

Agreeable to an order of the worshipping Court of London to us directed to meet and appraise the Estate of John  
 Smith, deceased, and make a true return of the same to the Administrators and Administrator we have  
 appraised the following Articles, and return an Inventory of the same — Borough PL 128

2 Head of hogs 2 sh. per head	3.	2 Glass Bottles	1.
7 Head of swine 2 sh. per head	14.	2 Looking glasses	1. 6
1 Ditto and calf at 4/6	2.	2 Dishes, 2 Basins, 9 plates, 10 spoons	1.
2 Three year old steers 35/6	3. 10.	7 knives, 9 Forks,	7.
5 Two year old steers, at 25/6	6. 5.	4 Combs,	4.
6 Year old, at 12/6	3. 12.	6 Chairs	15.
1 Stear horse	20.	3 Yards coarse cloth	1. 1.
1 Dean gelding	7.	1 Big coat	15.
1 Grey Ditto	9.	1 Bed, 2 sheets, 1 Blanket, 1 coverlid, 1 Flise	10.
1 Mare, and year old colt.	17.	1 Ditto, 2 sheets, 1 Blanket, 1 coverlid, 1 Flise	5.
1 Three year old gelding	9.	1 Ditto, 2 sheets, 1 Blanket, 1 Flise	3.
1 Old waggon	7.	1 Padlock	1. 6
1 Log chair	10.	1 Bridle	2.
5 Hoes, 3 weeding, 2 grubbing	15.	1 Loom	6.
1 Hand saw, 1 Auger, 1 Chisel, 1 Drawing knife, 1 Hammer	10.	1 Run hoghead	4.
6 Axes	1. 8.	1 Barshare Plough	1.
1 Widge	3.	1 Chest	5.
3 Steel traps	2. 9.	1 Table	2.
1 Shovel plough	7. 6	5 Bells at 3/6	15.
1 Rifle Gun and shot bag	3. 10.	1 Negro named Jade	60.
1 Shot Ditto	1.	1 Negro Girl named Esther	70.
1 Pistol	10.	340 Acres of land with the improvements	130.
1 Broken Ditto	5.	One piece of land at 2/6 per acre	
3 Old Rades	7.	The number of Acres not being ascertained we could not set the sum to it by reason of an old survey, that has taken part of it and we cannot tell what number of Acres is left, until run out by a surveyor.	
2 pair of cards	7.		
3 Weavers shuttles	1.		
9 Reading Books	1.		
1 Pair of Stallyards	16.		
1 Mans saddle	1.		
1 Womens Ditto	1. 5.		
1 Pair of saddle bags	5.		
2 Spinning wheels	10.		
2 Iron pots	1.		
2 Dutch Ovens, 1 Skillet	1.		
2 Smoothing Irons	3.		
6 Water vessels	10.		
1 Churn	2. 6		
12 Tubs	5.		
2 Coffin Potts	5.		
1 Hair Mower and hook	5.		
	123.		

Certified from under our hands this 10<sup>th</sup> June A.D  
 1791. Alex<sup>r</sup> Kelpatrick,  
 W<sup>m</sup> Mackay,  
 W<sup>m</sup> Nevill.

Note of Uriah Conner - 4.  
 Ditto of James Gillison - 20.  
 Ditto of James Gillison - 15.  
 A Cow and calf from M<sup>r</sup>. Miller - 2.  
 £ 31

South Carolina, Washington District. In the Name of God Amen, I Matthew Thompson, of the District  
 and State above mentioned, being through the abundant mercy of God living weak in body though in perfect understanding  
 and memory, do constitute this my last will and testament, and desire that my soul may be received by all as such. I  
 most humbly bequeath my soul to God beseeching him through his all sufficient merits, to make a  
 satisfaction for my sins, humbly beseeching him to prepare me for the time of dissolution, & to take me



What Brought forward	Feb. 19. 8	What Brought forward	Feb. 1. 8
One small plough and iron	£ 12. -	Two Furniture	£ 8. 5. -
Eight hids of hogs	1. 17. 4	Some wooden ware	8. 0. -
Two Mattocks one axe and iron ridge	1. 2. -	Two chairs	4. -
A quantity of new hoes	1. 6. 8	Cotton cards, and shears	1. 6. -
One razor a man	10. -	Three beds, and furniture	12. 6. 6
One Razor a woman	55. -	One barrel Iron bound and cagg	8. 2. -
One Razor boy	10. -	One red and gear	8. -
One set of sewing irons	4. -	Carpenter tools,	3. 3. -
Three spinning wheels	1. 10. -	Books	8. 6. -
One spinning wheel	10. -	Two bedsteads and cords.	12. 0. -
One Dutch oven, and pot-rack, and pot hooks	1. -		
	£ 181. 1. 8		

James Long.  
 W<sup>m</sup> Thompson.  
 James Thompson.

In the Name of God Amen, I Giles Gant, of the County of Pendleton and State of South Carolina, being very sickly and weak in body, but of perfect mind and memory, thanks be to God, calling to mind the Mortality of my body, and that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and order this my last will and testament, that is to say, principally and first of all, I give and recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God, that gave it; & my body, I recommend to the earth, to be buried in decent Christian manner, at the discretion of my executors, nothing doubting but at the general resurrection, I shall receive the same again, by the mighty power of God, & as touching such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life. I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner & form; first I give & bequeath unto my dearly beloved wife Elizabeth, the third part of all my moveable estate, likewise one of my horses, & her saddle, likewise she is to have her living on my plantation & my house during her widow hood & my household furniture, she is to have during her widowhood for to raise my children on & then they are to be her own, and the plantation after her widowhood is to be let out on rent for to raise up my children & school them, and after my wife's decease, the sd plantation, I bequeath to my son William when he is come of age he is to have privilege any where on it, not interrupting nor molesting the widow in the improvement, except by consent, also the new survey that I made over the creek joining to my old survey, containing four hundred & ninety two acres, two hundred & forty acres of the South end belongs to Robert Telford, according to my contract, and the other two hundred & forty six acres, I bequeath to my two sons Hugh & John to be divided between them, & the rest of my moveable Estate & stock of horses, & cattle, sheep, & hogs, are to be sold, & the money to be equally divided amongst all my children, except as much as will furnish my Nephew Abigail a spinning wheel, a bought suit of clothes one cow & calf, one bed tick one sheet and blanket, if she stays till she is eighteen years of age, & if she does not, it is at the discretion of my Executors, to give her what they see proper. — & I do hereby constitute order and appoint Robert Telford, and Elizabeth my wife my executors, & Executrix of this my last will & testament. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty first day of July, one thousand seven hundred and ninety two.

Giles Gant. 

William Gant, <sup>his</sup> mark  
 William Armstrong <sup>his</sup> mark  
 Margaret O. Armstrong <sup>his</sup> mark

Proved in Court, January twenty four, 1793.  
 J. Miller, clk.