

At a Court held for Washington County the 15th day of May 1810.
This list of sales of part of the personal estate of Alexander
Myrie dec^d. was returned to Court & ordered to be recorded.

Teste D. Campbell Clk.

An Inventory & appraisement of the personal estate of
James King dec^d. taken this 12th day of May 1810

	dols	cents
1 Bed & furniture & bedstead	60	4
1 do do do	40	"
5 Small Trunks	15	"
3 Chairs	"	75
1 dressing Table & furniture	4	"
1 pair fire irons & tongs	3	"
1 pair Window curtains	"	50
1 Bed & furniture & bedstead	80	"
1 Bureau	20	"
5 Chairs	1	25
9 Counterpanes	54	"
12 sheets	30	"
1 do	20	"
Towells window curtains &c.	4	"
2 Blankets	10	"
1 large Carpet stair carpet & stair rods	60	"
1 sweeping brush	"	75
1 pair looking glasses	80	"
1 side board	75	"
3 large silver spoons 1 doz Table spoons 1 doz desert spoons & 1 3/4 doz tea spoons	120	"
1 pair sugar tongs	2	"
2 sets Castors	20	"
3 salt Cellars	4	50
1 dozen Cutglass tumblers	6	"
2 goblets	6	"
5 small tumbler & 9 wine glasses	2	3/4
4 quart decanters 2 smaller ones	9	"
2 large tumblers	3	"
2 waiters & mats	3	"
1 Pitcher & waiter	1	75
Tea ware plates & dishes	40	
3 flower pots	15	
3 pair Candelsticks & snuffers & snuffer tray	18	
		807.84

1 pair fire iron	10 "	80% 59
1 D ^r . & fender	39 "	
1 pair shovel & tongs	5 "	
6 Common Windsor Chairs & 3 small split bottoms	6 75	
6 Tables & 1 candle stand	55 "	
2 fine Table cloths	16 "	
Table cloths & Towels old	8 "	
1 Tea board	1 50	
1 dozen Chairs	48 "	
1 Carpet	15 "	
52 Volumes of books	32 "	
1 Gutherys Geography & 1 Large Bible	20 "	
1 Carriage & harness	100 "	
1 horse	20 "	
Kitchen furniture	70 "	
1 Rose blanket	4 "	
1 bridle	2 50	412 " 00
		1274 " 50

Pursuant to an Order of the Court of Washington County we have appraised the above property being sworn according to law Given under our hands the date above written.

Chas. J. Carson?
Exec^t. of Jas. King

1 Cow and calf
1 Cow

Andrew Russell
David Campbell
James White

At a Court held for Washington County the 15th day of May 1810.

This Inventory & appraisement of the estate of James King dec^d. was returned to Court & ordered to be recorded.

Teste D. Campbell D.C.

In the name of God Amen! I James Laughlin of Washington ^{County} & State of Virginia being but frail in body & in a low state of Health but of sound & disposing mind & memory, do make & publish this my last Will & Testament in manner & form following Viz. After all my just debts and funeral expences are discharged. I give & bequeath to my beloved Wife Jane Laughlin, my house hold furniture also my negro Girl named Agnes her choice of my horses & two choice cows. Then to my son Alexander D. Laughlin the plantation on which I now live with my mill & one still & furniture

5 I James King of Washington County and State of Virginia, being weak in body but of perfect mind & memory, knowing the uncertainty of life do make & declare this to be my last Will & Testament.

1st I direct that all my just debts be punctually paid.

2^d Whereas my deceased brother William King by his last Will & Testament, directed, that during the life time of his wife, she William Trigg & myself should carry on his business in copartnership with the said brother & merchandizing each equal shares; and the said William King having declined any share or concern in the mercantile business, William Trigg and myself entered into a partnership agreement by which we are bound to carry on the mercantile business during the life of the said Mary King for our mutual benefit: and doubt having been suggested as to the disposal of the said ~~of the said~~ mercantile capital by the Will of my said brother William King, deceased, we agreed & covenanted that if it should be decided that we took an absolute estate in the said capital we would carry on the business as directed by the Will, but if the use only of the capital was given to us during the life of Mary King, we would then carry on mercantile business on our own accounts with our own capitals for each others mutual benefit. In pursuance of our agreement & of my intention I hereby direct that Charles C. Carson my Executor in conjunction with the said William Trigg carry on the mercantile business as above directed, and that as a compensation to my said Executor for so doing, he receive one half of the profits which would have fallen to my share — the other half to be divided as hereinafter directed.

