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The provision made for me by such Will, or any part thereof
 and do hereby renounce all benefit which I might
 claim by such Will - and that I will and take such part
 of the Estate as by the Law of the Land I am intitled to
 take, have and receive. In Witness of all which I do
 hereto set my hand and Seal at Franklin Courthouse
 the day and year above written
 Signed, Sealed & delivered in our presence, Elizabeth Early (Seal)
 Nathl McClaborne, Patrick Hix

At a Court held for Franklin County September 3^d 1804
 This declaration of Elizabeth Early, Widow of John Early
 deceased was proved by the oath of Patrick Hix and Nathaniel
 McClaborne the witnesses hereto and ordered to be recorded
 Wm. James Attorney & Fil

John
 Bowman
 Will
 &c?

I John Bowman of Franklin County in the State of Virginia
 do hereby make my last Will and Testament in manner &
 form following that is to say 1st I desire & bequeath
 unto my wife Elizabeth for the period of ten years from my
 decease the Plantation on which I now reside, also the sum
 of Two hundred pounds Virginia currency as her own absolute
 property, together with one horse to be chosen by herself from
 my Stock of horses, two cows to be chosen in some manner
 four head of Sheep, the third part of the Kitchen furniture,
 two Beds and furniture, one Chest containing her wearing
 apparel, also my family Bible; also two hogs the choice of
 my Stock, and to leave the Plantation at the expiration of
 Ten years as nearly as possible in the same manner that
 she receives it, wear and Tear excepted, also it is my Will
 that my wife Elizabeth should occupy and have the benefit
 of all the improvements comprehended in my Tract of Land
 containing five hundred acres. 2^d I desire that at my
 decease that all the rest of my moveable property be
 appraised, and that my wife Elizabeth may, if she chooses it
 retain in her possession for the period of ten years, said
 property, at the appraised value, returning property of the same
 kind to the same value at the expiration of Ten years, if
 my wife Elizabeth should choose to sell the above moveable
 property then the money arising from such Sale to be
 equally divided amongst all my Children. 3^d It is
 my Will and desire that at the expiration of Ten years
 from my decease all my property real and personal be
 sold by my Executors and equally divided amongst all my

Children. 4th I hereby appoint as my Executors, my friends Enoch Brower and Henry Eckenberry, to this my last Will and Testament, revoking all other Wills, or Testaments by me made, and I enjoin it on my said Executors to obtain security from my wife Elizabeth for the faithful return of what part of my estate is loaned to her at the expiration of ten years as above mentioned
 Signed, Sealed, published & declared as for the last Will & Testament of the above ^{named} John Bowman in presence of us

John ^{his} Bowman Seal
 mark.

Arthur Robertson,
 John Kofstinger
 John Eckenberry.

At a Court held for Franklin County September 3^d 1804

This last Will and Testament of John Bowman deceased was proved by the oath of John Kofstinger and John Eckenberry two of the witnesses hereto, and ordered to be recorded. and on the motion of Enoch Brower and Henry Eckenberry the Executors herein named, who solemnly affirmed agreeable to the forms of their Religion, and as the Law in such cases direct, and together with Isaac Miller and David Sanders their Securities entered into and acknowledged their Bonds in the sum of one thousand dollars conditioned according to Law, Certificate is granted them for obtaining a Probate in due form

Teste, James Callaway, C. C.

Wm Toney's
 Will
 Ec^d

In the name of God, Amen. I William Toney of Franklin County and State of Virginia being Weak in body but of sound mind and memory, blessed be God for his mercies, do this eight day of November in the year of eighteen hundred and four, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following my soul I commend to Almighty God, who gave it me, and my body to the Earth from whence it came in hopes of joyful resurrection through the merits of my Saviour Jesus Christ, and as for that worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with, I dispose thereof as follows First of all I give unto my well beloved wife Margaret Toney her maintenance out of my Estate, and one feather Bed & furniture, two Milch Cows, two hogs, one Christ and all the Kitchen Furniture. I give and bequeath unto my son Littlebury Toney, Marion Toney, now Marion Woodson, Elizabeth Toney now Elizabeth Bates, Abigail Toney now

Inventory of
John
Bowman's
Estate
Etc.

