

Three Butcher's Scales of Attains of a Quantity of } £ 9 10 0
 Walnut Plank £2. 10.
 a Pair of Money Scales and Weights 15 lbs old Guns £1. 10 2 5 0

Agreeable to an Order of Amherst Court we the Subscribers do
 Certify that the within is a true Account of the Estate of Mr John
 Montgomery Deceased Appraised by us: Mm Harris Junr

James Woods

Lee Harris

Josiah Gopling

At a Court held for Amherst County the sixth Day of December 1704

This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of ^{John} Montgomery
 Deceased was this Day Returned & Ordered to be Recorded

Test. Edmd. Wilcox 6th

Agreeable to an order of the Worshipfull Court of Amherst we
 the Subscribers being first sworn proceeded to Appraise the Estate
 of Benjamin Fortain Deceased ^{John} as January 1705

A few Carpenters Tools for Plantation use	£	12	6
1 pair of flat Irons	"	4	6
1 Shot Gun 30 ft & a phoebe 6	"	10	6
1 Cotton wheel 10 ft 1 Linen D. 12 ft	"	2	"
1 Cowbell 4 ft 2 Small chests 10 ft	"	14	"
1 Looking glass 1/3	"	1	3
2 Small Iron pots & hooks	"	6	"
3 flag Bottom Chairs	"	6	"
2 pewter Basins 6 ft 2 pewter dishes 7 ft	"	13	"
7 pewter Spoons 2 ft 6 3 Iron D. 1/10 ft	"	4	4 ft
1/2 Dozen pewter plates 7 ft 6	"	7	6
1 Funnell and Dunking glass	"	1	3
2 grubbing hoes 8 ft 3 old axes 10 ft	"	10	"
2 Helling and Broad Hoes	"	13	"
1 Plow & 6 levers	"	10	"
3 Beds furniture &c	13	"	"
1 Table 3 ft a Shaver & flesh forks 2 ft 6	"	5	6
2 trails & a pigger	"	4	"
a mans old Saddle & bridle	"	15	"
6 knives & forks 3 ft a Shaver Iron 1 ft	"	4	"
a Chain & hook 2 ft 1 Feather	"	10	"

9 head of hogs
 3 Cows
 3 Smaller cattle
 2 Yearlings
 1 Mare & Colt
 1 Young Bay Mare
 1 Black Horse
 9 Head of Sheep

2	9	"	"
12	10	"	"
7	10	"	"
1	10	"	"
15	0	"	"
10	"	"	"
0	"	"	"
"	12	"	"
106	1	4	1/2

N. M. P.
 Powell
 Robt Thompson
 Thomas Fortune

At a Court held for Amherst County the Seventh day of
 February 1785 This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate
 of Benjamin Fortain Deceased was this Day Returned &
 Ordered to be Recorded Test. Edm^d. Wilson Clk

In the Name of God Amen. I James Nivell of the County of
 Amherst being in perfect hith and sound disposing Memory for
 Preventing disputes in my Family about my Estate do make this
 my last will and Testament for disposing thereof
 Infirmities my Will and Desire is that my Just Debts be discharged
 I Give to my Beloved Wife Mary Nivell all my Land with my
 Dwelling House that lies on the North of the South fork of Rockfish
 River and Maple Branch to the Back line on the Mountain
 During her life except my children under age & my Daughter
 unmarried to have a privilege in my Dwelling House also
 give her the Work of Four Negroes for the same Time Viz. 1st of
 Easter & Egg And a child's part of all my Household Goods
 The Household Goods I give for ever. I also give her the Ninth
 part of all my Stock of Every kind except Horses. & as to horses I
 give her one young Bald Eagle Mare named Sorrentine & and
 Selma. Item I give and Bequeath to my son Luis Nivell
 one certain tract or parcel of Land lying on the South of Side
 of the South fork of Rockfish River and at the lower end of my
 Land Beginning on the line of Benjamin Thomas Deceased then