

and Credits of the said Deceased, which at any time after shall come to the hands possession or knowledge, of the said James Woods, or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him do well and truly Administer according to Law, and further do make just and true Account of his Actings and Doings therein when thereto Required by the said Court. and also shall well and truly pay & Deliver all the Legacies contained and Specified in the said Testament, as far as the said Goods, Chattles and Credits will thereunto Extend, and the Law shall Charge. Then this Obligation to be Void and of none Effect, or Else to Remain in full force and Virtue

Joseph Roberts (L.S.)	James Woods L.S.
Matthew Harris (L.S.)	Michael M. Nudly L.S.
William Harris (L.S.)	John Pope Junr. L.S.
	David Shelton L.S.

At a Court held for Amherst County the 4th Day of June 1781—
This Bond was Acknowledged and ordered to be Recorded,

Test. Edmd. Wilson Clk

In the Name of God. Amen I James Christian of Amherst County being of perfect mind and memory, do make this my Last Will & V^l.^t From I give and Bequeath to my Brother John Christian my Plantation on Hookers Creek joining Arny Bells, Linn and William Duvals Line, I From I give and Bequeath to my Brother George Christian my Plantation whereon I Live and all my Lands thereunto belonging, all the above to them and their Heirs and Assigns forever. I From, I Desire all my Negroes to be Equally Divided Between John Christian and George Christian, that is to say Will, Frank, Jane and Bob, Tom, Lusk and Simon, Likewise I Desire all my Stock of all kind to be Equally Divided in the same manner as above mentioned Likewise all my Household Furniture, and I do appoint my Brother John Christian and George Christian Executors of this my Last Will and Testament, as Witness my hand and Seal this 28th of October 1772

Sealed & pronounced in the presence of
John Christian, Mary Christian, John ^{his} Lyons

James Christian (L.S.)

At a Court held for Amherst County the fourth Day of June 1781
This Last Will and Testament of James Christian Deceased was presented
in Court by George Christian one of the Executors whom we doth
thence according to Law, and the said Will was proved by the Oath of
John Christian and Mary Christian two of the Witnesses thereto, and
the said Executor with John Christian and Henry Christian his
Securities Entered into and Acknowledged their Bond in the penalty
of Three Thousand Pounds or Specie with the Condition Required by
Law, and the said Will and Bond was ordered to be Recorded

Test. Edmd. Willcox Clk

At a Court held for Amherst County the third Day of September 1781
John Christian the other Executor named in this Will personally
appeared in Court and with James Sampson and Charles Patterson
his Securities Entered into and Acknowledged Bond in the penalty
of Three Thousand Pounds or Specie with the Condition Required by Law
and took the Oath of an Executor according to Law.

Test. Edmd. Willcox Clk

Know all Men by these Presents that we George Christian John
Christian, and Henry Christian are held and firmly Bound unto
James Nail, Hugh Pope, James Dillard and Benjamin Recker
Gentlemen Justices of the County Court of Amherst their Heirs and
Successors in the full and just Sum of Three Thousand Pounds or Specie
To the payment whereof well and truly to be made we bind ourselves
our heirs Executors and Administrators Jointly and Severally jointly
by these Presents Witness our hands and Seals this fourth Day of
June 1781. The Condition of the above Obligation is Such
that if the above Bound George Christian Executor of the last Will &
Testament of James Christian Deceased do make or Cause to be made
a true and perfect Inventory of all and Singular the Goods Chattels
and Credits of the said Deceased which have or shall come to the
hands Possession or knowledge of the said George Christian, or into
the hands or Possession of any other person or persons for him, and

or knowledge, of the said John Christian, or into the hands and Possession of any other Person or Persons for him, and the same so made do exhibit into the County Court of Amherst at such time as he shall be thereunto Required by the said Court; and the same Goods, Chattles and Credits, and all other the Goods Chattles and Credits of the said Deceased, which at any time after shall Come to the hands and Possession or knowledge of the said John Christian, or into the hands and Possession of any other Person or Persons for him, do well & truly Administer according to Law, and further do make a just and true Account of his doings and Doings therein, when thereto required by the said Court. and also shall well and truly pay and Deliver all the Legacies Contained and Specified in the said Testament, as far as the said Goods, Chattles and Credits will thereunto extend, and the Law shall Charge, Then this Obligation to be Void, and of none Effect, or Else to Remain in full force and Virtue

John Christian (L. S.)
James Pamplin (L. S.)
Chs. Patterson. (L. S.)

