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Corbey Ager
Inventory

An Inventory of the Estate of Corbey Ager Deceased
To one Horn L¹².0. To wearing Cloaths L¹⁰ 10. 11. To one Bull 9/6 L¹³. 17. 10.

In obedience to an order of Amherst Court, We the appraisors being
First Sworn to appraise the Estate of Corbey Ager Deceased have
appraised the whole of the said Estate to us Delivered by the admini-
strator to the sum of Thirteen pounds Seventeen Shillings and Ten
pence witness our hands

James Turner

John Gannon

William Harris

A Court held for Amherst County the second day of October 1771
This Inventory & appraisement of the Estate of Corbey Ager Deceased
Exam. was presented in Court, and ordered to be Recorded
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Cam^l W^l Cox Clk

Thomas
Will

In the name of God Amen. I Cornelius Thomas of the County
of Amherst, being in my perfect sense & memory do make and ordain
this to be my Last will and Testament in manner & form as
follows. Item. I lend to my Loving wife during her Natural life
the use of that part my dwelling house being on the west side of
the porch as divides my two Rooms with part of my Kitchen
Darry & smock house Room with my Children & as much Land
as she can work the meadows on as I entered into a Renture
Contract for with her which Land is to be in my Rockfish
Tract also lend her two Beds & Furniture four cows & calves
three Sows and pigs and the use of about five pounds worth
of Household furniture in such things as may best suit

for house keeping the not particular mentioned and at
 her death to go as hereafter mentioned. Then I give to my son
 John Thomas all my Land above pedlar River in Amherst County
 Which I desire he may have when he attains to the age of
 Twenty one years, to him and his heirs forever, Then I give
 to my sons Norborn Thomas & Cornelius Thomas all my Land not
 before yet given also all my Buildings Except so much as
 I have lent for my Loving wife in house and Land which my
 Children Norborn & Cornelius is to have at her death with
 me other Land joining the same to them and their heirs forever.
 Then if my wife should die leaving Issue by me in such case
 all I have above lent her Except the part given to go to such
 Child or Children as she may have by me & in Case of default
 to my Children as may be then Living, Then I give unto my
 three Daughters the sum of one hundred pounds current money
 at the day of their marriage, that is I mean to Each of
 them the sum of one hundred pounds I give to my two sons
 Norborn & Cornelius Thomas all the Remaining part of house
 hold furniture & working tools as may be on my dwelling
 plantation at my death Except so much as before is Excepted
 I give to my son John Thomas all my tools and household furniture
 as may be on my plantation above pedlar at my death &
 working tools Then all the Rest and residue of my Estate now
 in my possession or hereafter coming particularly the Negroes
 Coming to my Estate at my Mothers death be Equally divided
 to my Children as well as those now born & those hereafter
 to be born share and share alike to them and their heirs forever
 I constitute and appoint my well beloved friends James Hewit
 John Henderson Esq. Joseph Cabell & David Crawford Esq. to
 this my last will & Testament to which I have fixed my hand &
 Seal this first Day of June 1776
 Then the four Negroes made over to my wife in Case she should
 die not leaving Issue by me that then & in that Case

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the negroes to go to my Children I now have share and share
a like if either of sons should die before the time of receiving
their different proportions not leaving true to go to the survivors
also in the like care to my Daughters

Signed Seals and Delivered
In presence of

Samuel Jordan Cabell
Thomas Marten Junr
Benjamin Jordan
Lucy Childers
Jesse Allen
Nicholas Cabell

Cornelius Thomas ¹⁷⁷⁸ ~~1779~~

At a Court held for Amherst County the Second day of October 1778
This last will & Testament of Cornelius Thomas (deceased with the
Interiminations) was presented in Court by the Executors therein
named and proved by the Oaths of Lucy Childers, Jesse Allen &
Nicholas Cabell the subscribing witnesses and ordered to be Recorded
and on the motion of the said Executors who made Oath accord-
ing to Law Certificate is granted them for obtaining Probate
thereof in due form giving Security where upon the said Executors
with Nicholas Cabell, Thomas Spling, Hugh Rose, Jacob Smith &
John Dawson, their Securities entered into & acknowledge Bond in
the penalty of five thousand pounds & money with the condition
Examined Required Law.

Test.

