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One Mans Saddle and bridle one Old till one Monars till  
five Whizzels one Gauge one Gauge & Enter etc. one old  
Tunk one Looking Glass one Pearl bottle one Gun with  
Iron Ballen good Bells one Down six Rings & two Harp  
two Whale five Hounds one Plate one Large Bible one  
Prayer Book one Hyman till some old Books Ten Reap  
Books one Pearl wheel one Shiller 12 Green Twelve  
Pounds Silver Year Pence hard Money

John Hurry Debtless Silver hard Dollars  
37 1/2 Gallons of Brandi L 11: 5 Currency  
10 Silver Pounds Eight Shillings

William Hurry Debt 11 Gallons & 3/4 Brandi L 4 11/2  
The Inventory taken the first June 1787  
and returned as due Judith Briggs Clerk  
Duly Sworn to in Open Court

Test R. M. Murphy

Goods sold of the Estate of Nicholas Browning Dea on January  
the 26<sup>th</sup> 1787 by Edward Browning & Lechea Browning Esqrs  
Anatias Green to one Cow & Yearling L 4. 6  
John Hyslop to one Saw & Dogs 1 10  
Eight Cows to one Yearling Mares 16  
Richard Arnold to one Mares 5 1  
Samuel Cornett to one Raw hide 17  
Samuel Cornett ditto 15  
Edward Browning to one Cutting knife 16  
John Cook to one Pickaxe & Pick 8

This sum sold to discharge the Debt L 29 13  
Goods valued and divided amongst the Creditors  
Head of Hogs 12 1/2 to 8 Chairs 12 1/2 1 5  
To Table 8 1/2 to 2 Water Vessels 1/2 15 6  
To half Dozen plates 15 1/2 to 1/2 of plates 12 1/2 1 7 6  
To one lot of plates 12 1/2 to 1/2 1 5  
To half Dozen Spoons 1 4  
Duly Sworn to L 44 17 1/2

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Brought forward L 44 17 1/2  
To half Dozen knives and forks 5  
To pair of Nodges 10 1/2 to 3 quart bottles 14  
To one hand saw & Drawing knife 8  
To 1 Stock lock 10 1/2 to 1 Hammer 10 1/2  
To 2 Bridles 4 1/2 to 2 Hells 8 1/2 to 2 Dittos 14 1/2  
To one Dress of Iron 15  
To one pot and one Spoon 2  
To one pair of Flat Irons 8  
To one Pan 5 to one Iron pot rack 13  
To one Grid Pan 1 to one Chimney 26  
To one large Bible 1 10  
To one Book 1/2 to one Horse L 10 4  
To one Small wheel 10 1/2

L 23 10 2  
Lechea Browning  
Edward Browning Esqrs

Sworn to in Open Court  
Test R. M. Murphy

Know all men by these presents that I Thomas Hightower  
of the County of Carroll and State of North Carolina  
for the sum of Five Shillings Currency the receipt of which  
I do hereby acknowledge to have received of John Dobbin have  
granted Bargained sold and confirmed unto the said John  
Dobbin his heirs and Executors the following property  
that is to say one Negro Boy named Simon about  
five years old one Negro Girl named Abby about five  
years old two Beds and Furniture & all other Household  
articles that is this day belonging unto the said Thomas  
Hightower The above mentioned property the said Hightower  
do bind himself his heirs & Executors to see forthcoming  
at the request or Demand of the said John Dobbin and  
do Acknowledge and Defend and confirm in Title of the  
Simple unto the said Dobbin his heirs and

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Ordered forw<sup>th</sup> the said property as the claim or claims  
of every person or persons who have, or shall have any hand  
and seal this 10th day of Decem<sup>r</sup> 1785  
In the words between  
the 1st & 2d line from the bottom  
(or Person) Subscribed before signed

James Higginson

Teste  
J. J. Lox  
Robbin  
John J. Loxley Pres<sup>t</sup>

This Bill of Sale was duly proved in  
Open Court by the oath of John J. Loxley & others  
Went to & Came to be recorded

Teste A. Murphy

Whereas it is by these presents that I William Stone of the County  
of Burke and State of Georgia have for the sum of Forty Pounds  
Current money to me in hand paid by James Robertson of  
the County of Caswell and State of North Carolina (G.D.) the  
receipt whereof by the said William Stone hath hereby  
acknowledged hath given granted Bargained & sold unto the  
said James Robertson a Certain Negroe Boy Slave named  
Linda about six years old And the said William Stone  
do warrant and defend the Title of the said Linda free and  
Clear from the said claim or claims of me My heirs &  
and assigns and from the Just claim of all and every other  
Person or Persons holding or claiming the said Linda from or among  
him them or any of them to the only proper use and behoof  
of him the said James Robertson his heirs &  
and assigns forever In Witness whereof I have hereunto  
set my hand & affixed my seal this 26th day of December  
Anno Dom<sup>i</sup> 1785

Signed sealed & Delivered  
in presence of

A. Murphy  
A. Murphy

Wm Stone

This Bill of Sale was duly proved in Open Court by  
the oath of A. Murphy & others  
Went to & Came to be recorded

Teste A. Murphy

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Know all men by these presents that we Elizabeth Galtrey & Sarah  
Sheppard both of the County of Caswell and State of North Carolina  
are held and firmly bound unto John Moore & John Summers  
of the same place in the last and last sum of Two Hundred pounds  
to be paid unto the said John Moore & John Summers their  
heirs their heirs & assigns in full payment to the which payment it  
will and lawfully to be made as hereinafter appears And we do hereby  
bind ourselves jointly & severally by these presents sealed with our seals  
and dates this 1st day of September Anno Dom<sup>i</sup> 1786

Whereas John Sheppard a Soldier belonging to the 2<sup>d</sup> Regiment  
of the State of North Carolina in the said Capt. John Summers  
Company did while in the service of his Country And whereas  
the said Elizabeth Galtrey & Sarah Sheppard are heirs to the said  
John Sheppard & are entitled & capable to inherit of him the said  
John Sheppard the said John for his services aforesaid

And of the said Elizabeth Galtrey & Sarah Sheppard their  
heirs & assigns shall forever freely and lawfully Clear and  
discharge the said Moore & Summers against all persons persons  
Whosoever that shall in future pretend to claim the said  
Moore & Summers from the said  
Elizabeth Galtrey & Sarah Sheppard their heirs &  
assigns forever in full payment & effect

Agreed sealed & Delivered  
in presence of

Thomas Parker  
William Johnston

Elizabeth Galtrey  
Sarah Sheppard

The Condition of this Bond was duly proved in Open Court  
by the oath of Thomas Parker a subscribing Witness  
Went to & Came to be recorded

Teste A. Murphy