

Chesterfield County to wit

By Virtue of the within Commission to us directed  
we have examined Betty the wife of Thomas Bolling respecting the Indenture  
annexed, and she freely and voluntarily relinquisheth her claim of Dower to the Land  
and premises conveyed by the said Indenture, without the persuasion or threats  
of her said Husband — Given under our Hands and Seals this 19<sup>th</sup> Day of  
May 1791.

George Woodson   
Tho' Aug<sup>st</sup> Taylor 

At a Court held for Goochland County the 18<sup>th</sup> day of July 1791  
This Commission and Relinquishment of Dower hereunto annexed is returned to  
Court and ordered to be recorded.

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Will Miller C.C.W.

This Indenture made and concluded this Seventeenth Day of July in the year  
of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Ninety one Between John Gilham  
Junior of the County of Prince George of the one part and William Ronald of the  
County of Powhatan of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Gilham  
Junior for and in Consideration of the Sum of Seven thousand pounds Current  
money of Virginia to him by the said William in hand paid before sealing and deliv-  
-ing these presents the receipt whereof he the said John doth hereby acknowledge and  
from the payment thereof doth release and discharge the said William and his heirs  
hath Granted Bargained and Sold, aliened, enfeoffed and Confirmed, and by these presents  
doth Grant, Bargain, and Sell, alien, Enfeoff and Confirm unto the said William  
Ronald and to his heirs and assigns forever one certain tract or parcel of Land lying  
and being situate in the County of Goochland, and on James River being part of  
the Land commonly called and known by the name of Elk Island and including the  
upper half of the said Island and bounded as followeth viz Beginning at a large  
Sycamore corner standing on the Bank of the North Branch of James River one  
hundred and Sixteen Poles above the mouth of the Byrd Creek thence extending across  
the Island South Thirty four West one hundred and eighty and one half poles to

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 William Ronald and his heirs or assigns forever and the Remainder and Remainders  
 Rents, issues, and profits thereof and all the estate, right, title, Interest, claim and de-  
 mand of him the said John Gilliam Junior and of his heirs therein to the only proper  
 use and behoof of him the said William Ronald and his heirs or assigns forever  
 and the said John Gilliam Junior for himself and his heirs, executors and administra-  
 tors doth Covenant and agree with the said William Ronald for himself and his heirs  
 or assigns that he the said John Gilliam Junior at the time of Sealing and delivering these  
 presents is and stands seized of a good and indefeasible estate in fee simple in and to the  
 said Lands (and appurtenances free and discharged from all other estates, rights, titles  
 and incumbrances whatsoever and the said John Gilliam Junior for himself and  
 his heirs, executors and administrators doth hereby covenant promise and agree to and  
 with the said William Ronald that he the said John Gilliam Junior and his  
 heirs executors & administrators the said Lands and Appurtenances unto the said William  
 Ronald and his heirs or assigns against all Persons whatsoever claiming any right,  
 title or Interest to the same or in or to any part or parcel thereof Shall and will warrant  
 and forever defend. In testimony whereof the said John Gilliam Junior hath here-  
 unto set his hand and affixed his Seal the day and year above written.

Sam: Pleasant Jr  
 Sam: Scott  
 Thos: Scott

John Gilliam Jr Seal

Memorandum I John Gilliam Junior do hereby acknowledge that I have received full payment and  
 Satisfaction of William Ronald for the sum of Seven thousand pounds being the full  
 Consideration expressed in the above Deed of Bargain and Sale. Witness my hand this Seventeenth day of  
 July seventeen hundred and Ninety one

John Gilliam Jr

At a Court held for Goochland County the 18 day of July 1791

This Deed of Indenture of bargain and sale (together with the receipt thereon indorsed) from John Gilliam jr to William Ronald is presented in Court and acknowledged by the said John Gilliam jr to be his acts and Deeds which is thereupon admitted to Record.

