

Item The Crop of Tobacco, Wheat, Corn &c. together with the following Hogs I leave for the use of my Family -

Item After all my Just Debts are paid the expence of moving my Family to Kentucky and the necessary Comforts of life provided for them, I then desire that all the money on hand collected from Bills, Bonds, & open Accounts, or by any other ways or means, what ever be equally divided among my seven Children by my present wife, and the three following Children by my first wife Vizt John & William Roberts & Jane Mosby.

Item All the Estate left me by the last Will, & Testament of Joseph Lewis sen<sup>r</sup> Decedent I give and bequeath to be equally divided between my seven Children by my last wife Vizt Lewis George, Jesse, Sally, Joe, Betsy Lewis, & Robert Roberts, and their Heirs forever.

Lastly I do constitute and appoint my beloved wife Elizabeth Roberts Executrix my Sons William, & George, Roberts, with my friend W<sup>m</sup> Lewis Executors of this my last will & Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal, this Tenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty three

Signed, Sealed & Published

& declared in presence of us

Geo. Payne

John Lewis

Joseph Lewis Jun<sup>r</sup>

William Roberts Seal

At a Court held for Grochland County Dec<sup>r</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> 1783.  
this Writing was proved by the Oaths of Geo. Payne, John Lewis, & Joe Lewis to be the last Will, & Testament of William Roberts Jun<sup>r</sup>. & was ordered to be Recorded.

Test. G. Payne

# Inventory of the Estate of Williams Williams Senr<sup>r</sup> decd.

1	Negroes	Woman	Sarah	37	10	"
1	do	do	Philis	28	"	"
1	do	do	Patt	35	"	"
1	do	do	Jane	30	"	"
1	Negroes	Man	Charles	75	"	"
1	do	do	James	75	"	"
1	do	do	David	80	"	"
1	do	do	Suevy	80	"	"
1	do	do	Jacob	65	"	"
1	do	do	Bob	70	"	"
1	do	do	Abram	70	"	"
1	do	do	Prince	75	"	"
1	do	do	Bristol	85	"	"
1	Negroes	Boy	Ben	65	"	"
1	do	do	Simon	70	"	"
1	do	do	Frank	45	"	"
1	do	do	Cate	30	"	"
1	Negroes	Girl	Man	60	"	"
1	do	do	Mannah	55	"	"
1	do	do	Cate	50	"	"
1	do	do	Pilca	25	"	"
2	Old negroes	men	Brisler & Seaser	5	"	"
9	Head	Horses		85	"	"
46	do	Cattle		53	7	6
43	do	Hogs		17	9	"
1700	mat	Pork	a 257	58	11	8
1	Waggon	&	Gear	12	10	"
1	do	Cart	& Open Yoke & 2 Chains	13	7	"

