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A warrant held for Franklin County at the Court house the third day of September 1821. This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Elisha Lyon and Mary Webster deceased was returned and ordered to be recorded. Teste Caleb Tate C. P. C.

Teste Locute Tate L, F, L,

Ly on Sarah
Mee

In the name of God, Amos S. Lary, Lyon of Franklin County, in firm in body yet of perfect memory at this time have made and ordained this my last Will and Testament, and first of all I commend my Soul into the hands of God who gave it and my body at my decease to be decently interred at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named, and as touching such worldly goods as God hath been pleased to bless me with or hereafter may I finally give and dispose of in form following Viz. I now I give and dispose of all my Estate Real and Personal to my honoured Mother Mary Lyon after my death whom I also appoint wholly Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking, all former Wills or Gifts by me made, In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this twenty third day of July One thousand seven hundred and eighty nine.

Second, Seals, pronounced and
acknowledged in the presence of us

James Mason

Mary ^{her} X Bert

of mark
Elisha Lyon

Nancy ^{burg} Smith
mark

Sarg^{his} X Lyon
mark



Franklin October Court 1844

On the motion of Joseph Green Esq. of the Pleas his Attorney,
It is Ordered that John Webster and Sally his wife be Summoned to
appear here on the second day of November Court next with the Will
of Sally Lyon Deceased. A Copy. C. Tate C. F. K.

A copy: C. Tate C. F. K.

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Franklin County
Greeting. We Command you to Summon John Webster to appear
before the Justices of our County Court of Franklin at the Court house
on the second day of March Court next, with the Original paper
or Writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Sally Lyon
deceased. And have shew there this Most Writings Caleb Fazio Clerk of
our said Court the 8th day of February 1815 in the 39th year of our
independence.

Enclosed "Excelsior" March 2^d 1895 M^{rs} C. B. ...

A Court held for Franklin County June 6. 1813

Joseph Gaur

against

John Webster & Polly his wife. Defts

dec. on the Examination of Elisha Lyon & Nancy Smith
subscribing witnesses, and also sundry other witnesses,

It is the opinion of the Court that the Testatrix was of
sound and disposing mind at the time of executing the
said Will. Therefore it is considered by the Court that
the said Will be recorded in this Court.

Teste Caleb Tate C. J. H.

Will Sarah
apportionment
Dower &c

Geo.

Beginning at a Level well, in the old Chance a new S. 41 N. 32 poles
to a N. O. 127 N. 33 poles xing a branch to a S. 20 @ 36
poles to a black walnut S. 83 E. 7 poles to a chestnut tree S. 35 @ 38
poles xing a branch to a to a chestnut tree. N. 40 E. 71 poles to a
red oak N. 75 E. 45 poles to a chestnut. pines. N. 26 W. 48 poles
to a Spanish oak. N. 51 W. 31 poles to a cucumber tree N. 60 W. 44
poles to a white oak S. 50 N. 34 poles to a Gum South 26 poles
to the Beginning.

Lewis Davis S. J. H.
Oct. 26. 1809.



Agreeable to an order of the worshipful Court of Franklin County to us
directed, we have layed off and apportioned to Sarah Will, widow of
Isaac Will deceased, her dower or thirds, in her deceased husband's
estate, being one hundred and six Acres, agreeable to the plat and
certificate of the courses and distances thereof as mentioned within
Given under our hands this day of Novr 1809.

Thomas Jones

Nicholas Caffee

Peter Young

A Court held for Franklin County at the Court house the 6. day of November 1809

This apportionment of Dower to Sarah Will in the estate of her late husband
Isaac Will deceased, was returned and ordered to be recorded. Teste Lewis Davis C. J. H.

40 In the name God Amen, I Sarah Ryan of the County of
Franklin and State of Virginia being tolerably advanced in years
and knowing it is allotted for all persons to Die, do make and
ordain this to be my last Will and Testament in manner &
form following hereby revoking all former Wills
First, I give and bequeath unto Frances Graves wife of David
Gravd Two hundred fifty Dollars and no more of my Estate
Secondly I give and bequeath unto Sarah Hancock my daughter
wife of John Hancock one negroe Girl by the name of Jenny
which I give their authority to get from the State of Georgia
which they now have in possession and no more of my Estate
Thirdly, I do will that my Executor hereafter named to sell the
whole of my Estate that may be at my death both Slaves
& property and in out of money arising from such sale to
pay all my just Debts (if any) and pay Francis Graves his
Legacy of Two hundred fifty Dollars and divide the balance
of the netle proceeds after paying my Executor for his trouble
among my children hereafter named equally Viz my
Daughter Mary Richardson Martha Townsend Ann Graves
& Elizabeth Edmonson to be fairly and equally Divided among
them and do hereby nominate & appoint my well beloved
brother William Swanson my Executor to this my last Will
& Testament In testimony whereof in my perfect mind &
recollection I have hereunto set my hand this 25th
February in the year of Christ 1812.

Signed & acknowledged

Sarah Ryan
mark

in the presence of

Joel Shrewsbury

Robert N. Dickenson

Wm. Gill

Attest hie for Franklin County, March 1st 1813

This last Will and Testament of Sarah Ryan deceased
was proved by the oath of Joel Shrewsbury and Robert N. Dickenson
two of the witnesses here, and ordered to be recorded. And on
the motion of William Swanson the Executor herein named, who
made oath as the Law directs and together with John Graves
and Peyton Graves his securities entered into and acknowledged
his Bond in the penalty of three thousand Dollars, conditioned as
the Law directs, for the performance of his duty in obtaining a Probate
of the same.

27 In obedience to order of the Worshipful Court of Franklin, Mass the
 Ryan Sarah underneath subscribers after being first sworn have appraised the Estate
 Inventory of Sarah Ryan Deceased

Examined	One Negro Man Isaac	£	67
	One Cows	177	77
	One Trunk	16	00
	One Bed Head	5	00
	One Chair	2	00
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		<u>151</u>	<u>27</u>

March 11th 1813 George Grinnip
 Lewis Potter Senr.
 David Law

It is ordered by the Court of Franklin County May 3^d 1813
 That this Inventory and appraisement of Estate of Sarah Ryan
 deceased was returned, and ordered to be recorded
 Teste, Caleb Tate, C. J. C.

Sale of the Estate of Robert Powell Dec^d October 10th 1811

Examined	Parcel of 2 Hogs	£	5
	1 Haird Saw	22	9. 8 ³ / ₄
	Crops cut. Saw	8	6
	Whip Saw	1	17. 6
	Shill	1	7. 5 ³ / ₄
	Buttling Knife & Saw	8	
	Lot of old Tools	15	
	Pair of Sheepsheads	19	8 ³ / ₄
	Waggon Tire hubs &c	1	5. 6
	Lot of old tools	9	4 ³ / ₄
	3 Mallets	13	11
	one Lot of old hoes	6	4 ¹ / ₂
	do do	11	4 ³ / ₄
	2 Screw Augers	7	6
	one Lot of Waggon bands	1	
	2 Smiths hammers, one tongs	15	4
	3 Plows &c	10	8
	2 Sythe blades	1	6
	one Lot of old tools	7	9
	Acres hoes &c	6	2