Teste

Will Miller Clur

This Indenture made the Eighteenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Ninety one Between William Ronald of the County of Powhatan of the one part and John Gilliam Junior of the County of Prince George of the other part witnesseth that whereas by certain articles of Agreement entered into Between the said parties on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of June 1790 the said John Gilliam on his part did Covenant and agree to Sell and Convey unto the said William Ronald the fee Simple Estate of and in one moiety being the upper half of a certain tract or parcel of Land lying in Goochland County called and known by the name of Elk Island the whole of the said Island containing by estimation one thousand and twenty five acres and to be divided by a Line to run across from River to River and the said William Ronald on his part did Covenant and agree to pay or cause to be paid to the said John Gilliam as a consideration for the said Land and appurtenances the sum of Seven thousand pounds Current money which sum of money to be paid in Sundry partial payments at different periods together with the Interest thereon as is more fully expressed in the said articles of agreement in writing annexed hereto and made an appendage of this Deed and Whereas the said John Gilliam in pursuance of the said Agreement hath made and executed in due form of Law a Deed to the said William Ronald and hath thereby vested in the said William a fee Simple Estate in the said Land and appurtenances and the said William hath this day executed Bonds to the said John Gilliam for the payment of the said Seven thousand pounds and lawful Interest thereon at the different periods expressed in the said Agreement. Now this Indenture further witnesseth that the said William Ronald for securing the payment of his several Bonds given as aforesaid for the said sum of Seven thousand pounds and Interest thereon hath granted bargained and Sold and by these presents doth grant, bargain and

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containing by a late Survey five hundred and fifteen acres and also one undivided moiety  
of a tract of Land lying in Fluvannah County containing nearly four hundred acres or  
thereabouts being an appendage of the Island aforesaid with all houses woods ways water  
courses profits Commodities Hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever to the said tract or  
parcels of Land belonging or in any wise appertaining and the reversions and remainders thereof  
and all the Estate right title Interest property claim and demand whatsoever of him the  
said William Ronald and his heirs of or to the same and every part and parcel thereof  
to have and to hold the several tracts or parcels of Land hereby granted with their and every  
of their appurtenances to the said John Gilliam and his heirs and assigns to the only pro-  
per use and behoof of the said John Gilliam his heirs and assigns forever Provided always  
and these presents are upon this Condition that if the said William Ronald his heirs  
executors & administrators as well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said  
John Gilliam his heirs executors administrators or assigns the sum of One thousand  
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be in the year Eighteen hundred and four and also if the said William Ronald his  
heirs executors or administrators shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid to the  
said John Gilliam his heirs executors administrators or assigns on the tenth day of  
August which shall be in the year Seventeen hundred and Ninety two the sum to

Five hundred and Sixty three pounds Seventeen Shillings and nine pence for the legal Interest which will become due on the said Seven Thousand pounds on the said tenth day of August Seventeen hundred and Ninety two and shall annually and in each succeeding year on the tenth day of August pay off and discharge his Bonds for the Interest due on the principal Sum aforesaid or any part thereof remaining unpaid agreeable to the terms specified in the written agreement annexed hereto that then these presents shall cease determine and be void and the said William Ronald for himself and his heirs doth Covenant and grant to and with the said John Gilliam his heirs executors administrators and assigns that he or they shall and may at all times after default shall be made of the payment of any one of his the said Williams Bonds for either principal or Interest aforesaid or of the performance of any of the provisos or Conditions herein contained peaceably enter into have hold occupy possess and enjoy all and Singular the Lands and premises with their Appurtenances hereby granted without the let trouble hindrance molestation interruption or denial of him the said William Ronald his heirs or assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever. In Witness whereof the said William Ronald hath hereunto sett his hand and affix~~s~~ his Seal the day and year first written.

Sam. Pleasants Jr.

Sam<sup>r</sup> Scott

Tho<sup>r</sup> Scott

W<sup>m</sup> Ronald Seal

I Know all men by these presents that We John Gilliam of the County of Prince George and William Ronald of the County of Powhatan have this day made and Concluded the following Agreement that is to say.

The said Gilliam hath sold to the said Ronald one Moiety of a certain tract or parcel of Land in the County of Goochland called and known by the name of Elk Island the whole of the said Island containing by estimation One thousand and twenty five acres more or less which he agrees to convey in fee Simple to the said Ronald his heirs or assigns with Covenants of general warranty on the terms and for the consideration hereafter expressed.

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The Majority of the said Island now sold and agreed to be conveyed shall be the upper part of the said Island divided by a line to run across from River to River in such manner as may be agreed on with the proprietor of the other half but if the proprietor of the other half and the parties to this Contract should not agree in running the line we hereby declare that we are willing to join with the proprietor of the other half in submitting the running of the said line to disinterested men of good Reputation & Judgment to be nominated by the parties for that purpose.