7 Mill. Hoos & 8 Broad D<sup>o</sup>

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				1	99	12 2
		3 Flax Wheels 40/	8 Bushels Salt 2s	2 Trunk 3/6	5	1 6
		16 Gall <sup>m</sup> Brandy 96/	3 Suggs 7/3	15 <sup>c</sup> Soap 9/	8	12 3
		A Stays 12/9	6 <sup>c</sup> Cotton 7/6	1 Case & 10 Bottles 22/	2	12 3
		2 Cleves & 1 pin 3/	1 Chest 90/	Hoan razors 8c. 6/	4	14 "
		a parcel of Old Iron 8c. 3/	3 book 18/	1 Sugar Bowl 6/	1	7 "
		1 Hour Glass & apiece of Putty 3/	2 Table 20/		1	3 "
		1 Sloop Spoon & salt Teller 2/	14 Table Spoons 6/			8 "
		1 Wheat Fan 50/	1 Half bushel 2/6	60 Bushels Wheat 12	1	12 6
		13 Sheep L A. 17. 6.	1 Stall beef 5.	1 Waggon & Gear 12. 10	22	7 6
		15 Cyster Casks & 1 keg L A. 12. 6.	1 Saddle & Bridle 3. 6.		6	9 "
		A Raw Hides 37/3.	A Wiggs 10/	1 Skillet 6/	2	13 3
		a parcel of old Soap 6.	a quantity of linn & Slaw 3. 3/		1	15 6
		233 Barrels linn a 10/	Stodder to the amount of 5	21. 8.	137	16 "
		1 Tea pot & one Mustard D <sup>o</sup> 5/	1 Wine Glass & 1 Butter boat 2/			7 "
		5 Tea Spoons 10.	11 Chairs 20/	15 Gall <sup>m</sup> Vinegar 2/9	1	9 7
		3 Cotton Wheels 15/	1/2 <sup>c</sup> Stillards 20/	2 Candle Sticks 3/9	1	18 9
		1 Candle mold & 1/2 <sup>c</sup> Snuffers 3/9	1 Fry. g pan & spicemortar 9/			12 9
		2 Mill Bugs & Hachels 12/	11 Plates & A Bason 23/		1	15 "
		3 Dishes 9/9	3 Iron pots 20/6	Old Barrels 8c. 25/	2	15 3
		7 <sup>c</sup> Loaf Sugar 10/6	Tubs nails 8c. 16/		1	6 6
		7 Beds & Furniture L S A. 10.	75 Bushels Oats 7. 10		62	" "
		6 Quilting Hoos 18/	3 Half Share plows & A Coaler 27/		2	5 "
		7 Marrow Axes 1 Broad D <sup>o</sup> & 1 Hatchet 3A/			1	14 "
		1 Cross Cut Saw 10/	1 Iron 3/	Shoe makers tools 6/	1	1 "
		2 Drawing Knives. 2 Augurs. 2 Subjects & 1 feet Adits				11 3
		1 Saw & 1 Crosse 4/	6 Marrow Hoos 8/ 30 <sup>c</sup>	Bar Iron a 3	2	5 4
		2 p <sup>o</sup> Leading lines 3/	5 Scythes 37/6		2	2 6
		5 Butter pots & 1 Grind Stone 2A/	1 Paper bill A		1	1 A A
		300 Acres land L 250.	Cash L 100. 2		300	2 "

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Money in the Hands of the Sheriff	7	5	"
D <sup>c</sup> due from Jos. Payne payable to the Sheriff of Gooch. <sup>d</sup> County	8	12	"
Comms <sup>r</sup> Certificate	26 <sup>10</sup>	"	"
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	£ 26-10 <sup>10</sup>	7	10

The within Estate was appraised by  
 Jos. Payne  
 John Gilliam  
 Gideon Mims

At a Court held for Goochland County Dec<sup>r</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> 1783.  
 This Inventory was presented in C<sup>t</sup> & order'd to be Recorded

December 12<sup>th</sup> 1783. ✓

John Watkins Executor &c. of Tho<sup>s</sup>. Watkins Deid (D<sup>c</sup>)  
 To An Inventory of the Personal Estate of the said J. W.  
 Deceased & his Negre Frank  
 To a legacy of one Cow & one Sow left by the will of the said  
 Thomas to his Daughter Elizabeth  
 To a Legacy of one Cow & one Sow to his Daughter Mary  
 To D<sup>c</sup> to his Daughter Sarah  
 To D<sup>c</sup> to his Daughter Anne  
 To D<sup>c</sup> to his Daughter Mildred

Contra C<sup>t</sup>

By an Inventory of said Estate Recorded in Goochland Court.

