

Item I give and bequeath to my Grandson John Thomas son of my son Mafsey Thomas the land whereon I now live to him and his heirs forever to be possessed and enjoyed -

Item I give and bequeath to my grand son Mafsey Thomas the land I took up and formerly kept a plantation on to him the said Mafsey Thomas son of John Thomas and his heirs forever -

Item, I give and bequeath unto my Grandson Ruben Thomas & his heirs forever the bed and furniture I make use of myself to him and his heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath unto my Grandson John Thomas son of Mafsey Thomas my other bed and furniture to him and his heirs forever also I give in like manner to the said John Thomas my Grandson one warming pan one spice mortar one skillet one Dutch oven one Ironspitt of about twelve Gallons and hooks and one box Iron.

Item. It is my will and desire that my old negro Woman Jude (being the first negro I purchased and now too old and infirm for Labour) may not be disturbed or compelled to service but remain free and unmolested the remainder of her life.

Item it is my will and desire that the residue of my Estate not already given away or heretofore mentioned may be disposed of at the Highest bidder and the Cash arising therefrom after the payment of my Just debts be divided among my following children, viz. Benjamin, John, & the representatives of Mafsey, William, Robert McKoy, who married my daughter Margaret, William Powell who married my daughter Sarah, Jeremiah Hick who married my daughter Ann or their heirs or assigns by equal distribution.

I constitute and appoint my son John Thomas, my Grandson John Thomas son of Mafsey and William Wallace Executors to this my last will and testament.

And Lastly I revoke, declare void and of no Effect all former wills by me made and do declare this to be my last will and Testament the word (or) being interlined on second side before signing Witness my hand this twenty ninth day of April - one thousand seven hundred and eighty two -

Signed sealed declared and published in presence of
Henry Lewis, William Lewis

John Thomas (Jr.)
mark X

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 21st day of February 1785

This Last Will & Testament of John Thomas deceased was Exhibited to the Court by John Thomas & John Thomas Jun^r two of the Exors therein named and was proved by the oaths of Henry Lewis & William Lewis witnesses thereto & ordered to be Recorded, And on the motion of the said Executors Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form they having made Oath thereto & given bond of Security according to Law Liberty being reserved for the other Executors to Qualify when he may think fit.

Teste John Jameson C. C. Clerk.

Thomas Ex^{rs}

Will

In the Name of God Amen I Christopher Thomas of the County of Culpeper & Colony of Virginia being of perfect sense & memory & duly weighing the uncertainty of Human affairs, do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament in manner following Imprimis I give my Immortal part to the Divine Author of my Body to the death to be interred in such decent sort as my Executors hereafter named shall think fit.

First. I give & bequeath to my reputed son of whom I have raised from his Infancy William Sherrel son of Margaret Sherrel Alias Margery Parkins all that tract or parcel of Land which I purchased of John Latham lying in the aforesaid County it being the same on which I now live to him & his Heirs or assigns forever. Also I give to my said son one seventh part of all my Negroes, & cattle & Hogs which I give & bequeath to him my said son William Sherrel to him his Heirs & assigns forever.

Secondly I give & bequeath to my reputed son Thomas Freeman son of Elizabeth Freeman who now lives with me, one half of those two Tracts of Land which I purchased of Humphrey Wallace & Robert Eastham situate in the County aforesaid to include in his part the plantation where Isaac Anderson formerly lived Also one seventh part of all my Slaves, and Stock of all kinds, and Household furniture which I give to my said son Thomas Freeman his heirs or assigns forever.

Thirdly I give to my reputed son George son of Elizabeth Freeman aforesaid the other half of my said two tracts of Land purchased of Wallace & Eastham as aforesaid to include in his part the plantation where William Shurtliff now lives, but if in case the said George Freeman should die without lawful issue then I give the said Land to my son Thomas Freeman aforesaid to him his heirs & assigns forever. Also I give & bequeath to my said son George Freeman one seventh part of all my Slaves & Stocks of all kinds & Household furniture to him his heirs & assigns forever.

Fourthly I give and bequeath unto my reputed daughter Ann Spelman wife of Nathaniel Spelman one seventh part of all my Slaves except Twenty five pounds which she has already received in an old Negro man, which twenty five pounds is to be accounted in her proportion of the said Slaves which I give to her & her heirs & assigns forever.

Fifthly I lend to my reputed daughter Sarah Anderson the wife of Isaac Anderson one Fourteenth part of all my Slaves during her natural life, and after her death. If she leaves any lawful Heir or Heirs begotten of her Body then I give & bequeath the said Fourteenth part of my Slaves to be equally divided amongst her lawful Children, but if she dies Sarah Anderson should die leaving no lawful Child then the said fourteenth part of my Slaves shall be equally divided amongst my several reputed Sons & Daughters or their Representatives.

Sixthly I give & bequeath to my reputed daughter Elizabeth Garner the wife of Jonas Garner, one Fourteenth part of all my Slaves to her & her heirs and assigns forever.

Seventhly I give and bequeath to my reputed Daughter Mary Freeman Daughter of Elizabeth Freeman who now lives with me one seventh part of all my Slaves & Stocks of all kinds & Household furniture which I give to her & her heirs & assigns forever.

Eighthly I give and bequeath to my reputed daughter Frances Freeman daughter of Elizabeth Freeman aforesaid one seventh part of all my Slaves & Stock of all kinds & Household Furniture to her & her heirs & assigns forever.

Ninthly It is my Will and desire that all my Slaves be kept together & work on my plantation or Lands untill my Debts are paid. ~~~~~

Tenthly It is my Will & desire that whatever of my Slaves shall upon a Distribution be allotted to Thomas Freeman, George Freeman, Mary Freeman & Frances Freeman shall remain & be work'd upon the Tracts of Land herein before devised to the said George Freeman untill the death, Age, or Marriage of each of them respectively & that they during the same time shall each of them receive the profits arising from the Labours of their separate & distinct parts in such Slave or Slaves. ~~~~~

Eleventh It is my will & desire that Elizabeth Freeman the mother of my Children aforesaid who now lives with me, have leave to continue with her Children on the Land given to Thomas & George Freeman clear of Board for victuals & during the time she lives chaste & unmarried or until the said George Freeman shall ^{come} of age or marriage. ~~~~~

Twelfth I give & bequeath to the said Elizabeth Freeman six pounds Current Money of Annam during the time she remains chaste & unmarried to be paid out of that part of my Estate devised to the said Thomas Freeman George Freeman, Mary Freeman & Frances Freeman to be paid by equal portions, but on her the said Elizabeth's incontinency or marriage the Annuity to subside. ~~~~~

Thirteenth It is my will & desire that my Tools & whatever else of my Estate which are to be found & is not already mentioned be equally divided amongst my several reputed Sons & Daughters & if any of them should die before they come to Age or Marry, then his, her, or their part to be & remain to the Survivors & their Representatives, I mean all Slaves &c given to any one by this Will of they so die their part to be divided amongst the Survivors &c. ~~~~~

Lastly I do ordain & appoint my Friends Henry Pondleton, James Pondleton, John Wigginton & the said William Sherrill Executors to this my last will & Testament hereby revoking all wills by me
heretofore

heretofore made. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this Twentieth day of May One thousand seven hundred and Eighty.

Sign'd Sealed published & declared by
Christopher Hoomes To be his last Will
& Testament in presence of us

Ch Hoomes

(L.S)

John Wigginton

William Davis

David ^{his} Carnagie

James ^{his} Carnagie

A Court held for Culpeper County the 21st day of February 1785

This Last Will and Testament of Christopher Hoomes dec^d was exhibited to the Court by James Pendleton & John Wigginton Gent. two of the Executors therein named and was proved by the Oaths of David Carnagie & James Carnagie two of the Witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the Motion of the said Executors Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form they having made oath thereto & given bond & security according to Law — Liberty being reserved for the other Executors to qualify when they may think fit.

Teste John Jameson C. C. Clerk

Inventory of the Estate of John Fennell Deceased.

Fennell John
Inventory

W th Horse, bridle & Saddle	£ 6. 0. 0
One thousand lb Tobacco	15. 0. 0
One Silver watch	5. 10. 0
One Bar	2. 6
One pockett Book	1. 0

A Court held for Culpeper County
the 21st day of March 1785

W^m Hill
Rufus Hill } appraisers
Charles Taylor

This Inventory of the Estate of John Fennell deceased was returned into Court and ordered to be recorded.

Teste John Jameson C. C. Clerk

With an obedience to an Order of Court we the Subscribers being first
 Tappan's
 Sworn have Valued & appraised the Estate of Lewis Tapp Dec^d as follows

Inventory

Negroes. Gate & her Child	\$ 110" 0" 0
Negro Gloc \$30 & little Gate \$40	70" 0" 0
Negro Jude \$50 & one Negro boy Jack \$25	75" 0" 0
Twelve Head of cattle at	18" 5" 0
Seven Head of Horse kind at	75" 0" 0
Nineteen head of Hogs at	5" 0" 0
Two Dues & one Lamb	0" 12" 0
four Waggon wheels	5" 0" 0
Beds Furniture and a parcel of feathers	31" 10" 0
One Cotton Gin	1" 5" 0
a parcel of old Iron	1" 5" 0
four plows 2 2/6 3 Wedges 8/-	1" 10" 0
a parcel of old Tools such as Axes hammers, houghs	0" 18" 0
Scythes & Hand saw	0" 15" 0
Two Axes 6/- one pair of Shearlands 9/-	0" 15" 0
one axe 5/- 15 hoes \$1 1/4	1" 19" 0
Two old plows 5/- 3 old Scythes 6/-	0" 11" 0
One Grindstone 3/- 8 potts & covers \$2 13	2" 16" 0
Two frying pans 5/6 one pot rack 12/-	0" 19" 6
One Loom & Loom 30/- five old wheels 2 2/-	2" 12" 0
One Riddle & five 3/- one smooth Gun 30/-	1" 13" 0
one Pest & trunk 10/- a parcel of books 13/-	1" 5" 0
a parcel of pewter 12/-	12" 0
Two Axes Hoes 10/- Two pairs of bands 3/6	13" 6
One pair of Fire Tongs 2/6	2" 0
	\$ 409" 4" 0

in all

Feb 4th 1785

Jacob Coones
 John Fishback
 & Joseph Coones Jr.

At a Court held for Guilford County the 21st March 1785

This Inventory of the Estate of Lewis Tapp dec^d was
 returned into Court & ordered to be recorded
 Teste John Jameson Clk. Court

In the Name of God Amen I Joseph Steward of Saint Georges
 Parish in the County of Spotsylvania do make and ordain this to be my
 Last will & Testament as Followith.

First I give to my Daughter Frances the two Negroes that she has
 in her possession Judea & Liza and their Increase she having had
 part of my other Estate already.

Second I give to my son William y^e Second he now liveth
 and that part I purcheth of Capt. Joseph Berry longer in Stafford
 County a Soyning whear he now lives & also three negroes which he
 has now in possession such. Judea & Liza he having had part of my
 other Estate all ready.

