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by him my said attorney in witness whereof I have hereunto set my seal
and subscribed my name this 25th day of August 1796
 Test G. Simpson
 Charles Johnson And^o Russell } Robert McCulloch Sec.

At a court held for Washington County the 18th day of October 1796
 This piece of attorney was proven by the oath of George Simpson
 and Andrew Russell two of the Witnesses thereto and ordered
 to be Recorded.

Test
 And^o Russell Sec.

An Inventory and Appraisement of the estate of James Harrold deceased taken October 29th 1796

one small black horse L. 10. one small gelding L. 12.	30	"	"
one dark bay mare L. 5. one black and white cow L. 2. 1/2.	7	14	"
one pided do. L. 3. brindled heifer L. 1. 10. pided heifer L. 2. 3/4.	6	18	"
yearling black and white heifer L. 1. one red bull L. 2. 3/4.	3	8	"
one white heifer calf 10/ brown do. 6/ eleven heads of hogs L. 36	4	2	"
shovels of a plow 7/6 and an 6/ pot rack 1/6 pot and hook 1/6	1	"	"
small pot and hook 7/6 frying pan 3/9 iron wedge 1/6	"	11	9
mattocks 3/ long 3/ two hay forks 3/ table 19/ chest 18/	2	1	"
hammer and chisel 3/ deer stand bed and covered 1/ 4	1	7	"
two pails and shims 3/ saddle and bridle L. 1. 1/2.	1	7	"
barshen plow two clevises and double trees 18/	"	118	"
Matthew Willoughby	59	7	9
John Davis Executor. Robert Brown			
James Davis			

At a court held for Washington County the 20th day of December 1796
 This Inventory and Appraisement of the estate of James Harrold
 deceased was returned to court and ordered to be Recorded.

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Shelby did and being satisfied that the name "Ezra Shelby" subscribed to the said Will is the hand writing of the said Ezra Shelby. It is therefore ordered that the said Will be recorded. And on the motion of Isaac Shelby the surviving executor therein named who made oath there according to Law and together with James Thompson and James Dyson his securities entered into and acknowledged their bonds in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars conditioned as the Law directs. A certificate for the probate of the said Will is therefore granted to the said Isaac Shelby in due form.

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John Andrew Russell S.C.

I know all men by these presents that I James Harold of the County of Washington Farmer for and in consideration of one hundred dollars to me in hand paid have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto John Davis of the County of Washington aforesaid all my interest in the following property to wit: One Sash house one red Cow one Rifle Gun and two stacks one of oats the other of Hay one hundred weight of flax and two Saddles and two beds and furniture one chest and its contents To Have And To Hold the said property to him the said John Davis and to his proper use benefit and behoof. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 18th day of February in the year 1799
James Harold
Sealed and delivered in the presence of us
Andrew Russell
D. Shuffey

At a Court held for Washington County the 20th day of February 1799. This Bill of Sale from James Harold to John Davis was proved by the oath of Daniel Shuffey and Andrew Russell witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. J. W. W.

(97) In the Name of God Amen, This thirty first day of my
one thousand seven hundred and ninety six in the year of
our Lord I James Hemmels of Washington county and state of
Virginia being in perfect mind and memory though weak in body
calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that
it is appointed for all men once to die Do make and order
this my last Will and Testament that is to say prin-
cipally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into
the hands of Almighty God who give it and my body to the
dust to be buried in a decent manner at the discretion of my
Executors hoping that at the general Resurrection I shall re-
ceive the same again, And as touching temporal properties as
hath pleased God to bless me with, in this life I give and
dispose of the same in the following manner— First I give
and bequeath to my well beloved son Robert Hemmels two hun-
dred acres of land with the improvement and the end near
Rattle Creek a Conditional line running straight across from
the South West line sixteen poles below the head of a spring
above the improvements to ^{the} top of the first ridge and up to
ridge for quantity— I now leave and bequeath to my
daughter Mary Marshall a small survey of land being one
Rattle Creek. ~~And to my son James Hemmels I leave the~~
remainder of my lands unto his oldest son that is ^{them} alive
is of age and then said son is to be heir of said land and
Robert Mary and James Hemmels is to have an equal division
of all my other property after my lawful debts is discharged
I do hereby appoint John Davis and my son Robert Hemmels
my sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament In
Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hands and seal
the date and place above written.

Twice interlined before signed

Test. John Davis

James Davis John Moffett

James Hemmels L.S.
mark

At a Court held for Washington County the 18th day of October 1796.
This last Will and Testament of James Hemmels deceased was exhibited
into Court by John Davis one of the executors therein named and
proven by the oath of John Davis James Davis and John Moffett
the witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded. And are
the motions of the said John Davis

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thereto, and together with Matthew Willoughby and James Davis his
securities interest into and acknowledged a bond in the sum of
five hundred Dollars conditioned as the law directs a certificate
therefore is granted him for obtaining a probat of the said
Will in due form.

Test And^w Russell S.C.

Manchester 23^d July 1794 Received of William King four
hundred and thirty three dollars in full for a Negro Woman
battel'd Tomy and her four children Viz. John Snkey Marcia
and Sally the right whereof I hereby bind myself my heirs
&c. to make good to the said William King his heirs &c. against
the claim or demands of all persons whatever as Witness my hand
and seal the day and date above mentioned

Test. Miles Post Jr.

John^{his} Lee Robert McClinham

James McKnight.

Yachinath^{his} Brooks L.S.
mark

At a Court held for Washington County the 16th day of September
1795 This Bill of sale was proven by the oath of Robert C. McClinham
a witness thereto and at a Court held for the said County the
18th day of October 1796 it was further proven by the oath
of John Lee a witness thereto and ordered to be Recorded.

Test And^w Russell S.C.

Know all men by these presents that I Robert McCulloch
late from Franklin County and State of Pennsylvania have made
constituted and appointed and by these presents do make constitute
and appoint William Preston Skillern of Washington County
and State of Virginia my true and lawful Attorney for me
and in my name and in my place and stead to receive
all moneys due or owing to the Copartnership of McCulloch and
Grubb either by Bonds Notes or accounts or in any wise due or
owing to the said Copartnership and I do hereby empower
the said William P Skillern to ask demand and sue for the
same debts aforesaid and to act in all things touching the
premises lawfully as fully as could be done by me if I were
personally present and to receive and grant receipts and
acquittances in my name hereby satisfying all and every act
or acts touching the premises that may be lawfully done.