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In the name of God Amen. I James White
of the County of Washington Commonwealth of Virginia, being at present
though weak of body yet of perfect mind and memory, and
calling to mind the uncertainty of this life and that it is
appointed for all men once to die and after death to come
to judgement, Do make and Ordain this my last Will and
Testament in the manner and form following, Viz, First and
principally I commend my soul to God who gave it and my body to
the earth from whence it was taken to be buried in a Christian
like manner at the discretion of my Executors hereafter mentioned
and as for such worldly things as it hath pleased God to bless me
with in this life I give and bequeath as follows, Viz, I will that all my just debts and funeral Charges be fully paid
and satisfied. Now I give and bequeath to my beloved wife
Susanna the full use of all my estate real & personal and
Slaves for to raise and support herself and my Children during
her widowhood, but in case that my said wife shall
contract a second marriage then my will is that my said
wife shall then have one third of all my personal estate
Divided and laid off to her by my Executors. But in
case no such second marriage shall be contracted then
my will is that my wife shall hold and enjoy my
whole estate Real personal and slaves during her natural
life. Also I will also that all my Children namely
Martha, William, Mary, Spencer, Moses, and Joseph, or any that may
be born to me by my said wife by me begotten in my life
time may be all and every of them equal sharers of all and
any of goods and chattels lands and tenements except as
before specified at the time hereafter mentioned. Viz, Provided
such second marriage shall be contracted as above that
then my said Children shall have their parts as they shall
be the age of twenty one years or sooner if they or any of
them shall contract marriage, but in case no such second
marriage shall be contracted, then my Children may not
receive any part thereof during my said wife's natural
life. Provided should any of my said Children die
before they shall arrive to age leaving no lawful

part of their body their parts shall be divided equally among my children. And lastly I do make constitute ordain and appoint my loving brother Joseph White and my trusty friends friends and brother in law John McCullough executors to this my last Will and Testament such and making void all former Wills and becomen heretofore by me made ratifying and confirming this and this only as my last will and Testament and these my executors And Witnesses whereof I have hereunto set my hands and seal this twenty eighth day of October one thousand seven hundred and ninety six.

Signed Sealed and published by the Testator as his last Will and Testament in presence of us James Duffey, Daniel White, John White. *Moses White Senr.*

At a Court held for Washington County the 2nd day of February 1797. This last Will and Testament of Moses White decd was proved by the oath of James Duffey a witness thereto. and at a court held for the said County the 2nd day of March 1797 It was further proved by the oath of John White a witness thereto and ordered to be Recorded. And on the motion of John McCullough and Joseph White the executors therein named who made oath thereto according to Law and together with W^m Richardson and William Hudson their securities entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four hundred pounds Conditioned as the Law directs, a Certificate is therefore granted them for the proof of the said Will in due form.

Test Andth Russell & Co.

In the name of God Amen. I John Preston of Washington County in the State of Virginia, being of perfect mind and memory, and calling to mind the mortality of my body knowing it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament as followeth. (viz) I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that give it and my body to be buried in a decent Christian manner at the discretion of my Executors, believing that at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Almighty power of God; and as touching such worldly

22. An Inventory & Appraisement
of the Estate of Moses White deceased taken the
11th day of February 1797, and concluded 13th May 1797

1 Negro woman named ussa	£60	negro girl named Cuffy	£30
1 Negro boy named Tony	£25	Sorrel horse	£25 49
Black cow	£3.15	Black cow & calf	£3.10 7 5
1 old cow	£2.10	red cow	£3.5
Red heifer	£2.5	Black heifer	£2 4 5
2 Yearling Steers	£3.12	Dark heifer	£1.10 5 2
1 yearling bull	£1.7	head sheep	£2.15
19 head of sheep	£2.7	6 bushels of corn	7 7
23 ¹ / ₂ lbs feathers	£4 3	1 bed & furniture	£10 14 5 6
Bed and furniture	£9	1000 saddle	£3.12 12 12
Womans Saddle and bridle	£4.3		4 3
Rifle gun and shot pouch	£2	pair 1000 baggies	3 4
Bed quilt	£2.2	two old blankets	£1 3 2
Walnut bedstead	£2	ash bedstead	10 1 2
Bar plough and double tree	£2	pair horse	4 10
hairs	£1.16	Mallock	8 3
2 axes	14	two flat irons	6
Virginia Cloth coat	£2.10	1000 & 1000 jackets	12 3 2
Striped Worsted Jacket	£18	1000 worsted stockings	9 1 7
Pair of shoes	12	pair hat	20
Wheel	15	glass wheel	2 7
Chalk wheel & Looking Glass	6	small seat	1 6
skin trunk	6	old leather trunk	6
Tables of two pewter dishes	16	6 two piece basins	2 4
4. Pewter plates of coffee	10	1000 of	2 4
Bag of 12 Corn	8	small 1000 of	2 4
Space for 1000 of	10	1000 of	2 4
two pairs of 1000 of	10	1000 of	2 4
Small bar shear plough	15	cutting bar	1 4
hicks	26	1000 of	18 6

John McCulloch George Finley
Joseph White John White
Jno. James Maxwelle

At a Court held for Washington county the 16th day

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of May 1797 The Inventory & Appraisment of the Estate of
Thomas White dec^d was returned to Court and Ordered to be
Recorded.

Test
And^o Russell d.c.

Know all men by these presents that I Thomas Jamison of
Washington county in the State of Virginia, have for and in
consideration of the sum of Eight dollars current money of the
United States, bargained, sold, assigned over and transferred
to Andrew Russell of the county aforesaid, all the estate,
right, title interest, and demands which I have in a certain
Entry of Land with the Surveyor of Washington County aforesaid,
made and admitted by a Land Office bearing warrant
issued the 10th day of September 1796, designated by the
N^o 692 being an exchanged warrant issued in the name
of the said Andrew Russell, and the one hundred and
aforesaid assigned by him, to wit, which said Entry
together with the warrant in which the same is
thereby assigned over and transferred to the said Andrew
Russell his heirs and assigns forever. And I do further
by these presents constitute and appoint the said Andrew
Russell my irrevocable attorney with full power and
authority in my name and for his own benefit and
advantage to do act and perform in every respect as
fully and amply as I the said Thomas Jamison
might or could do were I personally present, and
I do hereby further authorize and empower the said Surveyor
of Washington county to make out the certificate of conveyance
in the name of the said Andrew Russell in the same
manner as if the Entry aforesaid had been admitted
and made in the name of the said Andrew Russell.