Edmond Willcox Clerk

Thomas Exrs Know all men by these presents that we James Nivie, John
Bond, Henderson Junr, Joseph Cabell, David Crawford, Nicholas Cabell
Thomas Spling, Hugh Rose, John Dawson, & Jacob Smith are
joint and firmly bound to James Willard, Daniel Gaines
Andrew Tucker, Yellicumson Reid Junr. Gentlemen, Justices of
the Court of Amherst County now sitting in the sum of

Pursuant to an order of the worshipping Court of Amherst
we the Subscribers being first duly sworn before David Crawford
Jent. have appraised the current money the Slaves and
personal Estate of Cornelius Thomas Deceased and annexed
the Value to the different Articles

Sean anegro wench appraised to	110	---
Dick anegro boy appraised to	50	---
Breechey anegro fellow appraised to	60	---
Solomon anegro fellow appraised to	55	---
Samson an old fellow appraised to	20	---
Cyrus a young fellow appraised to	30	---
Will. anegro fellow appraised to	55	---
Antony anegro fellow appraised to	85	---
Luce and her Child Ned appraised to	90	---
Charles anegro boy appraised to	30	---
Charles anegro boy appraised to	25	---
Celex anegro boy appraised to	20	---
Biddy and her Child Lee appraised to	85	---
Great Judith and her Child Cle appraised to	90	---
Silva anegro Girl appraised to	30	---
Samu anegro boy appraised to	55	---
Phibe anegro Girl appraised to	55	---
Annethey anegro Girl appraised to	45	---
Jacob anegro boy appraised to	30	---
Lise anegro Wench appraised to	50	---
Nan anegro Girl appraised to	70	---
Lise anegro Girl appraised to	60	---
Rachel and her Child Will appraised to	90	---
Cate anegro Girl appraised to	70	---
Ben anegro boy appraised to	50	---

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1 Bristle 2 shill. 2 Axes 1 shilling Each	15 -
1 old crop cut Saw 4 pils 1/9 1 old hand saw appraised to 2/6	2 3
1 Auger 2 Chisels, a gouge 1/2 pils 1/2 2 Gimblets	3 9
1 old Ad 2/6 2 Iron 3/6	6 -
a Couple of weages 1/1 2 old grubbing hoes 1/6 each	7 -
5 Milling Hoes 1/6 6 old hoes 4/1 old hoe blade 8/	1 11 -
1 Auger 9 pence 1 old Sike 2/6	3 3
1 Grindstone 2/6 1 Aug 2 shill	4 6
3 Harrow Hoes 5 shill. 1 old Sinter 1/6	6 6
1 Cyder Kegs head 5 Shil. 2 Cyder Casks 5 Shills	10 -
A parcel of unpicked Cotton 5/	5 -
A desk and a book Case appraised to	8 -
A Square Table with Leaves 4/5 an Oval Table 3/5	3 15 -
A small Oval Table 2/5 a small Square walnut Table 10/	1 15 -
1 Candle Stand 2/6 1 Small Oval Table 1/6	15 -
1 old Broken Table 2/6 13 Leather Chairs at 1/4 pils each	9 4 6
2 Walnut Chairs at 1/4 pils each 5 flag bottomed Chairs at 2/6	1 5 -
1 Walnut Chair 4/1 1 broken 2/6 1 old Chair 1/	5 9
2 Feather Beds & Furniture £40 Each	20 -
1 Small bed & Furniture 5/ - 1 Bed and Furniture £5/	12 -
15 Beds & Furniture at £12 10 each 2 bags with feathers 10 pils	55 -
1 Large Looking glass 3/5 1 Looking glass 2/5	2 15 -
1 Rifle gun with Butts & molds & swivel	3 10 -
1 Rifle appraised to 50/ 13 Stone plates at 5 each	2 15 5
1 Large Stone Dish 2 Shill. 2 Small do 10 Each	3 8
1 China Bowl 7/6 one Small do 5/	12 6
9 blue and white China Cups & Saucers 10 pils each	10 -
A half dozen Silver Tea Spoons	1 10 -
1 Glass Salver 7/6 A set of waiters 10/	17 6
7 Queens China Cups 2 each 1 do 1/	1 3
2 Queens China Tea potts 1/6 Each	3 -

