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Ans. Bro. prob.

187th 1st 8.

20 Head Hogs	6 th 3 rd 0
9 Head Meat Cattle	11 th 0 th 0
3 Raw Hides	1 th 0 th 0
1 Red Loom	" 6 th 2
1 Washing Tub. 1 Pair. Riggins	" 6 th 0
2 Sides Leather 13 th 1 piece do. 4 th	" 18 th 0
1 Brass Run Cook	2 th 0

206th 19th 10

In Obedience to an Order of the worshipping Court of Halifax to us directed we being first sworn have Appraised in Current Money all the Estate of Richard Arrington to us shewn Given under our hands this 6th day of December 1790.

Robert Wade Jr.
William Blyell
Cammis Wade

At a Court held for Halifax County the 27th day of December 1790
This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of W. Arrington due was Returned into Court And was Ordered to be Recorded.

Given Truly Accused Mr. Thomas M. Tacke Geo. Cunningham,

In the name of God Amen.

John Light of the County of Halifax and Parish of St. James being in a low state of health and weak in body but of sound mind and blessed be God and knowing there is an Appointed time to die and as and as an eternal preparation for that important period do make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following. In the presence of my friends and neighbors

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Equally after mentioned. And as to my worldly possessions that God had graciously given me, I do dispose of the same in the following manner. I give to my son John Light this Two Hundred Acres of land whereon I live. I have given said John one Cow and a Calf. I have one Red and one White horse having made a first choice. I have given the said John my shoe and Carpenter's Tools. I have given to my wife Bridget Light during widowhood or natural life that part of my remaining Estate as she shall think proper for her support, and the Remainder to be divided among my children and after her decease that the remainder thereof be Equally divided among my six children by name. To William. Jacob and John and also Daughters Hannah Brown, Sarah Whitehead Agness Moody I will that my own share and part may be Continued on the Plantation in sold. I will that an Appraisement may be made on my Estate I appoint John Light my son and Joseph Moody my son in law the sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 28th day of September 1790 signed and Delivered

In presence of
William Blyell
Henry Blyell

John Light at
mark

Henry Blyell

Robert M. Moody

At a Court held for Halifax County the 28th day of June 1790
The within written last will and Testament of John Light was exhibited into Court and proved by the oath of Robert M. Moody one of the witnesses thereto subscribed And was Ordered to be Recorded. And at an Extra Court held for the said County the 27th December 1790

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of John Light one of the Quo claim names who made Oath One Regular with
 Nathaniel Hunt. That he having received into Oath Cuthbertson & his
 Bond in the sum of \$1000. as required by Law. Certificate for obtaining
 a probate of the said Oath in due form is granted to him.

Teste. Geo. Varrington Ck.

Pauls July Ransomed

Mr. Thompson D.C. 1765

Declaratory
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In Conformity with an Order of the worshipful Court of Halifax County to us
 directed in the under written commissioners for the purpose being sworn according
 to Law do appraise in Current Money the slaves and personal Estate of
 John slavery deceased as follows to wit.

Negro woman Nancy to \$10. 0. 0

Yellow. Male 50. 0. 0

White Male 10. 0. 0

White Male 35. 0. 0

White Male 30. 0. 0

White Male 25. 0. 0

White Male 20. 0. 0

Horses. Donnell slave Peggy 15. 0. 0

Bay slave 6. 0. 0

Dark Colly 8. 0. 0

Bay Horse 12. 0. 0

Cattle 19 Head 26. 0. 0

Sheep 10 Heads 4. 5. 0

Hogs 20 Heads 7. 15. 0

Swine 3 2. 12. 0

Private Ferry Boat 3. 15. 0

Warpenters Tools 1. 10. 0

Other Tools 5. 0

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Supp. 8. 6

Wines 7. 6

Loose 15. 0

1 Ann. Case Bide 8. 0

Shoes 1. 3

Oyes 4. 0

China Cups & Saucers 12. 6

Chair 3. 0

Wagon Wheel 18. 0

Flay Wheel 14. 6

B. Walnut Chest 12. 0

Bed Furniture & Pillows 8. 0. 0

Shoes 3. 5. 0

a Parcel of Leather 12. 0

a Bed 10. 0. 0

White 10. 0. 0

a Firelock 2. 0. 0

a Desk 5. 0. 0

a Folding Table 1. 15. 0

Wares 1. 10. 6

Cases 7. 6

Alleged Box 7. 6

a Looking Glass 12. 0

a Parcel of Books 1. 17. 6

2 Square Tables 18. 0

2 Round Tables and chairs 7. 0

a Pine Chest 10. 0

4 Common Chairs 12. 0

a Half Bushel measure 2. 6

50 Barrels of Corn 20. 0. 0