Third I give to my son Joseph three Negroes George, Nancy & Pegg which
 he has now in possession they and their Increase for ever he having
 had a part of my other Estate all ready.

Fourth. I Give unto my son John Gilbert York Ben. Bob Skell and
 their Increase for ever.

Fifth I give to my beloved wife Negro Sam. Hall & Venus for her Life and
 after her Deceas to go to my son, John Steward and I Give her all my house-
 hold Goods & Stock of horses Cattle & hogs During her Life & then to go to
 my son John Steward and his heirs and I do appoint John Steward my
 Executor of this my Last will & Testament. Given under my hand this 21st

Febr'y 1778

Joseph Steward

Sam. Todd

John Sells

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 21st day of March 1785

This Last will and Testament of Joseph Steward dec^d was exhibited to the Court by John Steward
 the Son then in named and was proved by the oath of Sam^l Todd a Witness thereto. Who
 also swore that John Sells the other witness subscribed it in his and the testators presence
 at the testators request & had removed from this State and also that the will was the testators
 own Writing whereupon it is ordered to be Recorded. And on the Motion of the said John Steward
 grant him leave for obtaining a probate therefor as he has sworn to do with these to be

Given bond & security according to law

Teste John Jameson C. C. Clerk

Simpson James
Inventory In obedience to an Order of Court to us directed, we the Subscribers being first sworn have appraised the Estate of Jane Simpson dec^d in Current Money as follows to wit

One Negro Hannah	£50.00.0
One feathered Gf	6.00.0
Three heads of cattle	3.00.0
one horse colt	3.00.0
One Sheep	10.00.0
One Cow heifer	7.00.0
	<u>£62.17.0</u>

Thos Corley
Elijah Kestley
Thomas Simpson

At a Court Continued & held for Culpeper County the 22^d day of March 1785
This Inventory of the Estate of Jane Simpson dec^d was returned into Court & Ordered to be Recorded

Teste John Jameson C. C. Clerk

14th March 1785

Rucker James
Inventory In obedience to an order of Court to us directed we the Subscribers being first sworn have appraise the Estate of James Rucker dec^d as follows to wit

One Bay mare	£16.00.0	One Tub & two piggins	£0.3.0
One saddle & bridle	1.10.0	One Flow hoe 11 Weading	8.13.0
One bedstead & board	10.00.0	one tulling & 1 Ax	2.15.0
One bay colt	3.00.0	Six hoggs	£2.15
One bed & furniture	8.00.0	One cow & Yearling	3.00.0
One Dish 2 plates & knives & forks	0.7.0	One Dutch oven	15/2 1.1.0
Four chairs of one table	12.00.0	One Frying pan	6/8
			<u>£37.11.0</u>

At a Court Continued & held for Culpeper County the 22^d day of March 1785

Mary Walker
John Rouze

This Inventory of the Estate of James Rucker dec^d was returned in to Court & Ordered to be Recorded

Teste John Jameson C. C. Clerk

Dr The Estate of Doctor Thomas Houston on account with

Houston's
Estate and debtsTo Sundry Bonds delivered M^r Thompson as for his Receipt \$ 1267 16 5

To Robert Colford due first January 1779 paper & £ 11 0 0

Currency

To Judgment ag ^t James Slaughter as for Thompson's Receipt	145 5 8	53 7 6
To Cash paid M ^r Thompson		20 " "
paid Jacob Mealy proved account		1 7 6
paid Richard Bayne Ditto		" 8 2
paid John Allen Ditto		4 " "
paid Culbert Bullitt Ditto		15 "
paid M ^{rs} Edwards Ditto		10 "
paid John Bowers Ditto		3 " 0 "
paid John Watts Ditto		3 11 9
paid Thomas Graves Ditto		1 7 6
paid James Simms Ditto		2 7 7
paid John Dear Ditto		" 6 7 1/2
paid Expenses when selling the Negroes		10 7 1/2
paid the Collector Guthrie's p ^r Receipt		3 11 8
paid Elizabeth Lucas proved account		10 " "
paid John Sanders		" 7 "
paid the Collector Guthrie's p ^r Receipt		1 " 8 " 8
paid W ^m Reed in part of Legacies p ^r Rec ^d		40 " 5 " 10
paid Robert Patton in part of Ditto p ^r Rec ^d		40 " 0 " 0
paid Collector Guthrie's p ^r Rec ^d		2 " 17 " 4
paid Robert Green account proved		1 " " "
paid Nathaniel Pendleton p ^r Ditto		2 " 1 " 10
paid Martin Nalle Ditto		" 10 " 11
paid John Cabbage Ditto		" 6 " "
paid James Mercer Esq ^r Ditto		2 " 10 " "
paid Edward Stevens Esq ^r Ditto		40 " " "
paid James Robertson Esq ^r Ditto		42 5 8
paid Robert Coleman Jun ^r in part of Scurry p ^r Rec ^d		16 " 2 " "
paid John Nalle proved Acc ^t p ^r Rec ^d		" 14 " "
paid Collector Ditto		1 " " "
paid Robert Coleman Ditto		1 " 11 " 5 1/2
paid John Gancey Jun ^r Ditto		2 " " "
paid Collector Tax for 1782 Ditto		" 10 " 2
paid Henry Farewell Laurijers for Ditto		30 " " "
paid James Innes Ditto		30 " " "
paid Expenses while attending Suit at Law		40 " " "

Carried over

John Slaughter Secutor

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By James Slaughter's Bond payable Nov ^r 1775		825 ⁰⁰ 00
By Cash Rec ^d of Col ^l Champe		326 ⁰⁰ 18 ⁰⁰
By Francis Slaughter's Bond payable June 1776		72 ⁰⁰ 5 ⁰⁰ 4
By Robert Pollard for the opposite Charge on June 1779	£41	
By Judgment ag ^t James Slaughter 145 ⁰⁰ Tobacco &		53 ⁰⁰ 7 ⁰⁰ 6
By Cash from John Brown for Bond with Int ^r		42 ⁰⁰ 11 ⁰⁰ 4
By Cash of Francis Slaughter 1111 ⁰⁰ Tobacco		10 ⁰⁰ 2 ⁰⁰ 10
By James Kennerly Balance without Interest		124 ⁰⁰ 19 ⁰⁰ 8 ⁰⁰ 1/2
By Cash of John Roberts		30 ⁰⁰ 10 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰ 1/2
By Richard Gaines 17 th June 1771 Bond & Interest		118 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰ 6 ⁰⁰ 1/2
By Robert Coleman	Ditto	92 ⁰⁰ 19 ⁰⁰ 2
By William Brown	Ditto	68 ⁰⁰ 9 ⁰⁰ 2 ⁰⁰ 1/2
By Roger Dixon	Ditto	39 ⁰⁰ 17 ⁰⁰ 8 ⁰⁰ 1/2
By John Saunders	Ditto	5 ⁰⁰ 5 ⁰⁰ 6
By Robert Stuart	Ditto	8 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰ 10 ⁰⁰ 1/2
By William Milburn	Ditto	29 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰ 9
By John Nalle	Ditto	4 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰ 6
By James Crane	Ditto	3 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰ 6
By Matthias Wilhoite	Ditto	2 ⁰⁰ 2 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰ 1/2
By Rufell Hill	Ditto	2 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰ 1/2
By Francis Gaines	Ditto	6 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰ 7
By Richard Johnston	Ditto	8 ⁰⁰ 7 ⁰⁰ 6
By John Wallis	Ditto	12 ⁰⁰ 16 ⁰⁰ 11
By Cash Rec ^d in the House		70 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰ 6
By Rec ^d of William Baxter & others for Bonds		112 ⁰⁰ 00 00
By Cash Rec ^d of William Ball		6 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰ 8
By Cash Rec ^d of Francis Thornton for Interest on his Bond		15 ⁰⁰ 00 00
		2095 ⁰⁰ 6 ⁰⁰ 0 ⁰⁰ 1/2

By Interest on £420. 13. 0 Ball^{ts} due the first day of
 January 1772 untill the first day of Jan^y 1785. 13 years

274⁰⁰ 2⁰⁰ 5⁰⁰ 1/2
 2369⁰⁰ 8⁰⁰ 5⁰⁰ 1/2

Dr Brought Over

paid George Parsons provid Acc ^t	£	15	"	11					
paid John Brown	Ditto	1	"	16	"	6			
paid for 4 lth ^s Notes 1629 th Mo ^o & 2 ^d		13	"	11	"	6			
paid for 9 d ^o 269 S 1 ¹ / ₂		1	"	13	"	10			
paid William Brown for coffin		2	"	10	"	0			
paid Rob ^t Coleman for Liquors at the Funeral		2	"	6	"	10	"	1/2	
	£	169	4	"	13	0	"	1/4	
Balance due p ^o Acc ^t Inclusive of Commission		67	4	"	15	"	5	"	1/2
	£	236	9	"	8	"	5	"	3/4

To Cash paid Benjamin Roberts for raising paper currency	£ 36.	Equal to	"	"	17	"	2	"	1/4			
a Man Apl ^o 1781	13	"	4	"	9	"	1/4	11	"			
To Cash paid collector Jones 1779	12	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	"	5		
To Cash paid Charles Savenport 1780	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	6		
To Cash paid Benjamin Gaines Apl ^o 1781	18	"	5	"	2	"	"	4	"	9		
To p ^o Joseph Strother Aug ^o 1781	13	"	18	"	5	"	"	3	"	1		
To p ^o Benjamin Gaines March 1781	88	"	9	"	3	"	"	1	"	4	"	3
To p ^o Benj ⁿ Pulliam Sept ^o 1780	41	"	11	"	2	"	"	1	"	4		
To p ^o Joseph Strother Sept ^o 1781	19	"	6	"	3	"	"	3	"	6		
To p ^o William Brown October 1778	3	"	0	"	0	"	"	0	"	0	"	1/4
Balance due p ^o Contra	£ 1419.	16.	8	"	1/2							
	1422	16.	8	"	1/2							

In obedience to an Order of Sulphur County Court, bearing date the 21st day of February 1785. We the Subscribers have settled the account of John Slaughter one of the Executors of Thomas Haicison dec^d. & find there stands a Balance due from the said Executor of Four Hundred & twenty pounds Three ten Shillings, Inclusive of his Commission for Collection &c. which Balance by Consent of parties, we have closed at the last of the Year 1771, and have allowed Interest thereon till the first of the year 1785. as will more fully appear by said account. Since which Period other transactions have passed on both sides, and which we have stated as p^o account. By which there remains a Balance of One thousand four hundred & nineteen pounds

1779 Sep. 22 ^d By Cash Rec ^d of Henings Executors	517 ¹⁰
By Cash Rec ^d for Rent of Land & Hou of Negroes from 1771 to 1778 inclusive	55 ²
By Nine Years Interest on D ^o	24 ⁶
By paper Currency Rec ^d Jan ^y 80 £ 265 ¹¹ 6 ¹¹ is	6 ⁶ 5
D ^o due Jan ^y 1781 100 ⁰ 0 ⁰ is	1 ⁶ 8
D ^o D ^o 82 500 ⁰ 0 ⁰ is	7 ¹³ 4
By Ball ^s brought over	674 ¹³ 5 ⁵
By Interest on 517 ¹⁰ received of Henings Executors till Jan ^y 1 st 1785	135 ⁶ 10 £ 1442 ¹⁶ 8 ⁵
By Balance due as Settlement to the first Jan ^y 1785	£ 1419 ¹⁶ 8 ⁵

Sixteen Shillings & Eight pence is due from said Executor. In discharge of which, the s^d Executor offered some bonds, but as they were taken in a depreciated State of Money, were objected to by Mr^o John Thompson, who intermarried with the Heiress of s^d Houston.