By a Legacy of one Cow & one Sow delivered the said Elizabeth  
 the 27<sup>th</sup> of February 1776  
 By a Legacy of 2. Cow & Sow delivered December 21<sup>st</sup> 1776.  
 By P<sup>o</sup> delivered at same date  
 By do delivered same date  
 By C<sup>o</sup> delivered her December 12<sup>th</sup> 1776

The Estate of Thomas Watkins Deceased to John Watkins his Executor P<sup>o</sup>

February 19 <sup>th</sup> 1777. To paid Capt. Elisha Scott as for his Account prov'd	1	2	4
To paid P <sup>o</sup> as p <sup>r</sup> receipt	"	2	"
To paid the Widow as p <sup>r</sup> her receipt	5	2	"
To paid the Collector for Clerks fees for Record of the will and Inventory & Taxes as p <sup>r</sup> his rec <sup>t</sup>	2	5	1
To paid the Collector for County & parish dues for the year 1776. p <sup>r</sup> Rec <sup>t</sup>	"	8	10
To the cost of inspection 2 <sup>th</sup> hd Tobacco	"	10	6
To the Wages of a Man to State & adjust the accounts	"	2	"
To 18 <sup>ce</sup> Tobacco p <sup>d</sup> Collector for Marson Bouglays for the year 1776	"	8	7 1/2
To Clerks fees for Copy of the will Orders for Audit & Settlement & so forth as p <sup>r</sup> his receipt	00	10	0
	10	11	4 1/2
To debts that may hereafter be lawfully claimed against the Estate			

Court

Contra

C<sup>o</sup>

February 18th. 1776. By one Hoghead of  
Tobacco Sold for

£ 10<sup>..</sup> 7<sup>..</sup> 2

In Obedience to an Order of Goochland County Court No-  
vember 1783. We the Subscribers have Audited & Settled the  
Accounts of John Watkins his Executorship on the Estate  
of Thomas Watkins Deceased as above Stated Witness  
our hands

Peter Fitzgerald  
John Saprade  
Joseph Woodson

At a Court held for Goochland County Dec<sup>r</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> 1783.  
This Acct. B<sup>d</sup> & C<sup>o</sup> of the Est<sup>o</sup> of Thomas Watkins dec<sup>d</sup>.  
was presented in Court by John Watkins the Executor & ord<sup>d</sup>.  
to be Recorded

This Indenture made this tenth day of January  
in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven Hundred and  
Eighty four, between William Cannon on the one part and  
James Powers Parrish on the other part Witnesseth that  
the s<sup>d</sup> William Cannon for & inconsideration of the Sum of  
fifty pounds Curr<sup>t</sup> Money to him in hand paid by the s<sup>d</sup>  
James Powers Parrish the receipt whereof the s<sup>d</sup> William Can-  
non doth hereby Acknowledge hath bargained Sold, & Confirmed  
and by these presence do bargain Sell, & Confirm unto the s<sup>d</sup>

James Parrish one certain tract or parcels of land lying and being in the County of Goochland on the head Branches of Wild Beer Creek. Containing by estimation Seventy Acres be the same more or less, and bounded by the lines of Thomas Crumwright Phillip Walker, Joseph, & John Stutton, being the tract of land Conveyed by Phillip Walker to W<sup>m</sup> Cash, & by S. Cash sold to Jeremiah Cannon father of the afores<sup>d</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Cannon To have and to hold the said tract of land with the appurtenances unto the s<sup>d</sup> James Powers Parrish his Heirs and Assigns forever. And the said William Cannon for himself and his Heirs the aforesaid tract of land with the appurtenances aforesaid unto the s<sup>d</sup> James Powers Parrish his Heirs & Assigns against all persons whatsoever will warrant and by these presents forever defend In Witness whereof the s<sup>d</sup> William Cannon hath hereunto set his hand & affixed his Seal the day and year above written

Signed Sealed and delivered }  
 in presence of ----- } William Cannon Seal  
 (powers in the 3<sup>d</sup> line, interlined before Assigns  
 between in the 2<sup>d</sup> line, interlined before Assigns  
 John Walker  
 John Swrance  
 Corbin Parrish

Memorandum that on the day of the date of the within written Deed full and peaceable possession of the within mentioned premises was had and taken by the within named William Cannon, and by him delivered to the within James Powers Parrish -  
 In presence of

Rec<sup>d</sup> the day of the Date of the within written Deed  
 Of the within James Powers Parrish the Sum of fifty  
 pounds Curr. money it being the consideration money  
 within mentioned

At a Court held for Georgia County Feb: 7<sup>th</sup> 1784  
 John Walker Jun<sup>r</sup> Lawrence, & Corbin Parrish pro<sup>v</sup>id this  
 Deed &c. to be the Acts & Deeds of William Cannon who  
 was ord<sup>d</sup> to be Recorded

Inventory of the Estate of Drury Johnson dec<sup>d</sup> taken &  
 Appraised this 11<sup>th</sup> day of December 1783.