6 Blue & white delph plates 5 ^o each	26
9 Small Queens China plates 4 each	36
1 China milk pot 1/3 2 Queens China musters pots 6	19
2 Tumblers 2/6 a drinking glass 9	3
1 Queens China Sugar dish 8 1 dividing powder spoon	16
10 Small do 2 each 2 salt cellars 9 each 2 do 3 each	46
1 Queens China mug 10 1 do 6 1 do 1 1 do 3	11
1 Sauce Boat 10 a broken Sauce boat 8 mustard pot 1/2	12
1 brown Stone pitcher 2/6 1 Small Butter pot 9	33
10 Case bottles 2 of which are Cracked	14
10 Pottle bottles 1/2 each 35 Quart Bottles 1 ^o each	518
2 Small bottles 2 3/4 each 3 Small do 10 ^o two Vials 1	19 1/2
1 Silver watch 27 1/2 1 brush 1/3 one dog frame	72
1 Small looking glass 8/1 bread Toaster 1/3	93
1 Queens China Dish 1/3 3 brass Candlesticks 6 each	193
1 do 4 shil 1 do 3 shil 1 do 2/6	96
1 Tin Candle Stick 2 2 Candle Snuffers 1 shil 2	22
1 Coffee pot 6/1 1 Tin pan 1/3 two old Cannisters 1	77
An old pair of large Scissors 9 2 Tin pans 2 each	49
1 pair of hand Irons 10/1 1/2 old Tong 2/6	126
1 Trivul C. a broken Shovel 1/2 1/2 flat Iron 1/2	410
1 Large Hair Trunk 15/1 1 old red leather Trunk 2/6	17
1 Linnen wheel 14/1 1 Linnen do 19/1 1 Cotton wheel 8/1	15
1 Bed and furniture 20 1 old shed 2/6 one head 5/1	876
2 deep Dishes 2 shil each 7 Pewter plates 3 shil	14
5 Spoons 3 each 1 large old basin 2/6 1 old Dish 1/6	49
1 Small Matted Basin 6 1 old Large Dish 2/6	3
3 Old boxes 1 shil each 1 old Churn & Barrel 1/2	4
1 old Chesk 8/1 1 butter pot 9 1 Chamber pot 1/2 one bag 2/6	97
1 Port manteau 15/1 1 pair of Cotton bands 2/6	176
12 Volumes of Smollett's History of England	8

Conquest of Mexico in 2 Volumes of Clarke's Edition of	14
A Latin Dictionary 10/ an English Dictionary 10/	17-6
Secondary old Latin books 15/ a pair of money Scales 4/	19
a fine Fiddle and Case 4/ 1 man's Saddle 3/	5 15
9 Sides of Leather and 2 pieces	3 16 6
2 Small pieces of Red & Blue horse with ablere face 10	10 9
An old bay Mare 1/ of Black horse 10. Grey Mare 12	24
An old Faint Mare with ablere face 3. a young bay mare 5	18
Bay Mare with ablere face 5. A spoke of oxen 10	36
1 Brindle bull 25/ 1 do 20/ 12 cows at 50/ each	37 5
3 Steers at 40/ each 1 cow at 40/	8 0
14 cattle at 20 shil each 7 Calves at 6 shil each	16 2
13 fat Shoats at 4 shillings each	2 12
25 Hogs at 10 shillings each	11 10
31 Piggs at 2 shillings each	3 2
4 fat Hogs at 13.4 each	2 13 4
5 fat Hogs at 1.6.8 each	6 13 4
3 fat Hogs at 18.4 each	2 15 0
20 Sheep at 9 shillings each	9 0 0
1 Dutch plow 6/ 1 Ditto 2/	8
2 pr. iron Traces 12/6 each	1 5
1 pr. iron Traces	10
1 bell 8/ 1 old narrow ax 3/	11
Whipsaw 25/ 1 do 25/	3
1 X Cut Saw 25/ 1 hand ditto 4/	1 9 0
Swinglo Trees & Irons	7 6
6 grubbing Hoes 2/6 each	15
15 old Flitting Hoes 4/6 each	1 2 6
15 old Winding D. 1/6 each	15
10 narrow axes	1 16

2 New brush bins	1.6
1 old sugar box	1.3
41 Large Queens China Plates 6 each	1.0 6
6 small ditto 4 each	2.00
8 large Stone Plates 6 each	4.00
4 Queens China deep Dishes	3.3
1 large Tureen or Stone soup pot	3.00
1 broken queens china bowl	4
1 Queens china mug 8. 1 ^{large} Stone Jug 2/6	3. 2
2 Conisters 10. 2 a large 10/ a broken Table 2/6	13. 4
1 Cyder Stb 5/ pouring Tub & mial d 12/6	17. 6
19 Geese 2 shell Hen 38/ ^{large} 2/6	2.00 6
a Quantity of mixed Paint	5. —
a p. & Hans Irons 20/ 1 Sack bag 2/6	1. 2 6

James Megginbotham

Rodrick McCulloch

Jacob Smith

Exam'd,
At a Court held for Amherst County the 5th day
of February 1746 This Inventory & appraisements
of the Estate of Cornelius Thomas Deceased was this
day returned, and order'd to be recorded.

Test
Richard Wilkin Clerk