Given under our hands this 22^d day of March 1785

At a Court ^{held} for Culpeper County, the 22^d day of March 1785

Richard Davenport

This account of Settlement of the Executor
Ship of John Houghkiss of the Estate of Thomas Houston dec^d
was this day returned into Court & ordered to be recorded
John Jameson C. C. Sec^y

Bowles Armistead

Will

In the name of God amen, I Bowles Armistead of Culpeper County do make this my last will and Testament as followeth being in the perfect enjoyment of my reason:

Imprimis I give to my love sons William & Peter Fontaine & their heirs forever all my lands to be divided equally between them by the judgment of my Executors on my son Williams coming of age, either dying before coming of age or having lawful Issue the other to enjoy the whole undivided.

Item I give to my said sons & my daughters Elizabeth & Mary Bowles all my negroes to be equally divided among them by the judgment of my Executors, as they marry or come of age, either dying before they come of age or marry the others to enjoy their parts equally.

To my beloved wife Mary Anne Armistead I give the use of all my Estate till my sons come of age or my daughters come of age or marry reserving as much of the Profits as my Executors shall deem sufficient for the maintenance & education of my children to be wholly directed by my Executors & on my sons taking their portions, in lieu of the use of my Estate I give her during her natural life one third of whole Estate with the dwelling house. I also give her my Carriage and Horses, and in part of her thirds as above, during her natural life the following negroes Will, Lucy, Tall, Sam, Cook, Liller, Nancy Willards. & in case of the death of all my children before coming of age or having Issue, I give her my whole Estate both real & personal.

In case of my beloved wifes present pregnancy, I give the Child, if a son an equal part in my lands & negroes with my other sons, if a daughter an equal in my Negroes with my other daughters. Should ^{all} my sons die before they come of age or have lawful Issue, my daughters to divide their Estates equally. My household furniture to remain with the house. my stock to be divided between my sons save their Mothers third To the payment of my debts. I desire that the debts due to me, all share stock of battle, horses and my claim in some land in Halifax County in right of my wife be applied, & the deficiencies to be made

John Zachary

Will

In the Name of God Amen, I John Zachary Jun^r of Brumfield
 Parish in the County of Culpeper in the State of Virginia Planter
 being but weak of Body but of Perfect mind and memory Praised be
 God for the same. & therefore calling to mind the Mortality of my
 Body, and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, Do
 make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament (that is to say)
 Principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul unto the
 Hands of Almighty God that gave it and my Body I recommend to
 the Earth to be Buried in a decent Christian like manner, at the
 Discretion of my Executors hereafter Mentioned, Nothing doubting but at
 the General Resurrection, I shall receive the same again, by the Mighty
 power of God. And as Touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath
 pleased God to Bless me in this Life I give Demise and Dispose of the
 same in the following manner & form (vizt) My Will and Desire is that
 all my Estate of what kind soever be immediately after my decease
 sold at Publick sale to the highest Bidders for Money, and the Money
 arising from such sale to be Equally Divided Betwixt my two Brothers
 & five Sisters (vizt) Benjamin Zachary, William Zachary, Elizabeth
 Bledsoe, Esther Burbridge, Hannah Burbridge, Sarah Eastham &
 Milley Wright. Furthermore it is my Will and Desire & I do hereby
 constitute appoint and ordain my Loving Brothers Benjamin
 Zachary & William Zachary to be my whole & sole Executors of this
 my Last Will and Testament, And I do hereby utterly, Disallow revoke
 and Disannul all & every other former Testaments: Will & Legacies &
 Executors by me in any wise before named: Willed & bequeathed,
 Ratifying and Confirming this and this only to be my Last Will and
 Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and
 Seal this Twenty fifth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One
 thousand seven Hundred and eighty five

Signed, Sealed, Published Pronounced &
 Declared by the said John Zachary Jun^r as his
 Last Will and Testament in presence of us
 the Subscribers Daniel Farmer
 Richard Sharpe
 Evan Brown

John Zachary (J. S.)

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 16th day of May 1785

This Last Will and Testament of John Zachary^{sen} Dec^d.
was Exhibited to the Court by Benjamin Zachary & William Zachary
the Executors therein named and was proved by the Oaths of Daniel
Farmer & Evan Brown two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be
Recorded, And on the Motion of the said Executors certificates
granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form they
having made oath thereto & given bond & Security according to
Law.

Teste John Jameson C. C. to Court

November 20th 1783 I Joseph Norman of Culpeper County being

Jo. Norman's

Will

in perfect sense mind and Memory do make this my last Will in
manner and form following

Item: I leave the Land I now live on to my two sons Thomas Norman
and John Norman; Thomas to have one Hundred & Nineteen Acres
and John One Hundred if they cannot agree in dividing the Land
when John comes to the age of twenty Years they are to leave it to two
men to divide it for them.

Item: I leave to my son William Norman a Negro Woman named Quoe
and no other part of my Estate.

Item: I leave to my son James Norman a Negro Boy named
Tingo and the Executors to keep the said Boy in their hands while they
can send him word to come for him and to have no other part of my
Estate.

Item: I leave to my Grandson Isaac Norman one Hundred acres
of Land lying on the South side of Rockmans Mountain and no other
part of my Estate.

Item: I leave to my son Isaac Normans wife Sarah Norman
Twenty Shillings Sterling.

Item: I leave my daughter Mary Dillard five pounds

Item I leave to my wife Sarah Norman after paying all my just debts and legacies all the rest of my Estate to maintain the children that is now living with her during her widowhood and if she should Marry or die then it is my desire it should be equally divided Between my son Thomas, John & my daughter Winifred Bywaters, Peggy Calvert, Sally, Fanny Minney & Kisiah Norman and it my desire for her not to be interrupted on the plantation as long as she — live a widow. —

And I do appoint my wife Sarah Norman and Thomas Norman my Executors of this my Last will —

Joseph Norman (L. S.)

Test
John Triplett
Thomas Norman
Fanny ^{March} Norman
her

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 16th day of February 1784

This Last will and Testament of Joseph Norman deceased was Exhibited to the Court by Thomas Norman one of the Executors therein named and was proved by the oath of John Triplett one of the witnesses thereto who also made oath that the said Joseph Norman requested him to do so his said will as Exhibited And that Thomas Norman the Executor subscribed it as a witness Which is Ordered to be certified And at a Court Courtth held for said County Tuesday May 17th 1785 The said will was again Exhibited to the Court by Sarah Norman & Thomas Norman the Executors therein named & having been formerly proved by the oath of John Triplett was Ordered to be Recorded. And on the Motion of the said Executors Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form they having made oath thereto & Given bond & Security according to Law —

Teste Wm Jameson C. C. Court

Inventory of the Estate of John Reynolds Deceased

Reynolds
Inventory1784 Dec 15th

1 Matted Bed apprais'd to	\$ 3 ⁰⁰ 0
1 Bed Bedstead, & bed furniture	6 ⁰⁰ 0
1 Bed Do & Do	4 ⁰⁰ 0
1 Walnut Chest	15 ⁰⁰ 0
2 old dishes 7/ 1 large Basin 5/	12 ⁰⁰ 0
5 pewter Plates & 3 spoons	7 ⁰⁰ 6
3 Piggins 8/ 1 1/2 th Steelyards	18 ⁰⁰ 0
2 Jugs & 1 1/2 th Bottle 7/ 4 Sides Leather 2 1/2	1 ⁰⁰ 9
2 old Rags 4/ 1 piece Mortar Bone & 1 stifter 3/6	7 ⁰⁰ 6
1 Smoothing Iron 3/6. 1 Riddle & sieve 4/	7 ⁰⁰ 6
1 Iron Leages 6/ 1 Washing Tub 3/6	9 ⁰⁰ 6
2 old Churns 3/ 2 Augurs 2/6. 1 Coaster 3/	8 ⁰⁰ 6
1 pail & Hooks 15/ 1 do do 15/	1 ⁰⁰ 10 0
1 Sinner Wheel & 1 do pail 8/	8 ⁰⁰ 0
2 Axes 10/ One bar 1/8. 2 do 11/ 1 Bull 3 1/2 10 5 6	18 ⁰⁰ 15 0
1 Stear 30/ 1 Yearling 15/ 1 Mare 11 10	14 ⁰⁰ 0 0
1 Calf 80/ 5 Hogs 10/ 2 5 10 6 Hogs 6/	14 ⁰⁰ 6
2 Dutch plows 12/ one do ox 2/6	13 ⁰⁰ 15 0
1 Corn House corn 12. 1 Stack of Tops & Thicks 35/ 13	12 ⁰⁰ 8 0
1 Stack Blades 18/ a parcel of 16 11 10	19 ⁰⁰ 6
Some Fops on fire 3/ 3 Shech 16/6	15 ⁰⁰ 0
2 Weeding. 2 Helling & 1 Grubbing hoes	8 ⁰⁰ 0
2 old Corn Sheds & one Bottles	6 ⁰⁰ 6
2 old Fells 1 do Chest 6/	6 ⁰⁰ 0
1 old Tub 1/6. 1 1/2 th 5/	17 ⁰⁰ 0
18 bottom Cards 4/ 4 bells 10/ 1 Meal bag 3/	1 ⁰⁰ 6
1 old Hand saw 2 old reaphooks & Iron ring	60 ⁰⁰ 0
Negro Ben	30 ⁰⁰ 0
Negro Stafford	50 ⁰⁰ 0
Negro George	60 ⁰⁰ 0
Negro Lucy	15 ⁰⁰ 0
Negro Markus	5 ⁰⁰ 0
2 Hemp Brakes	

May 17th 1785

Returned into Court & ordered to

John Henshaw
Henry Lowles
Lachariah Hall

be Recorded

Attest John Jameson C. C.

In the name of god amen I James Pattie of the County of
 James Pattie's bulfepur being in perfect health memory and senses yet knowing the
uncertainty of this mortal life do ordain this my Last will and testament
in manner following.

First I commend my soul to god its creator hoping thro the merits
 of our Blesed saviour to enjoy a glorious Resurrection in the world
 to come and what goods it hath pleased almighty god to bless me
 with in this world I Dispose of in following manner.

Whereas I have Lent to my son John Pattie one negro
 girl named agga and to my Daughter Sally Saunders one girl
 named Suda now it is my Desire that those negroes Lent as above
 mentioned with all their increase be considered as part of my
 estate and with all the rest of my estate Real & personal after pay-
 ing Just Debts I desire may be Equally divided between my
 Son John Pattie & my Daughter Sally Saunders.