1 Feather Bed & furniture	\$	7	"	"
1		1	10	"
7 Pewter Plates & 1 Dish		"	12	6
2 d <sup>o</sup> Basons & 7 Spoons		"	6	"
3 D <sup>o</sup> porringers of old pewter 1/2		"	3	"
2 Knives & 3 forks		"	7	3
2 Slays of 1 box Iron & Heaters 1/2		"	9	"
1 Cannister & Pitcher		"	1	3
1 parset Old Books		"	3	"
1 Chest & box		"	6	"
1 pair pinchers & Money Seals		"	4	6
1 Small Cash & Churn		"	2	6
2 Manow Axes		"	5	"
1 Hoe, Old Grid Iron &c		"	1	"
1 Tying saw & fire poker		"	3	"

- 1 Spinning wheel
- 1 Pott and 2 pair Pott hooks
- 1 Old Loom

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Jeffry Clarke  
 John Lewis  
 Joseph Lewis Jr.

At a Court held for Goochland County Feby 16. 1784  
 this Inventory was presented. in Ct. & ord.<sup>d</sup> to be Recorded

In the name of God Amen, Charles Christian of Goochland County being in perfect sense and memory do ordain this my last will & testament  
 It is my desire that all my Just debts should be paid after my deceas. Item I give unto my son William Christian four Hundred Acres of land lying in Amherst County the said land I bought of John Warren but if my son W.<sup>m</sup> Christian should die without Issue lawfully begotten of his body the said land to be equally divided between my son Walter Christian and my son George Christian. Item I give unto my son Walter Christian two hundred & fifty Acres of land lying in Amherst County the said land I bought of James London and one Negro Man named will I give unto him and his Heirs and assigns for ever. I like wis do give him one feather bed and furniture and two Cows and Calves forever. Item give unto my son George Christian the land whercon I now live one

Negro Woman named Such and her increas from this time forward likewise a negro Girl named Hannah one Feather head and furniture, and two Cows and Calves forever, Item I give unto my Daughter Morning Christian half the land where on Benjamin Sacy now lives, to be equally divided, I further give, my said Daughter Morning one Negro woman named Tannee, one Negro Boy named Ben. and a negro Girl named Judith, one Feather head and furniture, two Cows and Calves forever, Item I give unto Lucy Woodson one Shilling Sterling and no more as I have given her sufficient portion of my Estate before, Item I give unto Judith Woodson Pannell, one Shilling Sterling and no more as she hath had her portion likewise before

Item I give the remainder of my Estate after my Just debts be paid to Charles Christian, John Christian, Elijah Christian, Turner Christian, W<sup>m</sup> Christian, Walter Christian, and George Christian, Elizabeth Number, Mary Gisham, Judith Sacy, and Morning Christian, to be equally divided among them, and I do appoint Turner Christian, Walter Christian, & George Christian, Executors to this my last Will, and testament In Witness here of I do set my hand and Seal this 18<sup>th</sup> day of Sept. 1723.

