

An Inventory of the Estate of Thomas
Rigg deceased

Seven Head of ~~Cattle~~ Horses
 26 Head of Cattle
 22 Head of Sheep
 32 Head of Hogs
 5 Leather Beds and furniture. 3 barrels
 1 Chest 4 Selling Chair 1 Cotton & 2 Iron
 1 small trunk 1 Looking Glass
 1 pair of Cotton & Wool Cards & Kate & spindle
 several books & 2nd Year 6 rapbooks
 2 pair of Trowsers 1 man's saddle 3 bridles
 6 Water Nets 1 Churn 6 Butter pots
 6 Butter Basins & dishes 7 plates
 1 Doz. Spoons 5 tin 1st knives & forks
 5 Iron pots 1 oven 1 Skillet
 1 Frying pan 3 pair of Collars
 1 Iron Ladle 1 Flesh fork 3 Jugs
 2 Bottles 4 Haggheads 2 Casks
 1 Waggon & Gun 1 set smiths tools
 a few pounds bare Iron 1 Bar Shear
 3 small st. of Axes 8 broad Hoes
 4 Mattocks 1 Grubbing a parcel of
 Carpenter & Joiner tools
 1 X Cut Saw 2 Saddle Sticks

1 Half pint pott 1 Copper box 1 Salt Sifter
 7 Bells 2 sack bags 1 Collar 5 Slays
 1 Flea Hatbell 1 Shoe Hammer pinners & Nippers
 1 Shoe knife 1 pair of Iron Wedges 2 pair Sheep
 Shears 1 Negro Man
 Open Account against Nathl Seale for some Collars
 Cash on hand three french Crowns 1 Dollar
 30 wool Hatts 3 bee hives

The above is a Just inventory of the Estate
of Thomas Rigg Dece^d as can be now made

In witness whereof
 I Thomas Rigg
 Stephen Rigg

Rock County September term 1796

An Inventory of the Estate of
Thomas Rigg Dece^d of which the foregoing
is a true Copy was returned by the adm^r
thereof & ordered to be recorded which is done
accordingly by

Thos. Armstrong
 for Robt Williams ec.

In the name of God. Amen:
 I Henry Boyer of the County of Rock County
 State of North Carolina being weak in body
 but of sound in Judgment and Calling to
 mind the mortality of my body

And that it is appointed for all
 men to die and come to judgement
 I do make this my last will
 and testament in the following
 manner & first I give my soul
 to god & my body to be buried in
 a decent manner at the direction
 of my Executors hereafter mentioned
 Item I will and bequeath to my
 beloved wife Catharine Boyer all
 my moveable estate while she
 lives after my just debts is paid
 excepting unto Margret Adam
 & John I do allow my beloved wife
 to give unto my three Children
 mentioned here before half to
 each of them as soon as she can
 raise them at the age of six
 months the said balance is to
 be delivered to the said Margret
 Adam and John if they choose
 to accept of them If they refuse

to have them I will & bequeath unto them
 Margret Adam & John one English Shilling
 a piece Likewise I will & bequeath to
 Jacob & Henry other three three of my Children
 one English Shilling a piece
 Likewise I give & bequeath to my three Sons
 Joseph Sisk & Robert Boyer all the land
 that I possess to be kept for them by the
 Executors also I do allow my beloved wife
 & three sons Joseph Sisk & Robert to live on
 the said land till Robert comes of age
 I also do allow if my wife should die
 before the said Robert Boyer should come
 of age I do allow the said Robert and
 Sisk to be bound to some good trade
 If my wife should survive till the said
 Robert comes of age then the said land
 is to be sold by the Executors at public
 sale to the highest bidder and the money
 to be equally divided between my three
 sons Joseph Isaac & Robert Likewise
 I do allow the moveable property
 that is left at my wifes decease
 to be sold and the money to be equally
 divided amongst all my Children
 In Witness whereof I have hereunto

Interchangibly set my hand and seal
this twentieth day of August in the
year of our Lord one thousand
seven hundred and ninety six.

Test His Henry Boyer Seal
Henry Bour Seal
Mark Robert Erad Executor
Byron Blackburn

Stokes County Decembur 1796

The execution of the last will &
Testament of Henry Boyer deceased
of which the foregoing is a true copy
was proven in open Court by the oath
of Henry Boyer one of the legdators
therein ordered to be recorded which is
readily done by

Wm. Armstrong
for Rob. W. Johnson

It is remembered this Eleventh
day of November in the year of our
Lord one thousand seven hundred
& ninety Six that William J. J. J.
of the County of Stokes State of
North Carolina departed this life

on Saturday the fifth of this month
and had then no written will nor any
Conveyance to perfect the same at that
instant of time, yet notwithstanding
his then extreme illness he was of a sound
& disposing mind and memory when
calling to his recollection the disposition
of his worldly Estate he inform'd his
son David Joiner I requested him commit
-ly to care of his then personal estates
& likewise his wife Mary & his Children
Jenny Sally Atherson & Betsey meaning
thereby that he David should be Guardian
to his Sisters Jenny Sally & Elizabeth &
his Brother Atherson and that when they
the said Children should severally come
of age that they and each of them
should take an equal proportion
out of his said Estate share and
share alike first deducting the payment
of his just & lawful debts which he
further requested his said son David
to make. To all which he called his
friend Joseph Joiner to see and cause
to be perfected, meaning thereby (as it was