Lastly I do appoint my wife Sarah Pattie Executrix and
 William Pendleton Executors of this my Last will and testament
 Revoking all others In witness Whereof I have hereunto set my
 hand and seal this 25th day of February 1783

Wendleton
 Minney ^{per} Wetherspoons.

James Pattie (J. S.)

At a Court held for bulfepur County May 16th 1785

This Last will and Testament of James Pattie dec^d was exhibited
 to the Court & was proved by the oath of William Pendleton one of the
 witnesses thereto & ordered to be Certified. And at a Court held at herts
 for said County May 17th 1785 was fully proved by the oath
 of Minney Wetherspoons another witness thereto And ordered to
 be recorded. Sarah Pattie Widow & Relict of the said dec^d came
 into Court & renounced all claim & Advantage Under the
 said will & claimed her Dower as Law. And also refused to

take upon herself the burden thereof as Executrix & blains
Administration with the will annexed which is granted her
she having made Oath thereto & Given bond & Security
According to Law

Teste John Jameson C. C. C.

John Blore's
Will

In the name of God Amen, I John Blore of the County
of Suffolk being low and weak in body but in perfect sense & Soundness
of memory do make and ordain this my last will & Testament

First I bequeath my loving wife Katherine one hundred Acres of Land
to be laid out at the upper end of my plantation so as to include my dwelling
House, and one of my negroes, one horse one bed & furniture Two Cows &
Calves, one Sows one plow. The articles above mentioned to be at her choice
all which I lend during her Natural life—

Item I give my son George Blore one Horse Bridle and Saddle the horse
to be at his choice after my wifes choice above mentioned, also one Cow & Calf
also to be at his choice after my wifes above mentioned which I give to
him and his heirs forever

Item I give my Daughters Milley, Anne & Frances one Bed and Furniture
One Cow and Calf each, or the Value thereof, also they are to have each of
them one Pot, Frying pan, Basen, Dish, halfe Dozen plates & halfe
Dozen knives and forks, or the Value thereof in cash, all which I give to them in
their heirs forever, but if either of my children above mentioned should die without an heir lawfully begotten of
Milley, Anne or Frances should die without an heir lawfully begotten of
their body it is my desire that their part of my Estate which I give to them may
be equally divided amongst all my children

Item my having given out to my sons Michael & John one hundred acres of
Land by Deed each of them, I thereby require the Appraisers of my Estate to
set the true value of each of their Lands which is to stand as a part of their
portion with my other children—

Item The residue of my Estate not already given I give in equal distribution
amongst all my children, John and Michael Sons included with the rest of
my Estate, not given as above mentioned, which is to be as a part of the residue
of my Estate I thereby require my Executors and Empower them to sell
either for ready money or on reasonable credit as they shall think best and

they may either sell my wifes part at the same time allowing her lifetime therein. or may wait till her death as they may believe may be the most to the advantage of the Heirs in Common. Namely my Nine Children or their legal Representatives.

Item I constitute and appoint my loving Sons Michael & John Gore & my son in law John Stanciver Executors of this my last Will and Testament In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 2^d day of Dec^r 1779—

Sealed and delivered
in presence of
J^r. Hume
J^r. Berry
Philip Chelf
mark

Henry Lewis
33
J^r. Berry
J^r. Berry

John Gore (L.S.)

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 20th day of June 1785

This Last will and testament of John Gore dec^d was exhibited to the Court by Michael Gore & John Gore two of the Heirs therein named and was proved by the Oaths of John Hume Berry & Philip Chelf witnesses thereto & Ordered to be Recorded & on the Motion of the said Executors Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form they having made oath thereto & given bond & security according to Law. The other Heir was in Court & refused to take upon himself the execution thereof

Teste John Jameson C. C. Clerk.

Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Edmund

Turner Edm^d

Turner deceased January 1785.

Inventory

Negroes: Anna & her child Betia

£60 0 0

Bett & her child Dulse

80 0 0

Nancy

65 0 0

Judy

60 0 0

Will

40 0 0

Rachel

40 0 0

Rose

45 0 0

Mooses

60 0 0

Venus

5 0 0

Pegg

40 0 0

Amathy

65 0 0

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a Bed. Bedsted. Sheets Quilt and Blanket	10	u	u
a do do do do do	9	u	u
a do do do Towel	9	u	u
a do do do Towels	9	u	u
a do do do Quilt	15	u	u
			132. 189
			1225. 18. 9

To 1 X Cut saw 12/ 1 Side leather 5/ 1 Spade 2/6 Auger 1/6 Chisel 6^d 1. 2. 6
 4 Sows £ 5 17 pigs at 4/6 is 3. 16. 6
 Amount £ 1235. 17. 9

Agreeable to an Order and appointment of the learned helpful the
 Court of Chancery for Valuing the Estate of Edmund Terrell deceased was the
 Subscribers being first sworn. appraised the same as off Inventory
 contained on the above & preceding pages — The amount of which being
 Twelve Hundred & thirty five pounds Seven Shillings & nine pence
 Cur Money Witness our hands this Twelfth day of Jan^y 1785.

Robert Garnett L.S.

Thomas Garnett L.S.

Alex^r. Darneley L.S.

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 20th day June 1785
 This Inventory was returned into Court & Ordered to be
 Recorded

Teste John Jameson C^l Court.

An Inventory of the Estate of Christopher Hoomes Dec^r

		£	s	d
Ch ^r Hoomes's	Negro Paris £50. Pompey £90. Phill £100	240	u	u
Inventory	Plato £100. Bristoe £70. Cutino £35	205	u	u
	Jenny £65. Juna £90. Lilly £70	225	u	u
	Calo £35. Dinah £50. Sheker 15/-	100	u	u
	Phillis £75. Cupidius £15. Ralph £40	130	u	u
	Tom £20. Dick £20. Peter £10	50	u	u
	Primos £75. Bachus £95. Supulor £70.	240	u	u
	2 Sows 30/ 10 Shoats 40/ 28 Small Shoats 54/	6	6	u
	5 Sheep 40/ 1 Black Mare £8. her Colt £5	15	6	u
	White Horse £8. Sorrell Mare £12. Black Horse £6	26	u	u
	4 Grub 9 Hous 12/ 2 Axes 8/ 1 P ^r l ^r edges 6/	1	6	u
	6 Cold Hoes 10/ Shovel & Tongs 5/ 2 Augers. Hand & longspind saw 22/6	1	17	6
	Heathcote & foot Adz 2/6 2 plow bottles & 3 Blows Irons 4/ 18/	1	6	u
	Pol & Hooshs 10/ Pol & Hanger 20/ Pol & Hooshs 12/6	2	2	6
	1 old Baken 2/6 Killing hoe 2/ 6 Cows £88	18	4	6
	3 Horses £6 3 Yearlings £3. 15 1 Hilt £12. 10	22	5	u
	4 Hides 20/ 2 wooden Wheels 12/ 1 leather wheel 3/	1	15	u

1 Loom 10/ Chest 10/ 1 Fiddle 20/ Chest 20/	3	-	-
Table 35/ 6 old chairs 8/ Linen Wheel 12/	2	15	-
1 old Saddle 6/ Bedstead 10/		16	-
2 Beds 2 Augs 1 Blanket. Counterpane & Sheet	16	-	-
2 Butter pots & Mug 8/ 10 old Scrap Books & Branding Iron 7/6	15	6	-
1 old Steelyards 9/ 4 Slays 10. Trunk 12/	1	2	9
1 Table 35/ 2 Butter pots 4/6 6 Leather Chairs 60/	5	0	6
6 Leather Chairs 30/ Desk 120/ Table 27/6	8	17	6
1 Sofa 40/ trunk 8/ Gun 20/ Warming pan 10/	3	18	-
1 old Steelyards 7/6 Brass Skittate 6/ 15 plates 16/	1	9	6
3 old Dishes 8/ 4 old Basons 12/	1	-	-
1 Quart. half pint pots & 4 Spoons 6/		6	-
1 Bed & Bedsteads & furniture	9	10	-
Looking Glass 1/ Parcel Books 15/		16	-
1 Grid Iron 1/3 Candlestick & Snuffers & 3/		4	3
2 Augs 2/6 Linen Wheel 2/ Fryg pan 6/ Drawing knife 2/		12	6
Iron Stand 1/6 Crofs leggd Table 1/3		2	9
80 Barrells Corn £40. 18 Barre. Short D. £5.8	45	8	-
Parcel Nubbings 12 Fodder 7/9	4	2	-
Tub of Meal £9. Salt Gbask 2/6. 3 Bee Hives 20/	10	2	6
Spice Mortar & Pestle 20/ Drawing knife 2/		12	-
1 Money Scales 1/3. 2 Bones Razor & Shave 3/9. Sauter & brace 3/9		8	9

In obedience to an Order of the⁴² Wthful Court of Guilford County to us directed
 We the Subscribers being first Sworn have valued & appraised the Estate
 of Christopher Hoopes died in Current Money as on the other side
 Given under our hands this 24th day of Febru^y 1785

John Dillard
 Patterson Fletcher
 Robertatham

At a Court held for Guilford County the 20th day of June 1785

This Inventory of the Estate of Christopher Hoopes dec^d was returned
 into Court & ordered to be recorded

Teste John Jameson C. C. Court.

Agreeable to an order of Culpeper Court Made the 17th May 1785
 Norman like the subscribers have inventoried & appraised the Estate of Joseph
 Joseph Norman dec^d. as follows. (to wit)

Inventory				
Negro Wench Hannah	30	-	1 Scythe	2 -
Negro Wench Venus	25	-	4 Pewter Spoons	1 3
Negro Wench Betty	80	-	1 Stone Saw. 1 Butler pole	7 -
Negro Wench Jude	95	-	3 Bowles & 2 Bawers	5 -
Negro Boy Zingo	45	-	2 Smoothg Irons	2 -
Negro Girl Doll	20	-	1 Walnut Chest	15 -
one Black Horse	13	-	1 Small Trunk	2 6
one Bay Mare	12	-	1 Coffee Mill	3 -
one Sorrell Mare	12	-	3 Narrow Axes	15 -
one Stone Coll	4	-	parcel hoppers Tools	15 -
one Cow & half	3	-	3 plow hoes & Brakes	1 5
one Do	2	10	3 Hames & braces	10
one Do	2	-	5 old Hoes	6 -
one Do	2	-	1 old Hand Mill	6 -
one Do	2	-	2 Cotton Wheels	12
one Do	1	10	2 Linen Do	15
one Do	1	10	3 Iron Potts	16
one Heifer	2	-	1 Dutch oven	6 -
one Do	1	5	1 Iron Skittelt	3 -
one Do	1	-	6 Knives & forks	2 -
one Small But	1	-	a parcel woodenware	10
one Small Steer	18	-	3 old Barrells	4 6
one Cow	1	10	a parcel of old Pewter	1 10 -
3 Huters as 21	3	3	1 Sifter 1/ 1 Ladle 1/	2 -
19 Head Hogs as 12	11	8	9 Hives of Bees	4 10 -
14 Head Sheep as 7 1/2	4	18	1 Dish	1 15 -
1 Box of furniture	4	10	1 Walnut table	1 5
1 Do	4	10	1 Pine table	7 6
1 Do	4	-	7 old Settling Chairs	10 -
1 Do	4	-	1 pair Steel Yards	5 -
a parcel of Box cloths	1	15	1 leaveng Flays	6 -
1 Gun 15 1/2 1 Pistol 6 1/2	1	1		
parcel Wood	12	6		
1 pair Irony Scales & Weighs	12	-		
1 Hone	2	6		
parcel old Books	12	-		
1 Ink Stand 1/ 1 Cloth brush 1/	2	-		
4 21 Bottles	1	3		
1 Sword & Bayonet	5	2 6		
1 large Gimblet	1	0		
1 P Pinchers	1	0		