(Test)

William Turner  
Josiah Seal  
Lucy Seal

Charles Christian Seal

At a Court held for Goochland County Feb. 16. 1724  
this writing was proved by the Oaths of W<sup>m</sup> Turner & Jos.  
Seal to be the last Will & testament of Charles Chris-

lian dec? & was ordered to be Recorded

This Indenture made this fifteenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven Hundred & eighty three Between Thomas Riddle of the County of Goochland of the one part, & William James of Louisa County of the other part Witnesseth that the said Thomas Riddle for the consideration Sum of Sixty pounds of good and lawfull money to him in hand paid by William James at or before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the receipt whereof he doth hereby Acknowledge hath Bargained & sold unto the said William James one Certain tract, or parcell of Land lying & being in the County aforesaid on the branches of Sicking hole Creek Called the plumb tree branches & bounded as follows. Beginning at a Corner White Oak on William Hodges & John Sovells lines, thence on John Sovells line being a new line to the plumb tree branch to a corner of David Alvis and William Wades, thence on Wades line to a corner on the s<sup>d</sup> Wades & Thomas Riddles line thence up the said branch to a Corner Ash of James Allens standing in the branch, thence on Allens line South fifteen Degrees East one Hundred & Twenty Six poles to a Corner on William Wadys line the said Corner tree being a pine, thence on Wadys line to pointers on William Hodges line, thence on Hodges line South thirty seven Degrees east sixty poles to the Corner which Oak being the place begun at to include the Quantity of one hundred Acres be the same more or less according to the bounds aforesaid as it may more fully

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appear To have & to hold all & Singular the premises  
 above mentioned with the Appurtenances unto the said  
 William James his Heirs & Assigns & that the said  
 Thomas Riddle at the time of en sealing & delivery of  
 these presents is the true & lawfull right and full owner  
 of the said Land & premises above mentioned hath  
 good Right full power & lawfull authority for his own  
 right to Sell and convey the said above ment.<sup>d</sup> tract of  
 Land and premises unto the said William James his  
 Heirs & Assigns according to the true intent & Meaning of  
 these presents & also that the said William James and  
 his Heirs or Assigns shall & may at all times hereafter have  
 hold Quietly & peaceable occupy possess & enjoy the said  
 Land & premises above mentioned without the trouble Hen-  
 derance or denial of me the said Thomas Riddle, or any  
 other person or persons whatsoever, & lastly that I the said  
 Thomas Riddle for myself my Heirs &c. warrant & Defend  
 the right of the above mentioned Land and premises  
 to the s<sup>d</sup> William James his Heirs &c. for ever In Wit-  
 nesses whereof the said Thomas Riddle hath set his hand  
 and Seal the day & year first above written

Signed Sealed &  
 del.<sup>d</sup> in presence of  
 W<sup>m</sup> Turner  
 John Riddle  
 Archer Riddle

Tho<sup>s</sup> Riddle Seal  
 Edith Riddle Seal

Received Dec<sup>r</sup> 15. 1783. of William James Sixty  
 pounds Current money it being full satisfaction for the  
 within ment.<sup>d</sup> tract of Land & premises  
 W<sup>m</sup> Turner  
 Tho<sup>s</sup> Riddle

Memorandum that this day quiet and peaceable possession of the within ment. Tract of land & premises was given by Thomas Riddle to William James he being fully satisfied for the same

Wm Turner  
Archer Riddle

Tho. Riddle Seal  
Edith Riddle Seal

At a Court held for Goochland County Feby. 16. 1784.  
Thomas Riddle Acknowledged this Deed with the living of Suren & receipt endorsed to be his Acts & Deeds. with was Ord. to be Recorded

Be it known to all whom it may concern that I John Bradshaw of the county of Goochland, being abt. to enter into the holy state of matrimony with Hannah Johnson widow of Drury Johnson dec'd of the county aforesaid, and in order to do justice to the s<sup>d</sup> Hannah Johnson, and not to injure my children I have agreed to make a jointer or marriage Settlement on the s<sup>d</sup> Hannah Johnson and therefore do hereby give grant and confirm in fee simple unto the s<sup>d</sup> Hannah Johnson and her heirs or assigns for ever one acre of land being part of the tract whereon I now live and whereon I purpose to build a dwelling house twenty by sixteen with a shed, which said acre of land with all the houses or other advantages thereunto belonging I do give grant and confirm unto the said Hannah Johnson her heirs or assigns forever free from the claim or demand of any person or persons whatsoever together with all the estate she now possesses consisting of two peather lots