At a Court held for Amherst County the third Day of September 1781
This Bond was Acknowledged, and ordered to be Recorded.

Test. Emd. Wilcox Clk

May 31. 1781. We the Subscribers being Sworn have appraised William Brecknalls Deed Estate according to Orders and Return this Inventory to this Court.

One Horse £1200, One Mare £2000	£ 3200	..	..
Two Cows & Calfs £1200, one Cow D. £450	1650	..	..
One Cow Ditto £500, one Cow Ditto £350	1050	..	..
Two Heifers two year old £500, one Steer £350	850	..	..
One Steer D. £500, one Small Bull £200	500	..	..
one Sow and Six Piggs £187. 10, two Large Barren £500	687 10	..	..
One Sow Big with Pigg £150. Eight Large Hotes £1000	1150	..	..
One Cow & Lamb £77. 10, Two Rams £100	177 10	..	..
Two Curs without Lambs £150, One Wether £100	225	..	..
One Bed Bolster Rug, Blanket, two Sheets, Counterpane Bedstead &c	2500	..	..

One Bed Bolster 3 Sheets, 3 Blankets, 2 Bedquills one pillow and Counterpin	£2750	—
One Bed Bolster 2 Sheets 2 Blanket and one Rug 2 pillows	2750	—
One Bed Bolster 2 Sheets 2 Blanket, Bedquill, Bedstead & Cover	1200	—
Two Small Chest £20, one Seelshin Trunk £50.	70	—
one Flywheel £100, one Ditto £80, one Wood wheel £50.	230	—
One Wood wheel £40, one Gun £150, one Sate £20.	210	—
One Large Bible £75, one Hymn Book £30, one Prayer Book £17. 10, one Rhetorick Book £30.	47. 10	—
One parcel of Small Books £18, one Looking Glass £20.	38	—
One parcel of Shoe Leather £200, one Spice Morte & Skull £40	240	—
4 Quart Basons £120, two Potte Basons £40	260	—
Two Gallon Basons £100, one Large Dish £100.	280	—
Two Middle size Dishes £100, half Dg. of old plates £60	240	—
half Dzen Ditto £100, one Dzen of Spoons £50.	230	—
half Dzen knives and fork £100, half Dzen Ditto £75	175	—
Three Middle size Sugs £80, three Butter potts £80.	160	—
Two Cheap hooks £12, one old Handsaw £5.	17	—
Two flat Irons £80, one Auger 2 Chisell and Gauge £15	95	—
one bar of Pinchers and Nippers £12, one pair Shears £10	22	—
One Barshian Moulder £30, one parcel of old Iron £60.	90	—
Two Axes £60, fore Bell £60, one hammer £9.	129	—
One Loom and Eight Nays £300, one pott Hooks £70.	370	—
One Ditto £50, one Ditto £30, one Trouel Hoe £20.	100	—
One Drawknife £12. 10, one Grine Stone £20.	32 10	—
John Bibb	£ 21841	—
John Grigory		
John Staples		

A Court held for Amherst County the fourth Day of June 1781

This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of William Bucknall
 & Deceased, was this Day Returned, and ordered to be Recorded,

Test. Comd. Wilcox Clk

An Inventory of the Estate of James Christian Deceased
as Appraised by the Subscribers being Sworn pursuant to an Order
of Amherst County Court.