The said Ronald agrees that on the said Gilliam Securing to him the title for the Land as aforesaid with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging he the said Ronald will execute to the said Gilliam Bonds for the payment of Seven Thousand Pounds Current money of Virginia as the consideration for the said Land & appurtenances the said Seven thousand pounds to carry Interest and to be paid at such periods as herein after expressed.

One thousand pounds of the said Sum shall be payable on the tenth of April in the year one thousand Seven hundred and Ninety four - two thousand pounds thereof on the tenth day of August in the year Eighteen hundred and two - the further sum of two thousand pounds on the tenth day of August eighteen hundred and three - and the Balance of two thousand pounds on the tenth day of August eighteen hundred and four, for which several sums separate Bonds shall be executed accordingly.

Interest on the said sum of Seven thousand pounds shall commence from the first day of January Seventeen hundred and Ninety one the first payment of such Interest to commence on the tenth day of August Seventeen hundred and Ninety two and so to be paid on the tenth day of each August following until the periods agreed on for the payment of the principal for which the said Ronald shall execute Bonds for the payment of each years Interest in such manner that the said sum of Seven thousand pounds shall be on Interest from the first of January Seventeen hundred and Ninety one until payment of the respective Bonds.

The Security which the said Ronald shall give the said Gilliam for the payment of the said Bonds shall be a Mortgage on the said Land & appurtenances to be executed immediately after receiving a Deed for the same.

The Land shall be conveyed & all the other writings executed before the 25<sup>th</sup> day of September next ensuing this Date but the said Gilliam shall retain the use of

Sufficient houses on the said Land during a reasonable time to secure  
the Crop now growing thereon.

It is further agreed that fifty pounds shall be paid to the said Gilliam on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of September next and one hundred pounds on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April thereafter which Sums with the Interest on the same until the tenth of August Seventeen hundred and Ninety two shall be in part payment of the first Bond for Interest which then becomes due.

The said John Gilham and William Ronald do bind themselves and their heirs, executors and administrators each to the others and their heirs, executors and administrators or assigns for the performance of the aforesaid agreement. In testimony Whereof we have sett our hands and Seals this Thirtieth day of June Seventeen hundred and Ninety.

Memorandum. Before Signing and Sealing these presents it is agreed that one undivided moiety of a tract of Land in Fluvannah County Contaonning nearly four hundred acres or thereabouts is an appendage of the Land now contract ed for and shall be conveyed accordingly.

Signed Sealed and acknowledged by the aforesaid

John Gilliam & William Ronald in presence of S

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William Davis

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At a Court held for Goochland County the 18<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1791.

This Deed of Mortgage from William Ronald to John Gilliam Jr. was presented  
in Court and acknowledged by the said Ronald to be his act & Deed together with  
articles of agreement, (hereunto annexed) Entered into by & between the said John Gil-  
liam Jr & William Ronald with the said Gilliam & Ronald acknowledged to be their  
acts & Deed with together with the Deed of Mortgage, are ordered to be recorded.

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Wm Miller Esq.

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Goochland County June Court 1791

Archibald Pleasant, Samuel Parsons, Joseph Woodson and Edward Redford, or any three of them, who being first duly sworn before a Justice of the Peace for the said County, are appointed to appraise in current money the Slaves (if any) and personal Estate of Robert Wingfield Deceased, and return the Appraismt to the Court.

Copy Teste W. Miller C. C.

Inventory of the Appraismt of the Estate of Robert Wingfield Dec<sup>d</sup> Taken the  
13<sup>th</sup> Augt 1791 Vizt

		£	3	5	0	0
1 Negro Man Hampton						
1 Feather Bed & Furniture & Bedsted					3	0
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					0	10.
1 Chest					0	6.
1 Table					0.	3.
1 Spining Wheel					0.	4.
4 Chairs					0	4
2 Sad Irons					0	3
2 Butter Potts					0	2
1 Jugs					0	3
2 Fl. Cards					0.	5
2 Water pails & Churn					0	6.
8 Pewter plates					0	12.
3 Dishes & 2 Basons 6/					0	14.
9 Queens Ware plates					0	2
2 Mugs & 1 Tea pott					0	0.
1 Pepper Box & 5 Tea Spoons					0	9.
					£	46. 11. 3.

Inventory Continued £ 46. 11. 3.

