

Jn^o. Wyottt

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In the name of God Amen the sixth day of April in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and ninety six. I John Wyottt of Franklin County State of Virginia, being very Weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be to the Lord, calling to mind the immortality of my body, and thought proper to make this my last Will and Testament as followeth, viz. I recommend my soul into the hands of him that gave it, secondly I recommend my body to the Earth from whence it was taken, to be buried in Christian like, and decent manner first all just debts being paid out of my moveable Estate, & further I give unto my beloved Wife Alice Wyottt, one best Bed State Two cows, six sheep, and house furniture for a comfortable life, and likewise a creature to her own use and her Saddle, and the remainder of the moveable Estate to be divided among all my Children, for every one to have an equal share, and secondly I give unto my eldest Son Edward Seventy acres of Land whereon he now dwelt, out of which he the said Edward is to pay ten pounds lawful money of Virginia for his part to his Sisters as soon as they shall arrive to their lawfull age, that is five pounds to my Daughter Gome, and five pounds to Sarah, and then he the said Edward is to hold the same tract of Land for ever, his Heirs, or assigns, and further I give unto my son Elijah Seventy acres whereon he now dwelt, for which he is also to pay ten pounds, to be paid unto his two Sisters in like manner, with his brother Edward, to have and to hold it in like manner, and further I give unto my son Solomon Seventy acres beginning at William Peter Martin's Spring House, and so extending up the run the side of the meadow ground forty pole from thence to the back Line, west to Elijah, and so along containing seventy acres for which he is to pay fourteen pounds lawfull money unto his two Sisters in the same manner like his brother Edward, and to have and to hold the same in like manner, and further I give unto my son Thomas seventy acres adjoining Jesse Dehaven, Solomon and Elijah including part of the old place, for which he the said Thomas is to pay Twelve pounds unto his two Sisters to be paid in the manner before mentioned, and further I give unto my two Sons John and Andrew all the remainder of the Land to be equally divided among the two at the death of my wife Alice, out of which they shall pay twenty pounds unto their two Sisters, to be paid when Andrew has arrived to his lawfull age, and further - is my will that my wife Alice shall have peaceable living and dwelling on the same place with the

Children under age. And lastly I make and ordain my wife Alice and my Son Edward Executors of this my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day and year above written. W.B. the House Furniture which shall be in the hands of my wife at her death shall fall to my two Daughters, Jane & Sarah Test.
 Geo. Feather }
 Susanna ^{her} Feather } Isaac Behaven.
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At a Court held for Franklin County at the Courthouse the 7th day of June 1802 This last Will and Testament of John Wyott deceased was produced in Court by Alice Wyott the Executrix, and Edward Wyott the Executor herein named & proved by the oath of Abraham Behaven and Isaac Behaven two subscribing witnesses and ordered to be recorded and on the motion of the said Executors, who made oath according to Law and together with John Rose and Thomas Kemp their securities executed bond in the penalty of two thousand dollars conditioned according to Law, Certificate is granted them for obtaining a Probate in due form.

Teste, James Callaway & Thos.

State of Virginia, Pittsylvania County.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions continued and held for said County County the 23rd day of May 1787.

On hearing the complaint of Deborah Payne by her Counsel, setting forth that she is a free person, and was brought out of the State of Maryland without the leave of her parents and sold as a Slave by one Leonora Smith, that she has been several times since sold & conveyed as a Slave, and is now held in Slavery by a certain Walter Gwilt of this County, who became purchaser from a certain Thomas Livery of the County of Franklin, who likewise became a Purchaser from a certain William Dewnport, and praying that she may be relieved by an act of Assembly in that case made and provided: Whereupon several witnesses were produced, sworn and examined on the part and behalf of the said Complainant. On consideration whereof, the Court is of opinion, that the said Deborah Payne is a free person, therefore it is ordered that she be forthwith discharged from Slavery, and that the said Walter Gwilt pay to the Complainant her costs by her expenses in this motion - Complainants Costs 1/2 of Tobacco & 15/ a Copy. Teste, Jas. Alkin. Clk. Pl.