Whole Amt £ 130 8 6

Harry Taliaferro

Wm. Vaughan

George Lynae

At a Court held for Culpeper County June 20th 1785

This Inventory was returned into Court & Ordered to be Recorded

Teste Jhn. Jameson C. C. Court

Carder In^o
Inventory

Inventory of sundries belonging to the Estate of John Carder dec^d

1 Cow & calf	Value	at	\$ 300 00
1 Do			300 00
1 Young Calf			10 15 00
1 Young Stear			15 00
1 Bed 11 Bolster. 1 Pillow 1 Counterpane 1 Bedstead			40 00 00
1 Bed 1 Bolster, 1 Pillow 1 Counterpane 1 do Reg 18 ^o			30 10 00
Blanket & 18 ^o do Bedstead			8 00
1 Large Chest			10 00
1 do Gilt trunk 2/6. 3 do Slays 7/6			9 00
2 do Pewter Dishes & 6 do Plates			8 00 9
7 do Pewter Basins			2 00
3 Pewter Spoons 1/3 do Knives & 3 forks 1/3			7 00 6
1 large Saggion Pott 5/1 small do 2/6			6 00
1 Dutch oven 3/1 3 G ^o Stone Jug 3/1			4 00
1 Stone water Pitcher 2/1 1 Butler pott 2/1			3 00
1 Dutch Stone Mug 2/1 18 ^o Chamber pott 1/1			6 00
4 wooden Bowles 4/1 1 small do Churn 2/1			15 00
1 Cotton ticut 5/1 1 do Flax do 1/1			9 00
1 Cow Rode 7/6 1 Iron Tish fork & Ladle 1/6			3 00
1 3 G ^o Stone Butler pott 3/1			1 00
1 do Tea pott, 1 Cream, 1 Mustard do & 1 Mug			4 00
3 do Wooden Pails 3/1 1 do Table 1/1			10 00 6
1 do 80 Gall Cask 3/1 1 Bee hive 7/6			
1 very small Grendel			
		£	21 7 1/2

Agreeable to an order of the leasurshipp^o Court of Guilford we the
Subscribers being duly sworn this day appraised the Estate of John
Carder dec^d as per Inventory above, testings our hands this 13th June
1785

Thos Brown
Harry Tallaforo
Wm Ball

At a Court held for Guilford County the 18th day of July 1785
This Inventory was returned into Court & Ordered

to be Recorded

Teste John Jamison C. C. Clerk

An Inventory of the Estate of John Thomas dec^d taken agreeable
to an Order of the Reverend Court of Sulphur County dated Feb 7 21 1785

Thomas Cash	\$ 13	8	3	1 Piece bar Iron	2	6
John 1 Red cow Quartering	3	-	-	1 foot Adze & Howell	5	-
1 Side Receiver	1	-	-	2 bottles of 5 newers forks	4	-
Inventory 1 Do. cow & half	2	-	-	1 piece Helt	2	-
2 calves	15	-	-	1 Gouge, 2 Chisels & 2	5	-
1 Red cow with calf	2	-	-	plane Iron. 110 lb. butter & S	15	-
1 do do do	2	-	-	1 brose cut saw & file	15	-
1 Side Receiver	1	-	-	3 Augers & boopers Ax	5	-
2 Red cows at 30¢	3	-	-	1 Skip carpenters ax	3	-
1 Dark Red Receiver	15	-	-	8 Deep Hooks	4	-
1 do do cow	1	10	-	1 brose Iron & Chisel	1	3
1 Saw & pigs	15	-	-	1 bed ax paul	1	6
5 Green Hogs	4	10	-	1 Hand saw	6	-
1 Mare	12	-	-	1 frying pan	3	-
460 Gall. Hyder at 6¢	11	10	-	3 Iron ledges	7	6
1 Side Sole leather	1	12	-	4 axes	6	-
11 Hyder baskets	3	18	6	3 killing Hoes	7	6
5 tubs	12	-	-	2 Quantity of old Iron	4	-
300 Hemp at 3¢	3	15	-	1 half Bush Measure	5	-
150 foot Walnut plank	12	6	-	1 Hammer	2	6
3 Raw Hides	1	4	-	1 Hatchle	18	-
1 tight Hhd.	5	-	-	1 Paper bitt	-	6
6 Hogs & hares	14	a	-	1 small Iron pott & Hooks	7	6
1 1/2 Mel. Yards	15	-	-	1 large do	10	-
1 1/2 Shoes	3	-	-	2 1/2 Bushells Salt	12	6
2 Sack bags	8	-	-	3 flax wheels	15	-
2 Stone potts	6	9	-	1 Grenot Stone	1	6
6 pucker basons	1	3	-	3 tubs	9	6
1 do Dishes	15	-	-	3 Bra Hives	12	-
12 do plates	12	6	-	1 Cart	1	15
1 Kennel & bark care	8	-	-	336 th Bracon at 6¢	8	8
1 Ladle & flesh fork	3	-	-	2 Hds. Rubbers	5	-
1 Candlestick Sug. & honey	8	6	9	9 barre Corn	10	-
2 Earthen Bowls	2	-	-	1 grow	2	-
1 do pott & oil	1	3	-	1 Hatchett	2	-
1 do do & fate	9	-	-	1 table	1	-
1 Lin. Candle Cox & Sug.	2	9	-			
1 Joiners rule & Mark p. Irons	2	6	-			
1 Chest	5	-	-			
1 Large Stone pott & fate	18	-	-			
1 Chest	5	-	-			
1 Cake of Tallow	2	-	-			
1 Side upper leather	5	-	-			
1 flour Bar	2	-	-			
1 Spoon moulds	10	-	-			
1 Horse flums	3	-	-			

Total 106 9

George Hume

Henry Lewis

Jas

Miche'l Yager

July 18th 1785 Returned into Court

Ordered to be Recorded

John Jameson Esq.

In the name of god Amen I Thomas Sims Senor of Brumfield Parish
 Sims Thos. and County of Hampshire being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and
 memory Thanks be given to god Therefore calling to mind the mortality of my
 body and knowing that it is Appointed for all men once to die to make and
 Ordain This my last will and Testament that is to say Principally and
 first of all I do give and Recommend my soul into the hand of Almighty
 god that gave it and my body I Recommend to the Earth to be buried in
 a decent Christian Burial at the Discretion of my Executors nothing doing
 but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the
 Mighty power of God and as touching such worldly Estate where with it
 hath pleased god to bless me in this life I give demise and Dispose of the
 same in the following Manner and form I Express

Item first of all I do Give and bequeath and bequeath to my eldest son
 Thomas Sims Senr. that part of my Estate that fell to him by division and
 Likewise I do give and bequeath to my son Thomas Sims my negro woman
 by name milley and her child to him and his heirs Lawfully begotten for
 ever. Likewise my son Thomas Sims Junior is to pay thirty pounds in golden
 Silver to my son William Sims Deceased Children six Pounds to each Child
 as they come of age and shew little debts Coming against me.

Item Secondly I do Give and bequeath to my son James Sims my negro man
 Peter and all that fell to him by Division to him and his heirs Lawfully begotten
 forever Likewise I do give and bequeath to Elizabeth Sims wife of James
 Sims my Great Looking Glass and I desire at her Death that one of their
 sons may have it.

Item Thirdly I do give and bequeath to my son Elijah Sims the land
 he lives on The garden excepted and Likewise a Negro boy by name
 Abraham and all that fell to him by Division to him and his heirs sons
 of his first wife Lawfully begotten forever.

Item Fourthly I do give and bequeath to my Daughter Lemay Bobo
 a negro woman by name Kate and all her Children and I desire if
 John Sims lives with Absalom Bobo and his wife untill he comes of age
 they may give him one of the Negro children if they see proper. These Negro
 woman Kate and all her children and all that fell to her by Division is to her
 her and her heirs Lawfully begotten forever.

Item Fifthly I do give and bequeath to my two Grand Daughters Lucy and Linnas Jones Daughters of my Daughter Sarah Jones deceased a Negro Woman by name Rose and a boy name Peter ^{and} all that part that fell to my said Daughter Sarah Jones by Division to them and their heirs Lawfully Begotten for ever. This Estate they are to Receive at the day of Marriage or coming to Lawful age -

Item Sixthly I do give and Bequeath to my son Zachariah Sims a Negro man by name Moses and all that fell to him by Division to him and his heirs Lawfully Begotten for ever

Item Seventhly I do give and Bequeath to my son Richard Sims a Negro woman by name Daphne, and likewise herly odd Acres of Land and all that fell to him by Division to him and his heirs Lawfully Begotten forever.

Item Eighthly I do give and Bequeath Ann Graves an Negro woman by name Winney and her Child and all that fell to her by Division to her and her heirs Lawfully Begotten forever

Item Ninthly I do Desire that my Feather bed and Furniture and what other things I possess may be sold to the highest bidder in the Family and the Money Rising therefrom be Equally Divided amongst all my Children -

And Lastly I do appoint my sons Thomas and James Sims my sole and sole Executors of this my last will and Testament hereby Revoking all former wills and Declaring this to be my my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand Seal This the 21st Day of April 1784

and Sealed and Declared

Thos Sims (T.S.)