3 Spoons & 3 Knives & forks		0.	1	6.
1 Pool At			0.	2
1 Large Bible			0.	15
1 Tub			0.	2.

1 Woman's Saddle	0. 10.
1 Old Do.	0. 2. 6.
1 Feather Bed & Furniture & Bed Stead	4. 0. 0.
1 Trunk & Box	0. 1. 3.
1 Flax Wheel	0. 10.
A parcel of Cotton	0. 16. 8.
1 Old Barrel	0. 1. 6.
1 Barrel & Sifter	0. 2. 6.
4 Hoes	0. 9. 0.
1 Wedge, Trowel, Hoe & pestle	0. 8.
1 Skillet	0. 3.
1 Pot & Dutch Oven	0. 9.
1 Plow	0. 6.
1 Loom	0. 15.
2 ft Pott Hooks	0. 2.
2 Collars & 2 ft Hames	0. 4.
1 Slave & Coal,	7. 0. 0.
1 Do.	0. 10.
1 Do.	5. 0. 0.
	<u>£69. 3. 2.</u>

## Inventory Continued

£ 69. 3. 2.

1 Cart & Wheels	2. 0. 0.
1 Cow & Half	2. 10.
1 Cow	2. 0. 0.
3 Heifers & a Steer	7. 0. 0.
1 Sow, 6 piggs, & 4 Shoots	2. 10.
2 Slays	0. 5.
	<u>£85. 8. 2.</u>

In Obedience to the annexed order of Court we the Subscribers have valued the Es-  
tate of Robert Wingfield as above Given under our hands the day & Year a-  
bove written

Arch. Pleasants  
Joseph Woodson  
Edward Redford

The above Appraisers was duly Qualified before me

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J.W. Reasants

At a Court of Quarter Sessions held for Goochland County the 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 1791. — This Inventory and Appraism of the Estate of Robert Wingfield Deceased is returned to Court and ordered to be recorded.

Teste

Will Miller C.C.

This Indenture made this 5<sup>th</sup> day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred & ninety one between Shadrach Vaughan & Henry Wood of the one part & George Payne on the other part witnesseth that the s<sup>d</sup> Shadrach Vaughan & Henry Wood for & in consideration of the sum of One hundred pounds Current money of Virginia to them in hand paid by the s<sup>d</sup> George Payne the receipt whereof they the s<sup>d</sup> Shadrach Vaughan & Henry Wood do hereby acknowledge have given grant & bargained & sold by these presents do give, grant, bargain & sell unto the s<sup>d</sup> George Payne one certain tract or parcell of Land lying in the County of Goochland on the Branches of Lickinghole Creek bounded by and within the Land lines of Agnes McDonald Booker Parish Frank Boush Geo Rutherford John Richards & the s<sup>d</sup> Henry Wood & containing by estimation one hundred & Twenty five acres be the same more or less. — To have & to hold the afores<sup>d</sup> tract of Land with the appurtenances thereunto belonging unto the s<sup>d</sup> George Payne his heirs & assigns forever & the s<sup>d</sup> Shadrach Vaughan & Henry Wood do for themselves their Heirs Execs & Administrators warrant & by these presents forever defens unto the s<sup>d</sup> George Payne his heirs & assigns forever the above s<sup>d</sup> tract or parcell of Land with the appurtenances afores<sup>d</sup> against the claim or claims of all & every person or person whatever. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands & affixed our Seals the day & year above written.

Signed sealed & Delivered  
in presence of.

Wm Richards

R. Quarles

R. M. Vaughan

Shad. Vaughan Seal

O H. Wood

Seal

Mew<sup>t</sup> that on the day of the date of the within written Indenture peaceable & quiet possession of Livery & Seizure of the within Land & premises was had & taken by the within named Shadrach Vaughan & Henry Wood, & by them delivered unto the within named George Payne according to the true intent & meaning of the within Deed.

Shad. Vaughan

O H Wood

In presence of

Received this 5<sup>th</sup> Day of January one thousand Seven hundred & Ninety one  
of George Payne, the sum of One hundred pounds curr<sup>t</sup> money it being the full  
consideration money for the within Land & premises

Teste

Shad. Vaughan

O H Wood.

At a Court, Contineued and held for Goochland County the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1791.

This Deed of Indenture of Bargain and Sale together with the Livery of Seizure & receipt thereon indorsed from Shadrach Vaughan & Henry Wood to George Payne is presented in Court, and acknowledged by the said Vaughan and Wood to be their Acts and Deeds which is whereupon admitted to Record.