To one Negro Woman Frank Valued at	£ 60	10	4
To Tom a £65, such Ditto at Ditto	130	11	4
To three Small Negroes at	85	11	4
To Will a £57, 10, and Simon Wam £70	125	10	10
Toanny a £70, and three Small Negroes a £65	135	11	4
To five head of Cattle £6, 10, four head of Ditto a £6, 5,	12	15	4
To one Oxen and Bull	8	11	4
To one old Sorrell Mare £2, & one Horse Colt. £7	9	11	4
To one old Bay Horse 20s, and one Sorrell Mare £12	13	11	4
To three Axes & 2 Wedges & 3 killing hoes & 1 Plough hoe	1	14	4
To Two Potts 6s, one Ditto and Pan 16s	1	2	4
To one Iron Pestle and old Hoe	3	4	4
To one Doe and three old Hoes	10	11	4
To two Sugs and Butter Pott 7/6, and one Trunk 7/6	15	11	4
To a parcel of Quater 20s, and one Sugar Box 3/6	1	3	6
To a parcel of old knives and forks & Candle snuffers	4	11	4
To one Bed and furniture £6.10, & one Book 3s, & 2 Chairs 1/3	6	14	3
To one Sow and Eleven Shoats	3	7	6
To Ten Fatt Hogs £12, and Nine Shoats 30s	13	10	11
To one Sow and Pigs 25s, and Six Hogs £2, 10	3	15	11
To one Sheep and Bell, 12/6, & one Large Bell 8s	1	0	6
To a Small parcel of Wool 6s, & one Side of Leather 5s	11	11	4
To one old Saddle 10s, and two Casks 10s	1	0	0
To two Razors 3/6, and one Short Gun 30s	1	13	6
To 2 Deer skins 15s, and one old Mare and Fille £7, 10,	8	5	11
To one Hog 10s	10	11	4

Total Amount is . . £ 624 13 1

February 21. 1782, Errors Excepted. Robert Christian

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John Christian

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At a Court held for Amherst County the first Day of April 1782
This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of James Christian
Deceased was this Day Returned, and ordered to be Recorded

Test. Edm^d Wilson Clk

(46) April 10th 1782, We the Beneath Subscribers being first duly Sworn to appraise the Effects Belonging to the Estate of William Harrison Deceased

To one Waggon and Gear for Two Horses	£ 20, 0, 0
To one Black Horse	25, - -
To one Bay Ditto	20, - -
To one Black Ditto	10, - -
To one Bay Ditto	8, - -
To one Mans Saddle	2, - -
To one Ditto and a Carry Comb	6, - -
	£ 85, 6, 0

And appraised the same to
 David Tinsley
 Richard Powell
 George M. Daniel

At a Court held for Amherst County the Sixth Day of May 1782
 This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of William Harrison
 Esq Deceased was this Day Returned and ordered to be Recorded

Test. Edm^d. Willcox Clk

A true Inventory of the Several Articles belonging to the Estate of
 Ruben Puckett Deceased Given under our hands this 4th Day of May
 1782

To one Negro Gall Amica	£ 50, 0, 0
To one Rifle Gun & Short Pagg £6, one Short Gun £4	10, - -
To 7 ¹ / ₂ Yards of full cloth £3, To 9 Yards of Double cloth 36s	4 16
To 1 Mans Saddle & Bridle Bit 35s, To 1 Raw horse hide 5s	2, - -
To 1 Cow and calf £3, To 1 Steer 20s, To one Heffer 15s	4 10
To one Bull 20s, To one Cow and Yearling £3 10, To Ditto £3 10	8 - -
To one Sorrell Mare £25, To Ditto £20, To Sorrell Colt £5	50 - -
To a p. well of shed Cotton 50s, To one Bee hive 10s	3 - -
To 5 Sheep £3, To 1 Bed & Head and furniture £10	13 - -
To one Ditto £10, To Small Ditto £4, To parcel of Feathers 10s	16 - -
To 5 Chears 12s, To Box and Trunk 5s	2 17
To 4 ¹ / ₂ Yards of plain Yarn cloth 15s, To Mans Hat 5s	1 - -
To 11. of Drest flax 12s, To 13. Hemp 3s	15 - -
To 3 Bannels & 2 Casks, 13s, To 1 Tub, 2s, To 2. Cuders 4s	17 - -