3. I Will & bequeath to my wife Sarah King my house and lot in the Town of Nashville State of Tennessee now occupied by Alexander Richardson known & distinguished in a plan of the said Town by the number sixty seven with its appurtenances and the following slaves to wit: One negro woman named Hannah One boy named Samuel & one named Joe in the said Town of Nashville, one negro girl named Mary & one boy named Alexander in my possession for and during her natural life. Also I will & bequeath to my said wife all my house hold & kitchen furniture one horse named Tom & my small carriage with harness complete for two horses to her & her heirs forever.

4th I Will & bequeath to my said wife Sarah two thousand dollars being what I suppose would be her proportion of the

profits of my mercantile business since the 13th day of October 1801
also one third part of a debt due to me from the firm at Nashville
Tennessee of Trigg Richardson & Co. for the business of King Carron
& King at that place to her & her heirs forever to be paid when the
estate of William King deceased is fully adjusted by the Executors
and his debts paid.

5th It is my Will and intention & I hereby direct that as far as
my estate is interested the saltworks be carried on according to an
agreement entered into between Mary King William Trigg & myself
that my part be under the direction of my Executor during the life
of Mary King, & that my portion of the proceeds of the said Works
be annually during the life of Mary King divided as follows— One
third to my wife Sarah— One third to Charles S. Carron my
executor as a compensation to him for his trouble in attending to
the interests of said Works and executing my Will and the other
third to be equally divided among my three children William, Thomas
and Rachel Mary Eliza.

6th Should the real estate of my brother William not pass by the
devise in his Will, but descends to the heirs at law then, should
my wife out live Mary King widow of said William I hereby bequeath
to her one third of the profits of my portion of the saltworks during
her natural life.

7th Should the real estate of my brother William pass by the
devise in his Will to my son William then it is my Will and
intention that my said son William receive or take no part of
my estate— but that the same both real & personal be equally
divided between my other two children Thomas and Rachel
Mary Eliza. But should he not take the said estate by the
said devise then I Will & bequeath all my estate both real &
personal which I now possess or which may descends to me from
my brother William by devise or otherwise (except what I have
herein before disposed of) to my said three children William,
Thomas & Rachel Mary Eliza & to their heirs forever.

8th It is my Will & direction that my children be well educated let
it cost what it may after the payment of my debts.

9th And lastly I do hereby constitute & appoint my trusty faithful
friend Charles Stuart Carron my sole executor of this my last

Will & Testament well knowing his attachment to myself & family
& that he will act towards them the part of a friend & do hereby
direct that he be not required to give security in taking probate of
this my last Will & Testament for the faithful execution of the
same as I have the utmost confidence in him. I also direct
that no public sale be made of any part of my estate, but that
where it may be necessary for the payment of debts or other-
wise, the same be sold by my executor, he having regard to
specific legacies. In Witness whereof I have here to subscribed
my name & affixed my seal this twenty first day of October
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
nine.

Signed sealed published & declared
by Jas King as his last Will and
Testament in the presence of us
who subscribed our names thereto
as witnesses in his presence & at his
request.

J King Seal

D. Campbell

William Trigg

At a Court held for Washington County the 16th day of January 1810

This last Will & Testament of Jas King dec^d was exhibited into
Court, proven by D. Campbell one of the subscribing witnesses thereto
& ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of Charles Stuart Carson
the executor therein named who took the oath of an executor
presented by law & it having been directed ^{by the said Court} that he be not required to
give security in taking probat of the said Will - A Certificate
is therefore granted him for the probat of the said Will into
due form without giving security. And at a Court held for
the said County the 20th day of February 1810 it was
farther proven by the oath of William Trigg a
subscribing witness thereto & ordered to be recorded.

Teste D. Campbell - C.