Teste Will Miller C.C.

¶ This Indenture made this 9<sup>th</sup> day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred & Ninety one between George Payne on the one part & Angus M<sup>c</sup> Donald on the other part witnesseth that the s<sup>r</sup> Geo Payne for & in consideration of the sum of One hundred & Six pounds to him in hand paid by the s<sup>r</sup> Angus M<sup>c</sup> Donald the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath given, granted, bargained & sold & by these presents do give, grant, bargain & sell unto the s<sup>r</sup> Angus M<sup>c</sup> Donald his heirs & assigns one certain tract or parcell of Land lying in the County of Goochland on the brancher of Lickinghole Creek, bounded by two thin the Land lines of the s<sup>r</sup> Angus M<sup>c</sup> Donald, Booker Parish, Frank Bush, George Rutherford, John Richards & Henry Wood. And containing by estimation one hundred & twenty five acres be the same more or less. To have & to hold the afores<sup>t</sup> tract of Land

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heirs & assigns forever & the said George Payne doth for himself his heirs & assigns  
warrant by these presents forever defend unto the s<sup>t</sup> Angus M<sup>c</sup> Donald his heirs  
& assigns the above<sup>s</sup> tract of Land with the appurtenances afores<sup>t</sup> against the claim  
of all & every person or persons whatsoever. In witness whereof I have hereunto  
set my hand & affixed my Seal the day & year above written.

Signed, Sealed, & Delivered }  
in presence of {

Wm Morrow.

Thad Vaughan.

Geo. Payne

Seal

Memo. That on the day of the date of the within written Deed peaceable & quiet  
possession of Livery & Seizure of the within Land & Premises was had & taken by  
the within named Geo. Payne & by him delivered to the within named George  
Payne according to the true intent meaning & Effect of the within Indenture.

In presence of

Wm Morrow.

Geo. Payne

Recd of Agnes M<sup>c</sup> Donald this 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1791 the sum of One hundred Five pounds  
it being the full consideration money for the within mentioned Land & Premises

Teste Wm Morrow.

Geo. Payne

At a Court of Quarter Sessions continued and held for Goochland County the 16<sup>th</sup> day of  
August 1791. - This Deed of Indenture of Bargain & Sale together with the Livery of  
Seizure and Receipt thereon indorsed from George Payne to Angus M<sup>c</sup> Donald is presented  
in Court and acknowledged by the said Payne to be his acts and Deeds which is thereupon  
admitted to Record.

Teste

Will Miller C. C.

The Commonwealth of Virginia To Nathl & Majes Joseph Payne &  
 Samuel Poyr Gen<sup>t</sup> Justices of the Peace for the County of Goochland greeting  
 Whereas Thomas Majes & Elizabeth his Wife by their certain Indenture bearing  
 Date the 17<sup>th</sup> Day of January 1791 have sold and conveyed unto John Bernard &  
 others the fee simple Estate of and in 195 Acres of Land with the Appurtenances  
 lying & being in the County of Goochland, and whereas the said Elizabeth cannot  
 conveniently travel to our Courthouse of our said County of Goochland to make  
 Acknowledgment of the said Conveyance, Therefore we do give unto you or any two  
 of you Power to receive the Acknowledgment which the said Elizabeth shall be willing  
 to make before you of the Conveyance aforesaid contained in the said Indenture  
 which is hereto annexed, we therefore command you that you do personally go to the  
 said and receive her acknowledgment of the same, and examine her pri-  
 vately and apart from the said Thomas Majes her Husband whether she doth  
 the same freely and voluntarily without his persuasions and Threats, and whether  
 she be willing that the same shall be recorded in our said County Court, and when  
 you have received her acknowledgment and examined her as aforesaid that you dis-  
 tinctly & openly certify us thereof in our said Court under your Seals sending the  
 there this said Writ and this Indenture. Witness William Miller clk. of our  
 Court at the Courthouse this 15 Day of August 1791: In the 16. Year of our  
 Independence.

W. Miller

In Obedience to the within Commission to us directed we have privately examined  
 Eliz<sup>-</sup> Majes wife of Thomas Majes & have her relinquishment freely  
 touching her right of Dower to the within mentioned Land certified this  
 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 1791.

