

2 two year old heifers	11 50
1 hindle two year old bull	7 00
1 Red cow with points of horns saw off	7 50
1 White and red speckled cow	8 00
1 Red crumple horned cow	8 50
1 Red hindle cow with white in face	7 00
1 yellow and white speckled cow	8 50
1 Brown white back cow	8 50
1 Black white face cow bell and collar	7 00
1 Bunde cow	32 00
32 head of Sheep	
1 lot of broke humpin mill horses supposed to be about 14 th grade at \$24.50 per	63 00
4 half inch poplar plank	1 00
10 pieces of scandling	50
8 Cherry plank inch thick	150 50
Some pine plank under and a scaffold	1 00
Old frame belong to an old wagon	15 00
1 set of black tools	25 00
1 log wagon	10 00
1 large kettle and bale	3 50
2 maddocks and sprouting hoe	1 25
1 Iron wedge	67
Hairns chains and small spreader	1 00
1 Old sythe & small hammer & other tools	3 75
1 Old working hoe	75
1 bridle sythe and apparatus	1 50
2 falling axes at \$3 & 50 cts	5 50
3 shovel ploughs staks and shovels	5 00
2 bull lumps and staks	1 00
1 Shovel plough without stock	50
2 sets of plough gears	6 00
1 set of buck bands and two pair of hip traps	2 50
1 hand saw drawer knife	1 25
30 Gallons of apple brandy	12 60
1 set of best chains	50
1 Rifle gun and shot pouch	15 00
1 shot gun & 150 th corner cupboard & furniture	40 50
1 small toilet table 75 th 1 falling leaf table	1 75
1 falling leaf table \$1.00, 1 bureau \$3.00	4 00
1 bested high post and furniture down stairs	20 00
2 bested & furniture up stairs each \$10	20 00
1 other bested and furniture up stairs	7 00
1 Loom \$1.00 1 pot with all stuffs in it	25 00

1 large kettle cracked & not fit without feet 75 th	1 00
1 biscuit baker & 2 cracked	50
1 Dutch oven & 2 cracked	7 10
2 Dutch ovens & 2 defective	140 39 1/2
	2 50
1 sythe and brock	5 50
1 patent barber plough and a double tree	3 50
1 Iron tooth barrow	26 25
3 three year old steers	
Oct 3 rd 1834 then proceeded to the valuation of the	
remainders of said John Snider's property viz	
1 75 gallon still cork and worm	64 50
15 still tubs	13 00
1 double barrel with one head out	1 50
1 apple mill	4 50
1 black & white spotted 2 year old heifer bell & collar	6 00
1 blaze face sorrel 2 year old filly	30 10
	156 25

from second page 1834
from first page 1861.50
Whole aggregate 1930.14 1/2
The foregoing bill of appraisement was enclosed by
the under signed on the 3rd day of October 1834
Philip Lybrook
Peter Bolton
Christian Snider

Virginia
At Giles Gene Court 1835
This Inventory of appraisement of
the estate of John Snider deceased was returned
into Court by David S. Chapman W^m D. Snider &
Christian Snider the 3rd and read to be recorded
Test
R. A. French

In the name of God Amen I Nathl. Shagly
of the County of Giles and State of Virginia being
aged and infirm of body but of sound mind &
disposing memory and calling unto mind the
mortality of my body and knowing it is app-
ointed for all men once to die do make con-
siderate and ordain this my last will and testam-
ent that is to say first and principally I recom-
mend my soul into the hands of almighty
God who save it and my body to the

to be buried in a decent christian like manner at the discretion of my Executors not doubting but at the General resurrection of the quick and dead I shall receive the same again by the almighty power of God and touching such worldly estate where with it hath pleased God to bless me in this life I give bequeath and dispose of the same in the following manner and form to wit

1st I Give and bequeath unto my dear & beloved wife Sally all the property I acquire by my Marriage with her to be at her own use and disposal I also Give and bequeath to her for and during her natural life or widowhood one horse least valued at fifty dollars and two cords ^{of wood} ^{or hay} and two ^{or three} sheep and hogs the said sheep and hogs to be of her own choosing out of my flock and one of the houses and ten acres of the tillable land on the plantation where I now live to be ^{assigned to her} ^{by my Executors} here after named but in case my wife and my Executors should disagree as to the manner which the ten acres of land should be laid off the same is to be decided by two disinterested respectable men of the neighbourhood

2nd I Give and bequeath unto my daughter French my Negro Girl named Susan and her increase which she hath received and disposed of at her own will and pleasure which I consider to be her portion of my estate I therefore bequeath her nothing more

3rd I Give and bequeath unto my daughter Nancy Morgan my Negro Girl named Eliza and all her increase which is to be her portion of my estate

4th Whereas I had given to my son Matthew French Straley on certain conditions my Negro Girl Ginny and her increase respecting which a controversy hath since arisen between him and myself which hath been settled by arbitrators I therefore bequeath to him my said Negro Girl Ginny and her increase but he is to have no other part of my estate either real or personal as I consider him already liberally provided for

5th Whereas I had given to my son Joseph Straley on certain conditions my Negro Girl named Selby and

her increase respecting which a controversy hath since arisen between him and myself which hath been settled by arbitrators I therefore bequeath to him my said Girl Selby and her increase but he is to have no other part of my estate either real or personal as I consider him liberally provided for

6th Whereas I have advanced to each of my sons James Straley and John Straley the sum of one hundred dollars to aid them in the purchase of land and a new building Given alike sum to my son Daniel Charles David and Jacob L Straley I do therefore Give and bequeath unto my sons Daniel Charles David and Jacob L Straley one hundred dollars each to be first paid to them out of my estate to make them equal to each of my sons James Straley and John Straley my just debts being first satisfied however out of my estate

7th All the residue of my estate both real and personal which consists of this time principally of four tons of tobacco my sister Mary's share of my property to each other and two slaves to wit Jack & Ned a stock of horses cattle sheep and hogs farming utensils and household and kitchen furniture & debts to me owing I Give bequeath and devise to my six sons and their heirs forever to wit James Straley John Straley Daniel Straley Charles Straley David Straley and Jacob L Straley to be equally divided amongst them with this exception only that my son James Straley is to have the liberty to take my Negro boy Ned at the sum of three hundred dollars if he thinks proper to do so as part of the sum coming to him out of my estate but if the sum coming to him should not amount to three hundred dollars then on his paying such sum as with his share would amount to three hundred dollars he is to have Ned if he elect to do so

8th Whereas my son Matthew French Straley and Jacob Straley are indebted to men by account besides the sum they are to pay me by the award of arbitrators about the sum six hundred dollars which sums of not paid to me in my lifetime are to be collected by my Executors and equally divided between my six sons James Daniel Charles John David and Jacob L Straley to whom I have here and bequeath the same

9th I also Give bequeath and devise that part of my estate I have given to my wife for her life or widowhood