of the sales of the estate of Timothy Pickenson died
 Red Cow & Bell - Mary Pickenson 3-0-0

1 Large Basin same 1-54

1 ditto same 1-3

1 ditto same 1-24

2 Small Basins Wm. Cousins 0 50

1 Large Dish Mary Pickenson 1-18

1 small Basin same 1-2

2 small dishes same 0-78

8 plates same 1-51

1 tankard M. Rentch 1-53

1 Sapege Stuffer Caty Wilkins 1-18

1 Strainer M. Pickenson 1-17

1 Set candle molds C. Wilkins 0-37-4

5 Jack Tins Wm. Cousins 0-125

1 Hand Bellows J. Lewis 1-50

1 Bowl M. Pickenson 1-63-2

1 Large Dish J. Lewis 1-67

1 Large Pitcher Caty Pickenson 1-35

1 Large Bottles M. Pickenson 1-26-2

Knives, forks & bread Bapts. M. Pickenson 0-94

p. Canolle Sticks same 1-1-51

Snuffers same 10 13-4

Coffe Mill C. Wilkins 0-1-26-2

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 3 Canisters and four Pattapans - same 0-3-0
 1 Canister M. Pickenson 1-1-1

1 Sad Iron same 1-1-6

pr Sad Irons Caty Pickenson 1-1-1

2 Pails M. Pickenson 1-50

1 Churn J. Lewis 1-50

1 Large Bible James McCown 2-50-0

1 small looking Caty Pickenson 1-4

1 Large ditto M. Pickenson 1-8

2 Waiters or servers Caty Pickenson 1-13-2

1 Waiter same 1-63

1 Bed Settles & furniture Mary Pickenson 20-1

1 Ditto do same 14-1

1 Ditto Caty Pickenson 1-17

1 ditto M. Pickenson 5-1-6

9 Chairs J. Lewis 3-1-50

1 Large Table James McCown 6-66-2

1 Bottle M. Pickenson 0-1-50

1 small do same 0-1-25

1 Glass can Caty Wilkins 0-1-26-2

1 Bottle & Goblet M. Pickenson 1-5-1

6 Blue edge plates same 1-51

6 ditto same 1-52-2

		\$	4
Old Teaware	Baty Rickenson	18	
Desk & Book Case	M. Rentsch	74 75	
1/2 Dog Irons	J. McCown	20	
Pot Rack	William Cousens	81	
3 Links	M. Rickenson	1	
Trunk and small bed quilt		100 1	
1 Large Kettle	Sam Morton	111 75	
1 pot and lid	M. Rickenson	10 76	
1 Dillo	same	111 1	
1 Dillo	same	111 67	
Old Tea Kettle	I. Coleman	100 117	
Frying pan	M. Rickenson	10 51	
Dutch Oven	same	10 51	
1 Cradle	I. Lewis	10 50	
1 Table	M. Rickenson	77 1/2	
1 Trowel	M. Rentsch	10 13 1/2	
4 1/2 Cards	M. Rickenson	11 1	
1 1/2 Steelyards	M. Rickenson	111 58	
1 Ax	M. Rickenson	10 26	
1 Hoe	same	10 26	
1 Flesh fork	same	1	
1 Set Saddler's Tools	I. Lewis	15 11 1/2	
1 Small Bell	I. Coleman	5 50	

		\$	870
Flax	M. Rickenson	100 35	
1 Hatch	same	11 1	
1 Tin Kettle	same	11 7	
1 Table cloth	same	100 18	
1 Sickle	J. McCown	11 17	
1 Sifter	M. Rickenson	100 37 1/2	
loom, Warping Bars and Reth. I. Lewis		60 25	
1 Reed and gear	same	100 63 1/2	
1 Reed	same	100 29 1/2	
20 Spools	M. Rentsch	10 42	
1 Reed	I. Lewis	10 5 1/2	
3 Shuttles and Temples	same	10 5	
1 Giddel	M. Rentsch	12 1/2	
1 quill Wheel	I. Lewis	10 69 1/2	
1 Little Wheel	I. Morton	211 50	
1 do. do	Baty Rickenson	10 51	
1 Reed	M. Rickenson	10 51	
1 large Wheel	same	100 29	
3 " Cotton	M. Rickenson	100 38 1/2	
1 Small Ax	George Nash	10 25	
3 Barrels	M. Rickenson	1	
2 Tertkins	same	13	
This is the amt of the estate of Tim 4.		100 94 1/2	
Rickenson D ^r M. Rentsch admt		100 38 1/2	
		100 8 1/2	
		100 153 31 1/2	

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At a County Court held for Nelson County
on Monday July 8th 1805

This list of the sales of the estate of John
Ripley deceased was returned and ordered to record
Teste

Ben Grayson Esq. 6. 1. 22

Aquable to an order of the most helpful County
Court of Nelson County to us directed to appraise the
Estate of John Ripley Decd. We being first Sworn
Before William Kendall Esq. one of the Justices
for said County, Do proceed to Value the following
Property (To Wit) —

	£	s.	d.
One old Blank			
Looking Glass and Picture Book	0	18	0
Small Box, 4 Cap. Books &c	0	6	0
Coat West Coals & pair. breeches, shirt	0	6	9
Stockings 60c	4	16	0
One Hair Bed and Pillar			
Buckell and leather apron	0	9	0
2 half gallon Jugs	0	1	0
one old Dutch oven	0	2	0
one wood Bench, planks, auger, saws, &c	0	6	0
6 bushells Hammars, and sundry other use Tools	25	0	0
Quantity of Cherry Blank			
Two Barrels	1	4	0
	0	2	0

Our sum under our hands as appraisers to the
said Estate this 6th day of April 1805 —

Ben Grayson
William Cutchin
Jonathan Harned

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William Cutchin, Ben Grayson Jonathan Harned
claim the attorney as appraisers — — — — —
Nelson County Supt. O.S. to certify that I qualifyd
Ben Grayson, William Cutchin and Jonathan Harned
to appraise the Estate of John Ripley Decd. given
under my hand — — — — — William Kendall

At a County Court held for Nelson County on Monday
the 8th day of July 1805 — —

This Inventory and appraisement of the estate of John
Ripley deceased, was returned and ordered to be recorded — —

Teste Ben Grayson — — — — —

1796 Henry Orthis Administrator of Nicholas Selsch. Dr	
To aumt of appraisement of decdents estate	£ 46-12-2
Ex Payment of property purchased by the decdents widow	13-17-1
By Cash for the Clerk of Nelson for tax on administiring	6-0
By Cash for the Clerk of Nelson for fees for administration & recording inventory	11-3
By Cash for Mich. Myers	7-0
By Dr. for Paul Steel	0-12-2
By Dr. for Dr. Drury for tax on two units	6-0
	15-19-6
	29-12-6

Henry Orthis Administrator of the Estate of Nicholas
Selsch account hath Cash in hand £ 46-13-0 — — — — —
And the days of his service tending the Court and and the
various and collecting of the money twenty
days at a dollar per day. — — — — — 3d 6. 00
balance due the estate £ 10-11-0 of giving out of