J. Payne

Seal

S. P. Poyr

Seal

At a court held for Goochland County the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 1791  
 This Commission (with the Deed annexed) with the privy Examination & relinquish-  
 ment of Dower is returned to Court and ordered to be recorded.

Teste W. Miller C. C.

Goochland County

Sept: Court 1785

Joseph Leake, Thos. Eldridge, Meshach Hicks & John Number or any three of them  
 (being first sworn) are appointed to appraise the Estate of John Cox dec'd & that  
 they make return thereof to the next Court

Teste

H. Payne C. C.

Agreeable to Order of the Worshippull Court of Goochland we the Subscribers  
 being first sworn have appraised the Estate of John Cox dec'd as followeth

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I am a fellow	125			
Faney & her child Tom	65			
Phillis a girl	40			
A bed & furniture	6			
Ditto . . . D.	7			
2 Chests . . . . .	1	5		
2 Small trunks . . . . .	" 4	6		
1 Flax wheel . . . . .	" 15			
1 Old bottle case . . . . .	" 2	6		
3 Dishes 12 Plates 1 bacon & 6 spoons	1	7	6	
6 Knives & forks . . . . .	" 2			
1 pine table . . . . .	" 12			
5 Chairs . . . . .	" 7	6		
1 P. Stillard . . . . .	" 15			
1 Spinning wheel . . . . .	" 4			
1 box Irontheatres . . . . .	" 3			

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3 Iron potts	20/-	1	n	n
1 butter pott	3/-	"	3	"
1 Frying pan	3/-	"	3	"
a dun bay mare		15		
a black mare		10	n	n
1 Old Saddle		-	7	6
Carried over		£ 275	10	6
Brought over from other side		£ 275	10	5
1 Old Tub & pail	3/6	"	3	6
2 Axes 2 hilling hoes 1 Grubg hoe 15/-		"	15	0
1 Candle mould & stick	3/-	"	3	0
13 head of cattle		32	0	0
28 head of hogs		7	0	0
1 Drawing knife 1 Auger 2 Chisels 5/6		"	5	6
1 Carpenters tenon Saw	7/6	7	6	
7 Sheep	2 7/6	2	12	6
1 pr Cast wheels		5	0	0
1 Old wheat fan	30/-	1	10	0
3 Casks	18/-	"	18	0
32 1/2 bush Corn	2 15/-	24	7	6
17 1/2 bush wheat	2 5/-	4	7	6
750 Pork	2 30/- per Hundred	11	5	0
2 Stone Jugs	4/-	4	6	0
1 pr Flax Hatchets	12/-	"	12	6
		£	367	6
			6	6

At a court held for Goochland County the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 1791  
 This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of John Cox Deed is presented to  
 Court and ordered to be recorded.

Teste Will Miller C.C.

In the name of God amen. I Benjamin Sadler being perfectly  
in my senses do make & ordain this to be my last will & testament.

I Stev. I give and bequeath unto my son Benj<sup>m</sup> Sadler the land &  
plantation whereon I live together with one fourth part of all my  
other estate consisting of stock household goods &c to him this heirs  
forever.

I Stev. I give unto my son Wm Sadler one cow to him this heirs forever.

I Stev. I give & bequeath unto each of my daughters Mary Susanna &  
Eliz<sup>t</sup> To their heirs forever each one fourth part of all my estate of  
stocks, household goods &c

Lastly. I appoint my friends James George jun<sup>r</sup> & Thos<sup>s</sup> Under-  
wood executors to this my last will & testament as witness my hand  
I Seal this 4<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>r</sup> 1791.

Mich<sup>l</sup> Anderson  
Francis Underwood  
Geo. Underwood

Benj<sup>m</sup> Sadler Esq

Attest, Will for Goochland County the 18<sup>th</sup> day of July 1791.

This writing is presented in court and signed by the author Francis  
George Underwood to be the last will and testament of Benja-  
min Sadler deceased which is ready to record.

Seal

Will Miller Esq



1	"	"
"	3	"
"	3	"
15		
10	"	"
"	7	6
£275	10	6
275	10	6
"	3	6
"	15	0
"	3	0
32	0	0
7	0	0
"	5	6
7	6	
2	12	6
5	0	0
1	10	0
"	18	0
24	7	6
6	7	6
11	5	0
4	6	0
"	12	6
£367	6	6

September 1791  
esq. is presented "

Miller C.C.