Before us
Jas Sims
Edw Sims
William Mason

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 18th day of July 1785

This Last will and Testament of Thomas Sims dec^d was submitted to the Court by Thomas Sims one of the Exors therein named and was proved by the Oaths of Edw^d Sims & William Mason two of the Witnesses thereto & ordered to be Recorded And on the Motion of the said Executor Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form They having made Oath thereto and given bond & security according to Law Liberty being reserved for the other Exors therein named to Qualify when he may think fit

Teste John Jamison C. C. Clk

In Obedience to an Order of Culpeper Court We the subscribers being first sworn do Value and appraise the Shens and Personal Estate of James Pattle Esq^r in Current Money as follows

Inventory

Slaves Isaac	£ 100 ⁰ 0 ⁰
Do David	100 ⁰ 0 ⁰
Wenney & Child	100 ⁰ 0 ⁰
Sarah	60 ⁰ 0 ⁰
One Cow £2. 10. 1 Cow & half £3. 0. one 2 ^d £3	8 ⁰ 10 ⁰ 0
1 Do £2. 10. Two Yearlings £3 Two 2 ^d £1	6 ⁰ 10 ⁰ 0
One Cow & half £3 Seven Head Sheep £1. 11.	4 ⁰ 14 ⁰
One Bald Eagle Mare £15 One Bay 2 ^d £10	25 ⁰ 0 ⁰ 0
Two Sides of Leather 10/ One Desk £3. 10.	4 ⁰ 0 ⁰ 0
One feather Bed & furniture £8 One 2 ^d £8	16 ⁰ 0 ⁰ 0
One small Bed & bedstead £2 One table £1. 10.	3 ⁰ 10 ⁰ 0
Nine Chairs 18/ One Set Earthen plates 3/	1 ⁰ 1 ⁰ 0
Three pewter Dishes & nine plates £1. 13 One Brass Skillet 1/ 2 ^d 3 ^d 0	1 ⁰ 2 ⁰ 3 ⁰ 0
One Iron 2 ^d 2/ 4 ^d 2/ 6 ^d & two butter potts 17/ 6	19 ⁰ 6 ⁰
Seven bottles & 4 glass potts 4/ 6 One sugar box 12/ 6	9 ⁰ 0 ⁰
One side saddle £2 One Mans 2 ^d £2	4 ⁰ 0 ⁰ 0
Old knives & forks Ladle & flesh forks 6/ Old Scurch & Sine 2/ 6	8 ⁰ 6 ⁰
A parcel of wooden ware 6/ One Loan 1/ 6	7 ⁰ 6 ⁰
2 flax Wheels 4/ Two Raws hides 16/ 2 Whips & saws one cord 2 ^d £1. 13 2 ^d 10	1 ⁰ 14 ⁰ 0
One pair saddle bags 10/ parcel Coats & 1 ^d 4/	1 ⁰ 4 ⁰ 0
One Shot Gun 12/ Two Hachles 6/ parcel old Iron 6/	1 ⁰ 4 ⁰ 0

One of Steadyards 5/	Six pair old hards 7/6	£ 0. 12. 6	
four old Reap Hooks 1/	Draw y knife state Iron & Bronze 7/	8. 0	
Two old Razors Whip & Bone 5/6	four foils 2 Gemtells 2/-	7. 6	
One hand bellows 3/	Seven Axes £ 1. 17	Three Iron wedges 6/	2. 6. 0
Three plows 7/6	Three old Hitting hoes 4/		11. 6
2 Grubbing Hoes & Spade 12/	One pair Scales 6/		18. 0
Twingle Irons & Clevis 4/	Two carting wheels 5/		9. 0
1 hitting bar 6/	Two pots & Dutch Oven 18/		1. 4. 0
Two frying pans 2/	One powdering Tub 5		7. 0
Turning Lathe & tools 10/	One Chest of Tools £ 8		8. 10. 0
parcel of Corn £ 6	parcel of Bacon £ 4. 17. 6		13. 17. 6
Cake of Fattoo 2/	Earthen pott & Fat 10/		12. 0
Two Grind Stones 5/	Two Scythes & Gradles 18/		1. 3. 0
3 Marrells & two Tubbs 17/	parcel Wheat £ 1. 7. 0		2. 7. 0
parcel of Hogg's £ 6. 3. 6	Fire Songs 3/	piece of Shal & Shield 1/6	8. 0
One Chest 3/	Loom & Gear £ 1		1. 3. 0
Bushel & half Salt 6/	parcel Plank & Scantling 15/6		1. 1. 6
1 of Iron Shannels & Slide			10. 0

Bushrod Doggett
William Delaney
James Full

At a Court held for Guilford County Monday 18th July 1781

This Inventory was returned into Court and
Ordered to be Recorded in

Teste John Jameson Clk

Inventory of the Estate of John Broyle dec'd June 28th 1785

Broyle & Co.
Inventory

One Negro Woman £ 80	one Negro Child £ 20	£ 100 " 0 " 0		
1 Cow & half 5/	1 Small bull 18/-	3 " 8 " 0		
A parcel of Sash Iron & Brass bands	2 old Horse skins & 2 Cheers	1 " 5 " 0		
1 Auger 1 Apr. 1 Reap hook	1 Handsaw	12 " 0		
1 Bedstead 5/	1 Do 7/6	1 Cotton 4/	1 Linen wheel 6/-	1 " 2 " 6
2 old Tub 2/	1 Rolling wheel 6/	2 Kettles 1 pot & Hooks 24/	1 " 10 " 0	
1 pale & 2 Piggins 7/6	1 old Loom 6/-	13 " 6		
1 Bedstead bed & furniture		7 " 0 " 0		
One old Desk & Book case 15	1 of Steel 2 ands 15	a parcel Bolts 10/	2 " 0 " 0	
5 pewder plates 2 Dishes 3 Basons & 5 Spoons		18 " 0		
3 chains & 1 old table 8/	1 small Iron & 1 old Planch &	11 " 0		

1 Looking Glass 2/	1 Sett fire dogs & Iron Chain 6/	£ 0 0
4 Knives & 4 forks 2/	1 old Saddle & bundle 8/	10 0
5 old Hoes 5/	1 Chain 2/	2 old plows & Stocks 19/
		17 0
1 Yearling Skin 2/6	1 old Horse 39/	1 D ^o 5
		6 12 6
1 Mare & Colt 16	1 old Horse 35	
		41 0 0
3 Quater Spoons 9/	2 bolters & Hames 1/	1 Hares & 1 Shovel 5/
		5 9
1 old Aug & 1 old Pint Pott		
		2 0
1 Apr & Iron Spencers		
		7 3
1 P Taylors Shears		
		2 0
1 Heifer Yearling		
		1 0 0

Tachariah Waller
George Parsons } appraisers
Henry Towles }

At a Court held for Guilford County July 18th 1783

This Inventory was returned into Court & Ordered to be recorded

Teste John & Jameson C^l & C^l

In obedience to an Order of the Wth Court of Guilford for the
W^m Tappan Subscribers being first sworn Have appraised the estate of W^m Tappan
Inventory in current money as follows viz:

1 old Horse	£ 3 0 0	W ^m Tappan	£ 3 0 0
1 Mans saddle	7 6	1 Plated Spurs	6 0
1 old Waggon Wheels etc	9 0 0	1 Brauchbox	4 6
3 old leather collars	6 0	1 Curry Comb	1 6
1 Chain traces & 2 back bands	7 6	1 Horse Shoes & Iron for 2	0
2 old bridles	5 0	1 Leather collar	2 0
4 old ear bells & bear skins	6 0	James Enole's share of Hares	0 0
1 old Bag	1 6	W ^m Jenkins D ^o	3 0 0
1 Silver Watch	4 0 0	Total	30 9 6

July 18th 1783

Returned into Court & Ordered to be Recorded
Teste John & Jameson C^l & C^l

John Read
Frank Read
Jacob Coones

134 June 5th 1785
 Agreeable to an Order of Sulphur Court dated the 25th Feby
 1785 We the Subscribers being Sworn have Valued the estate of
 John Button Deed in Manner & Form Following (viz)

To one Negro boy Tom	£ 30.	One Negro Girl Milly	£ 22. 6.	£ 67. 0. 0		
One Ditto Anne	£ 15					
To one negro woman Named Sarah				65. 0. 0		
To one cow and calf & bell	£ 3. 5	To one cow & calf	£ 2. 15	6. 0. 0		
To four young cattle				4. 13. 0		
To one Mare				9. 0. 0		
To one Mare Colt				3. 10. 0		
To one sow & four Shoals				1. 10. 0		
To one feather bed & furniture and Bedstead				7. 0. 0		
To one Do		To one Do		5. 0. 0		
To one Chest & Trunk	9	To one table	1/3	10. 3		
To one flay Wheel	4	To four setting chains	5	9. 0		
To one Woollen Duff	2	To 2 boards	1	7. 0		
To one hand saw	5					
To a Parcel of old Tools	9	1 of Pledges	5	3 Acres	9	1. 3. 0
To one Mattock	4	1 of the Hordle	10	4 Sides	1/3	1. 2. 3
To one Flaw & stock	5	one Grindstone	3	a parcel of shoes	3	15
To 2 Pails, Baker & frying pan						11
To one Bell & trap	4	two traps & basket	3	two Piggins	1/2	9. 6
To one Mans saddle	5	one box Iron & heaters	5	one Mug	6	8. 6
one Buttery pott & Milk pan	2	two Punch Bowles	1/3			3. 3
To Parcel of Pewter	18	To Knives & forks	4	plundries	4	1. 2. 0
To one Flay Saddle	5	Baggs	5	one Spoon	6	11
To one Black Mare						11. 0. 0

The above Inventory was made by the Subscribers the day & Year
 above

August 15th 1785

Returned into Court and
 Ordered to be Recorded

Teste John Jameson C. C. C. C.

John Read

John Puller

Joseph Littleback

Randolph Stettard

135 In Obedience to an Order of Court to us directed like the
 Esther Tucker Subscribers being first Sworn have Appraised the Estate of Esther
 In my Tucker Deceased in Current Money as follows, "Court"

September 8th 1795

August 15th 1785
Returned into Court
and Ordered to be Recorded
Teste John Jameson C. C. C.

[illegible]

Wat^a due to Topy $\frac{3. 2. 10}{7. 0. 0}$ Error Excepted by John P. Cox
 August 15th 1785 This Amount was Sworn to and Court, Approved by
 the Court & Ordered to be recorded Teste John Tammam C. T. C.

