

This Indenture made the twentieth Day of December in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty, & in the fourth Year of Americas Independency, Between Mary Chapman of the County of Colleton, in the Province of South Carolina of the one Part, and Elander Chapman & Frances Chapman of the County aforesaid, Daughter & Son of the said Mary Chapman of the other part, Witnesseth, that the said Mary Chapman, as well for & in consideration of the natural Love & affection which she hath & beareth unto her said beloved Daughter & Son, Elander & Francis Chapman, as also the Sum of Five shillings Sterling Money of the said Province, to her in hand paid, by the said Elander & Francis Chapman, hath Given granted & confirmed, & by these presents doth Give grant and confirm, unto her said Daughter & Son Elander & Francis Chapman, all Horses marked & Branded thus FD, & LD, & neat Cattle marked with a Crop, underheel & a hole in each Ear, and Branded thus FD, or LD, & also household furniture of all Kind, in what Place or Places soever the same shall be found, as well in her own possession and custody, as in the Custody or possession of any other person or persons what soever, as they now are, or which at any Time hereafter, during the Life of the said Mary Chapman, may be improved or increased, To have & to hold, all & singular the said Horses & neat Cattle, & all other Premises aforesaid unto the said Elander Chapman & Francis Chapman, their Executors, Administrators & Assigns for ever. Provided always, and upon Condition, that they the said Elander & Francis Chapman, their Executors Administrators & Assigns, Do & shall permit and suffer, her the said Mary Chapman, to have Use, Occupy & possess and Enjoy, the said Horses, Neat Cattle & all and singular the Premises above Granted, for and during so long Time, as the said Mary Chapman shall happen to Live. & the said Mary Chapman for her Self, Executors & Administrators, doth Covenant Grant and agree, to and with the said Elander Chapman & Francis Chapman, their Executors & Administrators, by and under the Conditions aforesaid, and not otherwise, shall and may peaceably and Quietly enjoy, have and hold all and singular the Horses, Neat Cattle and Premises aforesaid, in manner aforesaid, Without any Molestation, hindrance or interruption, by any person or persons Whatsoever, claiming under her, or by Acts means or Procurements, Witness my Hand this 20<sup>th</sup> Day of December 1780 —

Mary Chapman  
 I mark

George Nix

An Inventory & Appraisement of Andrew Teasters Estate Deceased

November the 1<sup>st</sup> 1788 — Nix

2 Head of Cattle	3
5 Head of Sheep	2. 7
3 Head of Hogs	2. 16
1 Sett Shoemakers Tools	8
1 # Shoes	3. Δ
1 # Shoe & Knee buckles	1. 8
1 # Sleeve Buttons & Broache	3. 2
1 Stock Buckle	9. Δ
1 Doz. Coat Buttons	2
1 Tumbler & Bottle	1
1 Bridle & Side of Leather	13. Δ
2 # Stockings 1 # Garters	10
1 # Leggins	6
1 Shirt & band	3. 6
3 Coats, & Jackcoats, & 1 # Breeches	1. 10
1 # Spurns	4. 8
2 Handkerchiefs	3
1 Blanket	8
1 Matt	8
1 # Saddle Baggs	7
1 Hatchet	8
22 Bush <sup>l</sup> Corn	2. Δ
3 Plates	2 Δ
1 Troe	Δ
Δ Fleeces of Wool	8
1 Indent	5. 8
6 or Flax	10

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William Edwards }  
 Elhnor Green } Appraisers  
 Henry Dias }

Examind & Recorded this 9<sup>th</sup> April 1789

Thom: Wylde D<sup>y</sup>: W<sup>o</sup>

The Division of Will<sup>m</sup> Baxter's Estate Jan<sup>y</sup> the 23. 1788

We Will<sup>m</sup> Vince, Joseph Vince & John Collins, being appointed to Divide the Estate of Will<sup>m</sup> Baxter Deed. Met on the above Day for that Purpose, have thought proper by & with the consent of the Heirs, to make the following Division, that is to say, Catherine Baxter is to have the following Negroes that is to say Cuff, & Pegg, & the Household Goods & Cattle, for her Part. & Theophilus Baxter is to have Doll, Cambridge, July & Lewis, Thomas Moore in behalf of Zachariah Griffen is to have Dublin & Dave.

In the Presence of  
Amos Way

W Vince  
Joseph Vince  
John Collins

We the Heirs of William Baxter, do hereby acknowledge that We are perfectly satisfied with the within Division Given under our Hands this 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of January 1788

Witness  
Amos Way

Thom<sup>h</sup> Moore

Catherine<sup>hen</sup> Baxter

Theophilus<sup>mark</sup> Baxter

Examined & Recorded this 9<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1789

Thom<sup>h</sup> Wylde Jfc. Wc

The Estate of Andrew Tester to In<sup>r</sup> Green Adm<sup>r</sup>

To attendance & Funeral Expences	5
To attending Court for Letters of Administration	7
To going twice to the Clerks Office	10
To my Trouble for Collecting the Things & having them appraised	1
To returning the Inventory at Court	7
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	£ 28

John Green

Examined & Recorded this 9<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1789

Thom<sup>h</sup> Wylde Jfc. Wc

South Carolina } Know all men by these presents that  
Winton County } Thom<sup>h</sup> Morris for and in consideration of  
Sum of Seventy four Pounds Sterling, to me in hand paid,  
Bargain'd & sold & deliver'd unto John Platts, one Negro  
named Dido, about fourteen Years old, which said Negro  
Girl, I do by these presents Warrant & Defend her, from a  
Persons or persons whatever, who shall or may lay any  
Title or Claim; unto the said John Platts, or his Heirs, Adm<sup>r</sup>  
nistrators or Assigns for ever, Given under my Hand this  
11<sup>th</sup> Day of August 1788 & the thirteenth Year of America  
Independency

Thomas Morris Seal

Signed Seald & deliver'd  
in the Presence of  
Richard Creech  
John Gill

South Carolina } This Day, Rich<sup>d</sup>  
Winton County } Creech, personally

came before me, & after being duly Sworn on the Holy  
Gospel, Deposeth, that he did see Thomas Morris Sign  
& as his Act & Deed, deliver the within Instrument of Writing  
to John Platts, & acknowledge the same to be his Hand  
Seal. This Deponant further saith, that he also saw John  
Gill, subscribe his Name as a Witness thereto with himself

Sworn to before me  
this 5<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> 1788  
W Duford Jfc.

Examined & Recorded this 8<sup>th</sup> Day of Apr  
Thom<sup>h</sup> Wylde Jfc. Wc