Agreeable to an order of Court to us directed We have met at the dwelling house of John Bowman deceased on this		
14 th day of September 1804 and proceeded to appraise the following property of the said John Bowman deceased		
To 1 Saw and three Sholes		£1. 10. "
7 Sholes .. at		2. 2. "
1 young Saw		" 9. "
2 Heifers £3. 1 cow £2. 14. To 1 Bull 1. 19.		7. 13. "
1 Small Bull £1. 10. To 1 Cow £2. 8.		3. 18. "
1 Cow & Bull £2. 14. To 1 Cow £2. 8.		5. 2. "
1 Cow £2. 8. To 1 Cow £2. 11. To 2 Heifers £3. 12.		8. 11. "
18. Sheep £2. 8. To 1 bell 3/ To 4 Yearlings £2. 17.		5. 8. "
1 horse £28. To a horse £24.		52. " "
1 Waggon. 1 pair of shafts & 6 to 6 chain		25. " "
1 lock chain 8/. To Slice 3/. 1 Iron tooth Harrow 8/		" 19. "
2 bare share plows & two clevises.		1. 10. "
To Hay Lathen and bolter 6/. To a quantity of Planks		1. 4. "
a quantity of Planks 12/		" 12. "
4 pair of Waggon gears		4. 15. "
1 butting Box 15/ to Tub 2/ to 2 dung Hooks & fork.		1. 4. "
To 3 hay forks 1/6 To Windmill Kiddles		2. 9. 6
1 barrel 1/6 To 14 pair of bone Chimes		25. 1. 6. 6
To a quantity of Hemp 30/. a quantity of flax 15/		2. 5. "
To a quantity of Joint Shingles		" 10. "
To 3 hoes. 1 shovel, Mattock. 2. old Barrels		1. 4. "
To 2 pickling Tubs. Some old Baskets None & 1 troop		" 9. "
To 1 sack Screw 30/. 2 flax, 2 flax wheels, about red 15/		2. 5. "
To 1 cotton wheel 5/		" 5. "
To 1 Lumb and Tacklings		3. 8. "
To 170 lb. Hemp 12/ 1 Hackle 6/		2. 8. "
To a parcel of Ropes 4/. 4 Sittes 12/		" 16. "
To 7 bee hives 4/ 1/6 1 Brake 2/		2. 4. "
To 2 shovel plows 6/. 5 barrels 1 Tub. 1 fat tub		1. 7. "
To 1 young 3/ 1 old ox 1/6. 2 Iron Wedges		" 10. 0
To a quantity of bags, two Tubs, Churn and beam		" 14. "
To 1 grins Stone 3/ 1 Sape Tub 2/		" 5. "
To 2. 10. Gallon Potts. 2. 4. Gallon Potts, two small ovens,		} 3. " "
two Skillets with Lids.		
To 2 old Saddles 18/. 2 old Bristles 3/		1. 1. "
To 1 pair of stillards		" 10. "
To 2 drawing Knives 1 hand saw, four augers		} " 17. "
Some Chisels		
To 1 gun £3. 12. 0. one chest 18/ one Bed & furniture		7. 15. "
To 8. Sickles 12/ one half bushel 3/		" 15. "
To a quantity of sack Bags 3/ 1/6		1. 11. 6
To 2 flax wheels 30/ one Tub 2/		1. 12. "
To one Bed and furniture 26/ Shoemakers Tools 3/		1. 19. "
Amount carried forward		£5

Amount brought forward		L	
To a Bed and furniture	24/	1	4
To Stone and Pipe &c. 0. 0 Chest of Drawers 44/		9	
To Large Bible 24/ a quantity of old Books		2	14
To Trunked Bed and furniture			15
To 1 Table 21/		1	1
To Big boat 50/ one close body boat 36/		4	6
To 1 Boat 24/ 4 West boat 15/ one West boat		2	8
To 1 pair of Breeches 6/ one pair overalls 9/			15
To 2 pair of overalls 4/ one hat 4/			8
To 1 Gun 4/ 3 old coats. 2 West overalls 12/			16
To 3 pair overall and West coat 6/			6
To 2 pair of Shoes 10/ 4 old bears 6/			16
To 1 hair basket 1/6 3 pair Smoothing Irons			10 6
To 1 West boat 6/ 3 Lath Anvilles 3/			9
To 3 large brocks 1/6 217 Small brocks			7
To large Kettle 15/ 1 10 Gallon Coll 9/		1	4
To 1 small Skittell 2/6 a quantity of brocks 8/			10 6
5 brace Baskets 1/12 1 Dresser 40/		2	4
To 1 Ware 24/ Copper Tea Kettle 9/		1	13
Enthorn Ware 3/ Butler Ware 4/6/6		2	3 6
one Koster 6/			3
To Kitchen furniture		2	13
		187	16 0
To amount in Bonds and Notes		251	8 1
		L 439	4 1

Given under our hands the day and year first above written

John Nittinger
John Mahler
Joseph Flora

Enoch Brewer } Executors.
Henry Eckenburg }

At a Court held for Franklin County December 3^d 1801

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of John Bowman deceased, was returned and ordered to be recorded.

Teste. James Callaway C. C.

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Happy Tally deceased, was returned & ordered to be recorded

Teste James Ballaway C. F. C.

Inventory of Law Bowsman's Estate Examined	Agreeable to an Order of Franklin County Court to us directed	
	We this day proceed to value the personal Estate of Lawrence Bowsman deceased viz,	
	To 1 White face cow	\$ 3. 9. 0
	To 1 Heffer	" 15. "
	To 2 Barrows & 1 Cow	1. 7. "
	To 1 Mare	21. " "
	To 1 Leiting Box and Mife	" 9. "
	To 1 spare of Iron Traces	" 6. "
	To 1 Bake Iron	" 8. 4
	To 1 spare of Shilgards	" 6. "
	To 1 Flax Shackle	" 9. "
	To 1 Spice Morter	" 3. 6
	To 1 Kell	" 3. "
	To old Iron	" 1. 6
	To 1 pot Rack and Tongs	" 7. 6
	To 1 Iron pot and hooks	" 7. 6
	To 1 Iron Pot	" 7. 6
	To 1 Churn	" 6. "
	To 1 Minnet	" 5. "
	To 1 Cheek Wheel	" 7. 6
	To 1 arm Chcar	" 4. 6
	To 1 Loom	2. " "
	To 1 himm Book	" 4. 6
	To Walnut Chest	" 12. "
	To hammer	" 1. 6
	George Bowsman Defted to the Estate the sum	60. " "
	The whole amount	\$ 93. 9. 10

Valentine Oiler
James Green
William Whitewood

At about held for Franklin County July 4th 1808
This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Lawrence Bowsman deceased, was returned & ordered to be recorded

Teste
James Ballaway C. F. C.