136

1784 D^r William L. Williams in acct with James Williams as Guardian

Wm Williams
Guardian's A/c

May To Cash of John Williams Ind^r

\$ 11 4 0

1785 To Cash

12 0

To p^r Sheriff pay Sarg for negro girl

10

To p^r Cash of Pundleton for board

6 0 0

To p^r M^r McKee for clothg

6 0 0

\$ 14 6 0

To ballance as P^rcedit

8 6

\$ 22 12 0

Contra

6

1785 By the Rent of a Plantation for 84

\$ 10 0 0

Apr 16 By Cash 12

12 0

By hire of negro Harry for 84

\$ 12 0 0

\$ 22 12 0

E. & P James Williams

August Court 1785

This Guardian's account was approved by the Court & Ordered to be Recorded

John Jameson C. C. Clerk

1784 D^r Philip Williams in acct with James Williams Guardian

6

P. Williams
Guardian's A/c

To p^r M^r White for clothing

\$ 5 12 9

To p^r M^r White for Negro Jack

3 0

To p^r M^r White for

2 0

Dec 23 To p^r Lewis for Hatt

10 0

85 To p^r L. 2 1/2 p^r M^r Bonduroy at 6/1 thread

7 0

To p^r L. 1 1/2 p^r M^r Bonduroy at 2/0

2 6

To p^r Sheriff pay for Negro girl & Horse

12 0

Nov 4 To p^r M^r White for

8 0

To p^r M^r White for clothing

2 4 1

Apr 11 To Credit on Deeds to M^r White

2 6 10 1/2

18 To p^r M^r White for clothing

18

May 12 To p^r M^r White for

8

July 9 To p^r M^r White for

6 6

18 To p^r M^r White for

10 3

\$ 14 19 11 1/2

To ballance as P^rcedit

16 2

\$ 31

1785 By Hire of Negro James
for 84 \$ 12 0 0
By 2 Jack 1200 \$ 19 0 0
\$ 31 0 0

E. & P James Williams

August Court 1785

This account was returned

into Court; Approved of by the Court and Ordered to be

Recorded

John Jameson C. C. Clerk

137
Lewis

August 14th 1782

Received of John Brown Guarolt Three thousand
four Hundred forty one pounds, in Bonds & paper currency in full of all
my wife Mary Lewis's Estate also her three Negroes Simon, Charles &
Frank - William Lewis

to {Receipts
Brown

Gulphers County Court August 15th 1785

This Receipt was acknowledged
by William Lewis & Ordered to be Recorded
Sole John Samson C. C. Clerk

Waylands
Guardian
and

Dr Hannah Wayland orphan of Adam Wayland died to
Adam ttt Guardian

To Cash paid the Doctor for his attendance on a negro who died \$3.12

Contra

By the hire of a Negro

6⁰⁰
\$ 12.00

August Court 1785

This Guardian account was returned into Court
Approved of by the Court & Ordered to be Recorded

Sole John Samson C. C. Clerk

Sampson's
Guardian

No Obedience to an order of Gulphers County Court. We the
Subscribers met at Mr Mary Sampson's to settle an account of the
Guardianship of the Orphans of Mr John Sampson dec'd who informed us she had
kept no Particular account for several years past but that she was
certain she expended more on each of them than the Profits of their
parts of the estate amounted to, that all the Orphans except one
(a Girl about thirteen years old who now lived with her) had received their
respective parts, were well satisfied with them, & had given her
their Receipts for the same

Amrose Barbour

Sept 10th 1785

Sept 19th 1785 This account of the
Guardianship of Mary Sampson

George Hume
John Hume

Guardian to the Orphans of John Sampson was returned into Court and
Ordered to be Recorded Sole John Samson C. C. Clerk

139 In Obedience to the Worshipful Court of Surrogate the
 Wm Mitchell Subscribers being first Sworn have Valued the Slaves and
 Invaluable Personal Estate of Wm Mitchell dec'd & Estate as Followeth

One Negro Woman & Child	£ 100-0-0
One Feather bed & Furniture	7-0-0
One Ditto	7-0-0
One Iron pot & Hooks	4-0
One Desk	3-0-0
Two chests	8-0
Two Tables	11-0
One Case of twelve Bottles	12-0
Two Chairs	4-0
a pair of wood Piggins	1-6
One Wooding Wheel & Churn	15-0
One Linen Wheel	15-0
Three Axes	10-0
Tryng pan, Sixtongs Augurs, Chisels, Gouge and Shovel	8-0
Five earthen plates two Candle Sticks three bottles two glass bottles	7-0
clothes Brush Home & Shop three Books & Snuffers	6-6
Skillett and Spicemortar	12-0
a parcel of old Pewter	15-0
Two Buller Potts, 2 knives, seven Forks, Flesh Forks & Ladle	10-0
Box Iron & Heaters	5-0
Side Saddle Bridle & Reataz	2-0-0
One Mare & Bridle	9-0-0
One Smooth Gun	2-0-0
Two Trays	1-6
	£ 132-8-6

September 19th 1785

Returned into Court & James Wickman
 and Ordered to be Recorded & Benjamin Douglass
 John Norman
 Esq. John Jameson M. C. Clerk

Henry Green's
Will

I Henry Green of Fauquier County and State of Virginia
do make and Declare this to be my Last Will -

I Give to my Honorable Mother Mrs. Ann Green of Fauquier
County, all the Estate that I may be possessed of at my Death
both Personal & Real, and after her Death to be disposed of in
Manner following -

I Give to my Brother Willis Green one Negro Boy called
Lewis to him and his Heirs forever -

I Give to my Brother William Green one Negro Woman
called Lucy to him and his Heirs forever -

I Give to my Sister Ellen Duff Green all the residue of my
Personal Estate of whatsoever kind and wherever found to her
and her Heirs forever -

I Give whatever Lands I may dye possessed of after my Death
to my Mother's Death to my Brothers Willis Green William Green
and my sister Ellen Duff Green to be equally Divided between
them to them and their Heirs forever -

I do Nominate and appoint my Brother Willis Green sole
Executor to this my Last Will in Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed my seal this 6th Day of September
1782

Signed Sealed and Acknowledged
in the Presence of us

Henry Green (S)

John Lee
J Madison
Mary Madison

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 19th day of Septem-
ber 1785 This Last Will and Testament of Henry Green
decd was exhibited to the Court & was Proved by the Oaths of
John Lee & J Madison Deputies thereof & Ordered to be
Recorded

Done John Jameson C. C. Sec. 1785

141 In the Name of God Amen I John Maddox being of sound
John Maddox Memory and Good Understanding after Commending my soul
Wele to God who gave it me and my body to the earth. I do hereby
do make this my last will and Testament in Manner and
form following, that is to say -

Item I give and Bequeath to my best Beloved Wife Mary
Maddox Two Negroes fellows by the Name of Harry and Will During
her life and afterwards to be left at her Disposal -

Item I also Bequeath to my Beloved Wife Mary all my Stock of
every kind Whatsoever During her Life at thereat to be at her
Disposal Giving the same to Whomsocver she Pleases -

Item It is also my desire after my Decease that she possess with
out any Molestation all my Household Furniture of every kind
such as Beds & Bedding and all that I now possess to be at her
Disposal. and as she will think most convenient and in case my
Wife should suddenly Depart this uncertain life it is my desire
that the aforesaid should be equally Divided between all my children
Item I also give and Bequeath to my Children me, Laquai Bech
of my Uncle In^o Maddox's Estate to be equally Divided between
them The above is my Last will and Testament, Revoking and
Disannulling all others Heretofore made and do appoint my
Beloved Wife Mary Maddox to be my Sole executrix Hereunder
hand and Seal this 25th Day of May 1782

Witness

John Maddox (S.S.)

Wm Davis } At a Court held for Culpeper County the 19th day of October
James Withers } 1785 This Last will and Testament of John Maddox
S^r of the said County was exhibited to the Court by the Executrix therein named &
was proved by the Oath of James Withers a Witness thereto and
Ordered to be Recorded And on the Motion of the Executrix Curle
cate is granted her for Obtaining approval thereof under form
she having made oath thereto & Given bond & Security according to
Law
- To be John Jameson C. C. Secy

142. Janny Fowler to Rufel Vauton - D. Who acts as Guardian to Fowler

Janny Fowler 1784
Guardian
 To 5 Yards Whinty 2/10 To 1/2 Yd Red Shalloon at 4/ - £3 3 6
 To 2 1/2 Yards Muslin at 8/6 To 1/2 Yd little piece Linen 3/ - 1 1 0
 To 1/2 Yard Wh Linen 3/9 To 1/4 Yd Silk 4/6 - 8 3
 To 1 Yard Lace 3/6 Yards 2° at 1/6 - 6 6
 To 2 Yards Ribbon at 1/3 To 1 Yd Lace 4/ - 2 10
 To 1 Oz. Wh. Thread 1/6 To 1 Cantrich Hantky 4/9 - 6 3
 To 1/2 Yard White Linen 1/12 To 1/2 Yd Colours Thread 2° - 1 3 2
 To 1/2 Yards Colours Thread 1/3 To 1/2 Yd Knife 7/ - 2 3 2
 To 1/2 Yards Lace 1° To 1 Yard Ribbon 1/6 - 2 10
 To 1 Yard Gause 3/ To 1/2 Yards 1° - 4 0 8
 To 1 Yd 2/6 To 1 Yd Holland Duck 2/ - 4 6
 To 1 Yd Black Gause 1/3 To 2 Yards Silk 6° - 5 9
 To 1/2 Yd Shoes 8/4 To 1/2 Yards White Linen 5/8 - 13 7
 To 1 Yard White Linen 3/6 To 1 Yd Gause Hantky 2/6 - 6 8
 To 1/2 Yd Knitting needles 7/2 To 1/2 Yd Shoe buckles 2/ - 2 7 2
 To 5 Yards Cheap Hantky at 3/6 - 17 6
 To 1/2 Yards 2/6 To 1/2 Yards White Linen 7/11 - 10 5
 To 1/2 Yards silk at 7/6 1/2 Yd board 6° - 9 10
 To Cash - 12 2
 Aug 31. To 6 Yards Whinty at 7/6 To 1/2 Yards Wh. Linen at 3/6 - 18 1 1/2
 To 1/2 Yards Wh Linen at 3/6 To 1/2 Yd thread 2/ - 6 1 1/2
 To 1/2 Yards Whinty Gause at 3/6 - 5 0
 To 1/2 Yard Catgut - - - 9
 £ 13 6 9 3/4

1784 Contra

By the Hon a negro girl

Ballance due

E. E. Rufel Vauton

£ 8 8

4 18 9 3/4

At a Court held for Guilford County the 17th day of October 1785
 This account of the Guardianship of Rufel Vauton Guardian to
 Janny Fowler was this day returned, Sworn to, & Approved by the
 Court & Ordered to be Recorded

Teste

John Jameson W. C. Cud

143

Memorandum of the Verbal Will of Henry Green. Deceased
 Late of the County of Fayette as expressed by Him at the House
 of Major James Green Yesterday about Seven Hours before
 his Decease, in presence of the Subscribers who believed Him
 to have been at that time in his perfect Senses both in Mind &
 Memory, and having called us the Subscribers Together, Informed
 us that it was for the purpose of Declaring that his will and desire
 was that his Mother Ann Green should during her Natural
 Life Enjoy her whole Estate Real and Personal, and that after
 her Decease it should be Equally divided between His Brother
 William Green & Sister Eleanor Buff Green Their Heirs and
 Assigns for ever. That is His whole Estate Real and Personal
 after the Decease of his said Mother to be Equally divided between
 his said Brother and Sister their Heirs and Assigns forever and
 that Notwithstanding a Written Will which he had made
 some time since and Lodged in the County of Orange, which
 said Will, He declared now to be Void and of no force or effect
 altho' it was not in his power to procure it in time to destroy it
 Himself or words to that import, and wished the above foregoing
 Will to have been Methodically committed to Writing in
 Manner and form according to Law, or to that effect but no person
 being convenient to do it. Was neglected. However he frequently
 desired us to take notice that the foregoing words or others to the same
 effect, was his last will, and desired it might be remembered &
 observed as such. Given under our hands this 30th day of July
 1785

but paper fil.

This day came before me James
 Green, Benj^d Litch & Joel Guatine & made
 oath to and subscribed the above Memorandum
 testified 30th July 1785

John Rhode

James Green
 Benj^d Litch
 Joel Guatine
 John Green

A Court held for Culpeper County the 17th day of October 1785

This Memorandum of a Verbal Will of Henry Green deceased as sworn to before John Brodie Gent. was produced into Court and was proved in Court by the Oaths of John Green & Benj^r Field two of the Jurors thereto. And ordered to be recorded. And on the Motion of William Green Letters of Administration with the Will annexed is granted him he having made Oath thereto And given bond and Security according to Law

Teste John Jameson C. C. C.

