

In the name of God Amen

Thomas

Mitchell

Will.

I Thomas Mitchell of Amherst County being sick & weak but of sound disposing mind & memory do make this my Last Will & Testament in manner & form following First I revoke all former Wills by me made & pronounce this to be my last will & Testament.

Imprimis, I give to my Daughters Elizabeth Mitchell & Nancy Mitchell three Negroes (viz) Violet, Will & Julia to be Equally divided between them, together with their Increase, when my Daughter Elizabeth shall arrive at the age of Eighteen Years or marry & in case either of them should die before the Devision aforesaid my Will is that the Survivor shall have the whole above mentioned

Item my Will is that my horse & all my household furniture be sold as soon as may be after my decease & that my Negro fellow Jack be hired out till my son Charles Mitchell comes of Age & then sold & that all the Money I have now by me & what is due to me, when collected, & the Money arising from the Sale aforesaid be let out to Interest on good Security till my son Charles Mitchell arrive at the Age of Twentyone Years & then the whole to be Equally divided between my sons Charles Mitchell & Jacob Mitchell & in case of either of them should die before the Devision my Will is that the Survivor should have the whole. My Will is that my Children, above mentioned, be Educated suitable to their fortunes, which I leave to the discretion of my Executors hereafter mentioned, & that such a part of the Hire of the Slaves & Interest of the Money, shall be found necessary to be applied for that

purpose

Purpose as also for their Maintenance & I do hereby
 constitute & appoint my Friends John Strange of
 Albemarle County & Harden Perkins of Buckingham
 County to be Executors of this my Last Will & Testament
 to see the same duly executed & do by these presents
 declare this to be my Last Will & Testament to
 Signed Sealed Published & declared
 to be his last Will & Testament
 In presence of us —

W. Cabell jun^r

Thos. Mitchell

Edward Tilman

William Trice

At a Court held for Amherst County at the Court house
 the Fifth day of October 1767.

The Last Will and Testament of Thomas Mitchell
 Dec^d was presented in Court by John Strange & Harden
 Perkins the Executors therein named & proved by
 the Oaths of William Cabell jun^r & Edward Tilman two of the
 Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be recorded. Whereupon
 the Executors took the Oaths according to Law & gave
 Bond in the Penalty of one Thousand pounds for the
 due execution of the said Will & on their Motion probate
 is granted them which is ordered to be recorded.

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Teste Conrad Wilson

Sealed and Dated this Second Day of May in the Year
 of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred & Sixty Nine -
 and in the Ninth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord
 George the Third. The Condition of the above
 Obligation is such that if the above bound Larkin Gatewood
 his heirs Executors & Administrators shall well &
 truly pay and Deliver, or Cause to be paid & delivered
 unto Mary Penn Orphan of Joseph Penn Dec. all such
 Estate or Estates as now is or are or hereafter shall
 to be due to the said Orphan and as soon as she shall
 attain to lawful age or when thereto Required by the
 Justices of the said County Court. as also keep harmless
 the above named Justices their Jerey of their
 Executors & Administrators from all Trouble & Damages
 that shall or may arise about the said Estate. Then
 the above Obligation to be Void and of none Effect.
 otherwise to remain in full force.

Sealed & Delivered in Presence of
 Amherst County Court the
 Second day of May 1769

Larkin Gatewood
 Gabl Penn

At a Court held for Amherst County at the Court house
 the first day of May 1769. This Bond was Acknowledged
 by Larkin Gatewood & Gabl Penn & Ordered to be

Ex. Recorded -

Teste Edmnd Wilson Clerk

PURSUANT to an Order of Amherst Court we the
 Subscribers being first Sworn to Appraise the Slave's
 personal Estate of Thomas Mitchell Dec. do appraise
 the same Current Money as the Follows Vizt.

One Bed of furniture	£7..0..0
One D. & D.	4..0..0
One D. & D.	3..10..0
One pair leather Breeches 25/ one Manns Hat 20/	2..5..0
One Manns Coat 40/ one pair Sagotha Breeches 25/	2..17..6
One pair B. Cloth 50/	

One Man's great coat 2/5 Two Small S^d 10/ one
 pair of men's Stockings 4/ Two Neck bands 1/10 } £2..7..10²
 One Man's Jacket 4/ one pair Shoes 3/ - - -
 One Gun 30/ One Man's Saddle 37/6 One Woman's S^d 6/ 6..7..6
 Two Meat Sifters 1/6 Two Water Piggins 2/6 Two
 Water Pails 2/6 one Small Barrell 6/ two butter } 0..13..0
 Pots 4/ one Stone Jug 2/ - - - - -
 6 Stone Plates 3/ Parcel Earthen Ware 2/6, 13 Pewter...
 Plates 16/ 4 pewter Dishes 15/ 3 pewter Basins 7/6 } 2..7..0
 9 pewter Spoons 3/ - - - - -
 a parcel of old pewter 2/6 one Box Iron V^d 4/ a parcel
 Knives 4/6 one Bell 3/ one Razor. Bone & Strop 3/ } 0..18..6
 Two Small Bottles. a parcel of Spice. a bannister Stone
 pair Scissors 3/6 one Spice Mortar 8/ 5 Quarts Bottle } 0..13..3
 2/6 one pair Cotton Cards 1/3 - - - - -
 a parcel of earthen & Glaze Ware 1/6 one cooking Glaze
 1/6 one Candle St^d 1/ one small hat Basket 4/ one } 0..19..6
 Walnut Chest 12/6 one Old S^d 2/6 - - - - -
 6 Chair frames 6/6 Two Iron Pots 1/6 one Tying
 Pan 7/6 one Spinning Wheel 3/ a parcel of Cotton 20/ } 2..4..6
 a parcel of Flax 7/6 - - - - -
 Two Wooden Vessels 1/3 one Horse L^d 7/ - - - - - 7..1..3
 one Side of Sole leather 6/ - - - - - 0..6..0
 One Negro. Jack - - - - - 45..0..0
 One Negro. Vile - - - - - 45..0..0
 One Negro. Boy (Will) - - - - - 15..0..0
 £ 149..12..8

W. Harbrough
 William Walton
 William Trice

At a Court held for Amherst County at the Courthouse
 the fifth day of June 8/69 -

Inventory &
 This Appraisement of the Estate of Thomas Mitchell

Ex. Dec^y was this day returned. and Ordered to be Recorded
 Teste Edmund White Clk

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