two cows & some pewter with some other trifles of household  
 furniture, being the whole of what the s<sup>r</sup> Hannah  
 Johnson had at the time of the making this marriage  
 settlement. The s<sup>r</sup> Hannah Johnson is not to be entitled  
 at my decease to any other part of my estate, either by writ  
 of dower or otherways. (Turnover) This marriage set-  
 tlement we the parties before ment<sup>d</sup> profess to be well satis-  
 fied with and doe hereby agree to abide by In Witness  
 whereof we have set our hands and seals this eleventh day  
 of Feby. 1784.

Witness  
 Tho. Underwood  
 William Underwood  
 John Underwood

John <sup>his</sup> Broadshaw <sup>Seal</sup>  
 mark  
 Hannah <sup>her</sup> H. Johnson <sup>Seal</sup>  
 mark

At a Court held for Goochland county the 16 Feby. 1784.  
 This instrument of writing between John Broad-  
 shaw & Hannah Johnson was proved by the oaths of  
 Thomas and John Underwood & ord<sup>r</sup> to be recorded.

Peste  
 G. Payne Clk

This Indenture made on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of May one thousand seven hun-  
 dred and eighty three between Judith Smith & Newben Smith, the for-  
 mer of Goochland & the latter of Currituckland County on the one part and  
 Thomas Jefferson of the County of Albemarle on the other part witness-  
 eth that the s<sup>r</sup> Judith & Newben in consideration of the sum of  
 fifty pounds to them in hand paid have bargained sold unto the said  
 Thomas all that their tract of land lying in the s<sup>r</sup> County of Goochland  
 on the Rappahannock adjoining to the lands of the s<sup>r</sup> Thomas bought of  
 Edward Smith, to those of William Holman & to those of William  
 Bowman containing by estimation fifty acres, to the same more or less  
 to have and to hold the s<sup>r</sup> tract of land with its appurtenances unto the  
 said Thomas & his heirs, sons the s<sup>r</sup> Judith & Newben, jointly and

and the said Thomas & his heirs, with power to  
 with its appurtenances to the said Thomas & his heirs, with power to  
 and defend. Having & assuming benefit to the said Judith from  
 material like a right to occupy the house she now lives in & the  
 house immediately appurtenant to it, & now within the same  
 as also any lands she has now inclosed or may hereafter  
 so long as the same shall remain inclosed, a free use of Water and wood  
 fuel, building and enclosing on the same land & for her sole use it and  
 the s<sup>d</sup> Thomas covenants with the s<sup>d</sup> Judith that he will not during his life  
 cut down so much of the timber on the s<sup>d</sup> lands but that there shall  
 remain a sufficiency for the s<sup>d</sup> Judith for fuel, building & close upon  
 the s<sup>d</sup> lands for her sole use & in such parts of the s<sup>d</sup> lands as she shall  
 point out as most convenient for her, & that she shall bear liberty to enclose  
 cultivate & occupy for her sole use any of the s<sup>d</sup> lands now inclosed or  
 inclosed may hereafter be. In witness whereof the s<sup>d</sup> parties have  
 hereunto voluntarily set their hands and seals on the day & year  
 first above written

Signes sealed & subscribed  
 in presence of  
 Charles Kerr  
 James Scott Jefferson  
 Peter Cook

Charles Kerr  
 Mason French  
 Thomas Smith

Judith Smith

The Court held for Goodland County May 19<sup>th</sup> 1783.  
 Judith Smith acknowledged this Indenture to be her act & deed  
 and the same is to him understood to be recorded and that Smith & the  
 parties thereto do be the act and deed of Judith Smith and as a  
 further proof of the law

John Payne

Recorded by  
 W. Miller 696  
 6<sup>th</sup> March 1800

**END**