Henry George
Will

In the name of God Amen I Henry George of the County of Culpeper being Intitled in the Regular Service in behalf of the Common wealth having a small Legacy Left me by my father & considering the uncertainty of human Life do leave it as follows. To wit one Negro Girl named Rose and thirteen Pounds Eleven Shillings to be duly be divided between my six Sisters and to be to them and there heirs for ever in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this Nineteenth day of January one thousand seven hundred & seventy seven in presence of
Richard George Gaines
James Gaines

Henry George (L.S.)

A Court held for Culpeper County the 17th day of October 1785

The Last Will and Testament of Henry George, who Intitled in the Army in 1776 and was made Prisoner in 1779. And has not been heard of since on a presumption of his Death the said Will was proved by the Oaths of the Jurors thereto And ordered to be recorded.

Teste John Jameson C. C. C.

145) Agreeable to an order from the Worshipful Court of butchery
 in Coler's County (for the Appraisalment of the Estate of M^r John Coler dec^d) I have
 Invented we have appraised the said Estate according to said
 Order an Inventory of which followeth

Negro Harry £80. Tony £60.	140	5	8	Two Sighles 22 shot Sighthes L	6	in
Man £60. Sawney £70	130	in	in	A Parcel of Seeces	6	in
William £70. Lydell £70	140	in	in	An old table 6. 2 Walnut 17 1/2	14	in
Indian	25	in	in	An old Table 7 1/2 7 Chairs 9 1/2	17	in
Ten Head Sheep	2	10	in	An old Walnut Chest	6	in
Twenty one head Hogs	8	15	in	A black 6. 3 boxes of Sub 6 1/2	6	in
One Lovell Horse	15	in	in	15 1/2 Wood 2 7/8	18	9
One Bay D ^r	8	in	in	Three Potts coverd & frying pan	1	6
One Lovell Mare	15	in	in	Two Iron Potters	3	in
One Black Mare	5	in	in	2 1/2 pot Hobs 3 1/2 1/2 3 1/2	1	13
One Yearling Colt	3	in	in	Wardle Mould 1/6. Wood 1/2 1/2	2	9
5 Head Cattle	8	10	in	Parcel knives & forks & common	7	6
Old Stile £5 Apple Miller 20	6	in	in	2 1/2 Hobs 2 1/2 1/2 1/2	8	in
Five old boxes	1	in	in	Two Hobs for Potts	1	6
Wagon Lock Chack & Key	10	in	in	Two Sighthes	3	in
Seven Copley boxes	2	2	in	bulley bone & knife	10	in
Three Small D ^r 10 1/2 3 Roundlets	9	in	in	Two Dung forks	3	in
Two Potts 8/ 1/2 Old boxes 8/	16	in	in	All wooden & old dolls	10	in
Two old tubs & Churn 1/2 1/2 1/2	11	in	in	All wooden Wheel & Pumps Plate	9	6
6 Stays & Harnes	1	12	in	A Bedstead 5 1/2 1/2 1/2	15	in
An old Linen Wheel & Reel D ^r	6	in	in	Five Potts	12	6
4 Sigs 9/ 1/2 Wheat Fan 20	1	9	in	Tab. made in year 1784	28	3 3
One Green Stone	1	6	in	One Dep of furniture & one old	10	in
One Linen Wheel	10	in	in	Horn Rasing Saw & Pliers & scales	10	in
a Smooth Gun	1	10	in	Spice Mortar & Pottle	10	in
Warks 9 bow Bows & Reels	12	in	in	Southorn & Hande stick	3	in
Two Spubs & Hobs & Mattack	12	in	in	Old better boards & bottle	1	3
Two old Plovers	6	in	in	Two Potters & Pliers D ^r	2	6
A Saddle & Saddle bags	1	15	in	Darken pot & Pliers	2	in
Four Potting Hoes	10	in	in	Lock 7 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2	1	in
Five Weeding D ^r	10	in	in	A parcel of old leather 5 1/2	16	5
Two Sowers, 1/2 plane. 1/2 D ^r 2	1	10	in	One old 5 1/2 young Grace	1	in
Parcel Hobs & Pliers & Pliers	1	10	in	Two squares	6	in
Crop but saw 8/ 1/2 1/2 1/2	16	in	in	A parcel of old Sighthes	8	in
A parcel of Cooper's & Carpenter's	1	15	in	A Slay	4	in
3 Boxes of old Iron & Pliers	15	in	in	Much Coler 100 Acres land	60	in
Shoe Hammers & Pliers	2	6	in	In Coler 100 D ^r	75	in
Adze 2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2	12	6	in	200 feet 3/4 Plank 2 1/2 1/2	5	17
Parcel of old Iron & Pliers	10	in	in	2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2	2	6
2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2	7	6	in	2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2	2	6
2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2	7	6	in	2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2	2	6

28th November 1785 This
 Inventory was taken & sworn to by
 and ordered to be recorded
 Teste John Jameson & Co. Sec^y

Paul Leatherer's

Will

In the Name of God Amen. I Paul Leatherer of the County
 of Suffolk being in perfect health and soundness of Memory
 thanks be to God for the same but knowing the certainty of
 Death and that there is a time for all men once to die. I do
 appoint this my Last Will and Testament and desire it may
 be rec^d by all men as such as utterly revoke all former
 Wills by me made and with what worldly goods the Lord hath
 blessed me with it is my desire that they may be disposed of
 in the following Manner. I give my body to
 the ground from whence it was taken to be decently buried
 at the discretion of my Executors hereafter mentioned looking
 for the great day of Judgment when I shall appear before
 the Tribunal of God Almighty to make ans^r for the sins
 committed in this Life where I hope through the Merits of
 my Blessed Redeemer Jesus Christ to find Pardon &
 Remission for all my sins and I do hereby desire that
 all my worldly Estate both Real & Personal may be
 distributed in the following Manner to-wit -

Item I lend to my Dearly beloved Wife Margaret Leatherer,
 all my Estate both Real & Personal during her Natural Life -

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Daughters Margaret Leatherer
 after her Mothers Decease One Negro Girl Named Hannah One Bed
 and furniture (which is now called hers) And one Cow and half her
 Choice which I Give to her and her heirs forever

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Susanna Leatherer
 One Bed and furniture and one Cow & half to her and her heirs
 forever

Item It is my desire that all the residue of my Estate (not
 already given) after my wifes decease may be equally divided

Amongst all my children I will Michael Leatherer, Nath^l
 Leatherer, Samuel Leatherer, John Leatherer, Paul Leatherer
 Joshua Leatherer, Susannah Leatherer, Mary Gowell and
 Margaret Leatherer all which I do give to them and their
 Heirs forever—

Lastly I constitute and appoint my dearly belov'd Wife, Margaret
 Leatherer and my loving Sons John & Joshua Leatherer Executors
 of this my last Will and Testament In Witness Whereof
 here unto set my hand and Seal this 5th day of Novemb^r 1780

Sealed and delivered

in presence of } John ^{his} Gowell
 Jⁿ. Hume } mark
 James ^{his} ~~in~~ Grace mark

Paul Leatherer Lth

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 25th day of November 1780

This Last Will and Testament of Paul Leatherer dec^d was
 exhibited to the Court. And was proved by the Oaths of two of the
 Witnesses thereto And Ordered to be Recorded. And on the Petition of
 John Leatherer & Joshua Leatherer two of the Executors therein
 named Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof
 in due form they having made Oath thereto And given bond
 and Security according to Law. Margaret Leatherer the Executrix
 therein named refuses to take upon herself the said Oath
 And Abides by the Provision made for her in the said will last by
 a Certificate filed in Court —

Teste John Jameson C^l of Court

In the name of God Amen I Robert Shottwell of the County of
 Rob Shottwell Culpepper being much indissolved and weak in body but of sound
 Will
 & perfect memory Do appoint and constitute this my Last Will
 and Testament in manner and form following, viz. In the first
 place of my desire that my FT Land may be sold for Gold or
 Silver together with the Whole of my personal Estate, except Munk
 & the Land on w^{ch} I now reside, both of w^{ch} I lend to my wife Hannah
 till her decease or marriage, after w^{ch} both are to be turned
 immediately into Cash and equally divided among my
 Children then living beginning with the eldest, that is to say,
 with Reuben & Anne & so by Rotation down to Elender the Young-
 est & also the Child or Children if any with w^{ch} she may or
 might be pregnant with at my Decease. My estate is also to be
 sold with the above personal Estate before mentioned & my
 further desire that as much Money may be taken out of the Prin-
 cipal as will raise my Youngest Children till they arrive to
 lawful age or intermarry. I do appoint as Executors to this
 my Last Will and Testament, Henry Hill, Henry Fowles & John
 Withersall, son of George Dec. & I w^{ch} under my hand & Seal
 this 5th day of October 1785 -
 Signed Seal & Delivered in
 the Presence of - - -

Rob Shottwell (L.S.)

C. Minor

At about held for Culpeper County the 21st day of November 1785
 This Last Will and Testament of Robert Shottwell decd was exhibited to the
 Court and was proved by the Oath of Cwen Minor the Clerk thereof & Elender
 to be recorded. The Executors therein named were in Court and refused to
 take upon themselves the burthen thereof and on the Motion of Hannah
 Shottwell Widow and Rebeck of the said Dec^d Letters of Administration with the
 Oath annexed w^{ch} and others she having made Oath thereof and given bond &
 security according to Law. Este John Hemmick & C. Clerk

Culpeper Co. We the Subscribers being first sworn have
Appraised the estate of Thomas Bywaters dec'd. as she comes by
the Administration as of the above Inventory Given under our hands
this 25th day of February 1785

November 22^d 1785.

Frank Read

John Read

Joseph Duncan

Returned into Court and Ordered to
be recorded - Teste John Jameson C. C. Clerk

Geo. Woffenbarger In the Name of God. Amen. I George Woffenbarger of the
Parish of St. Marks in the County of Culpeper and State of Virginia
being at this time very sick and weak but blessed be God as
perfect since do make this my last Will and Testament in
manner following —

1st I commend my Body to the earth to be decently buried & my soul
to the Almighty God who gave it —

2^{dly} After all my Just debts are Discharged I leave to my beloved wife —
Elizabeth all my Estate both Real and Personal During her Widowhood
on Natural Life for the Maintenance of herself and my Children to
be under the Direction of my Executors hereafter named Then to be
equally divided amongst my Six Children, Ulysses, Catharine, Sally,
George, Hannah and John & their Heirs, And if my beloved wife is
now with Child the same to have an Equal Proportion with the

Others —

3^{dly} I desire that when my Youngest Child Marries or comes
Age my Estate shall be divided amongst my said Children as
above mentioned. Allowing my said wife One third part for her
Maintenance during her Natural Life —

4^{thly} In case any of my said Children should die before they Marry
or come of age that part of my Estate allotted for such Child on