

the world behind me comes into view of him & he will see
the end of Ango's war which together with any given of the
existing documents is about to be made.

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The Thirteen Thousand

Isham House's IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN I Isham House
Will.

of Brunswick County being weak of body but of sound memory and calling
to mind the mortality of my body and that it is appointed for
all men once to die do make this my last Will Testament Reciting
all other testaments made by me I renounce my soul I leave to God
who gave it me and my body to the earth from whence it was taken
to be buried in a Christian like manner Item I give & bequeath
unto my son James House that part of my Land which lies north of Cesar
road to him and his heirs forever Item I give & bequeath unto my
son Grimes House that part of the Land I now lie on Beginning as
follows to wit at Landys corner thence along the said Line to the
Big path thence to the head of the slack thence down the said slack
to the last path thence a strait course to the corner Between Buff &
and myself also the following negroes to wit Sam & also one feather
bed to him his heirs forever Item I provide my wife stands to my
will and comply with the same I bind to her during her life the following
agreement to wit Adam S. Day also the one third part of my stock of
Cows land also one third part of my household & kitchen furniture and
at her death I give & bequeath the hole property negroes stock & other
property but her to my two children passing all House & Mary H.
House to be equally divided between them to them others heirs forever
Item I bind unto my wife Elizabeth House the land known
as one hundred and twenty four acres lying south ad back house
back during her life and at her death I give & bequeath the same
to my son Grimes to have the same given Item I
leave and bequeath unto my son Elly W. House the residue of
my land to have this house passed also twelve pounds Item I
do also leave my daughter Branch W. House twelve pounds
and the same to her and by will make my son

Thos.
In App

I, Isham House, Esq. of New York & Ellena House the following my
 Grand Children Septem & Daniel to be equally divided between them
 among other heirs from H. H. House my wife & deceased the following
 Negro and other property hereafter mentioned to be equally divided among
 Eight dead children the names of the negroes are Sue, Nancy, Abram
 Hills and their future increase among James House, Susan Embale, John
 Houston, Ella W. H. House, Green J. House, Brandy M. House, Polly
 House & Ellena House to them and their heirs forever. I do constitute &
 appoint James Vaughan & Frederick MacLean of my Executors of my
 Last Will & Testament sign the twenty seventh day March 1800
 Frederick MacLean

Isham House,

Richard Fife

Washington Buff

Brunswick County Court September 22nd 1800
 James Vaughan & This last will & testament of Isham House Esq. was proven
 by the oaths of Frederick MacLean of Washington before
 witnesses thereto ordered to be recorded and on the motion of James Vaughan
 one of the Executors thereon named he having made oath thereto according
 to law & together with Frederick MacLean his security entered onto his
 - body a bond in the penalty of six thousand dollars with condition
 as the law directs certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate thereof
 in due form liberty being reserved the other executor to join in the said
 probate when he thinks fit

Ends

Teste

Herbert Hills 1800

Thos Preston's An Inventory. Appraisement of the estate of Thomas Preston
 Esq. January 24th 1799 (by us)
 taken by the subscribers the 24th January 1799 (by us)

1 Solid Gold	\$ 15 0 0
1 Gray Filly	6 0 0
1 Gray Mare	18 0 0
1 Bay Mare	3 0 0
1 Bay Filly	9 0 0
1 Lake Oren	20 0 0
2 Cows by calving	15 0 0
	5 0 0