Franklin County, August 4th 1807. amount of the presentment
of John Wyatts debts deceased. Samuel Lockman, Matthew Farmer,
Thomas Camp appraisers.

Inventory
of John
Wyatts
Estate.
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1 Chest and Table	£ 2. 8. 0
1 Bed and furniture	8. 0. 0
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1 Cotton Wheel	0. 9. 0
1 Flax d ^o . and reel	0. 18. 0
1 Bed and furniture	5. 0. 0
4 Chairs	0. 6. 0
1 Shot Gun	1. 10. 0
Earthen Ware	0. 16. 8
Tin Ware	0. 9. 0
Knives and forks	0. 6. 0
2 Bottles	0. 2. 0
2 Pewter dishes 8/ 3 basons 15/	1. 3. 0
11 pewter plates 1 pair cotton Gears	0. 17. 6
bande Stick and Snuffers	0. 1. 6
3 Glasses 1 big Kettle	1. 5. 6
2 dutch ovens	0. 13. 0
1 Iron pot 3 Ladles 1 flesh fork	0. 18. 0
Fire Tongue Shovel 4 poker	0. 11. 0
1 frying pan	0. 4. 0
2 augers 1 chest	0. 7. 0
5 Water Wapels	0. 10. 0
Cooper Tools	0. 18. 0
2 Tubs 2 Augs	0. 7. 6
1 Lume 2 Lardles	4. 3. 0
1 pair Gears 1 pot Rack 6 Axes	1. 3. 0
1 Shovel 2 forks	0. 10. 0
1 tray, bask, and Tub 1 Coffee Mill	1. 0. 0
2 axes 2 Slays 1 bag	1. 2. 6
Gutteries gramer	1. 4. 0
Sundry books, bareshare plow & clevice	2. 8. 0
1 Shovel plow	0. 6. 0
1 Shovel plow & clevice	0. 8. 0
13 bee Skinds	3. 18. 0
1 Cotton Gin	0. 16. 0
15 Gease	1. 16. 0
3 cows and calves	9. 0. 0
2 Hens 1 Shear	3. 18. 0

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of the
James
Estate
Ex^r

1 Cow and calf	£3. 0. 0
7 Sheep	2. 16. 0
1 Gray Mare	12. 0. 0
1 black d ^o	23. 0. 0
120 bushell of Wheat, at 2/6	15. 0. 0
50 bushell of Rye	5. 0. 0
1 flat Iron & Sickles	0. 8. 0
20 bushell of oats	1. 5. 0
12 hogs	6. 15. 0
2 Ads	0. 12. 0
1 Sythe blade & Screw	0. 3. 0
old Iron	0. 1. 6
1 Iron Wedge, 1 Bell	0. 8. 6
1 pair Spectacles	0. 3. 0

In obedience to the worshipful Court of Franklin to us directed, We do make this Return; August 4th 1802.

Samuel Stockton

Matthew Farmer

Thomas Camp

A Court held for Franklin County at the Courthouse the 6th day of December 1802.

This Inventory and appraisement of the estate of John Wyatt deceased was returned and ordered to be recorded.

Teste, James Callaway C. Clk

division
of Hugh
Innes's
Estate
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Franklin January Court 1799.

ordered that David Willis, Richard Stockton, William Robertson & Owen Hunt, or any three of them, being first sworn, and appointed to divide the estate of Hugh Innes deceased agreeable to his will &c. to make return thereof to the Court.

James Callaway C. Clk

January 12th day 1799. We have divided, gave as was render to us, that is to 15 negroes in the manner following

Old Salem, Patt, Metlary, Bend, & Guy To Hugh Innes.

Dick, Sall, Neel, & Steany To Robert Innes.

Young Salem, Stuttering Dick, Kitley & Key To Harry Innes.

John Watts, Lucey, Buck To James Innes.

N.B. There being 34 to be paid by Hugh Innes to Harry Innes

DW.
O. H.
R. S.

Owen Hunt
David Willis
Rich^d. Stockton.

A Court held for Franklin County February 7th 1803

This division and allotment of the estate of Hugh Innes deceased was returned and ordered to be recorded.

Teste, James Callaway C. Clk