

State of Kentucky Livingston County

I Joseph Kennedy of the state of Kentucky aforesaid do hereby myself my heirs & assigns to make William Norris his heirs or assigns a sufficient title for a certain tract of land of two hundred acres in the County & state aforesaid which said land said Kennedy obtained by virtue of a Settlement in consequence of an Act passed by the Assembly of this State for the relief of settlers the said joining Ezekiel Norris on the East James Hester on the West on Waters of Donaldsons Fork of Trade Water for the true performance, I bind myself my heirs & assigns except the above mentioned land should be taken by a Military or some other prior claim then said Joseph Kennedy is to pay back what he has received from the said William Norris in payment for said land, and make good all reasonable damages he has sustained thereby & also the said Kennedy do deliver up his Negro boy Stephen in security to said Norris for his use untill the above obligation is complied with or till a certainty can be had that the land is safe and not taken by any prior claim, given under my hand & seal the 28th of October 1800.

Witness Present
Ezek^l Norris
Francy Norris

J. Kennedy Esq

This Indenture made this 27th day of July one thousand eight hundred and two between Morgan Brown Chairman of the County Court of Montgomery and State of Tennessee, of the one part and James C Brown of the County and State aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Morgan Brown in pursuance of an Order of the Court, made at July Term 1802 and according to the directions of an Act of the General Assembly for that purpose made do put place & bind unto the said James C. Brown, an Orphan of John Davidson deceased to live with the said James C. Brown, after the manner of an apprentice to live untill he shall attain to the age of Twenty one years all of which time the said Benjamin Davidson shall faithfully save his Master lawfull commands every where, and shall not absent himself from his Masters service without leave but in all things behave himself as a faithful servant ought to do and the said Master on his part doth Covenant, grant and agree to and with the said Morgan Brown to have the said Apprentice the art of Farming, to give him a good Horse Bridle & Saddle & to give him one years Schooling, and that he will constantly find & provide for the said apprentice sufficient diet washing Lodging and apparel fitting for him and every necessary coat in Sickness & in health In Witness Whereof the parties have hereunto set their Hands & Seals the day & Year first Written above.

Morgan Brown Esq

James C Brown Esq

Acknowledged in open Court
July Term 1802 Test W^{ch} Jamison Clk

The within apprentice is Ten years old the second day of September 1802 at the time of binding
Morgan Brown

Know all men by these presents that We Henry Small, Amos Bird, James Moore John Stewart, John C. Robbins, Duncan Stewart and James Elder, all of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held & firmly bound unto his Excellency Archibald Roane esquire Governor of the state aforesaid or his Successors in Office in the Penal Sum of ten thousand Dollars to be paid to him the said Archibald Roane Governor as aforesaid and his Successors in Office or their assigns for which payment well & truly to be made & done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 27th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and two and in the sixteenth year of the Independence of the United States,

The Condition of this obligation

is such that if the above Henry Small Sheriff for the County of Montgomery, does well & truly pay all accounts for all public Monies, fines and forfeitures to be by him collected to the Treasury of the said District or such persons as are authorized to receive the same, and in all things faithfully demean himself as Sheriff as aforesaid agreeable to the Acts of the General Assembly in such case made & provided then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force, and Effect.

Acknowledged in open Court
at July Term 1802

Wm. Mc Jamison Clerk

Henry Small Seal
A. Bird Seal
James Moore Seal
John Stewart Seal
J. C. Robbins Seal
Duncan Stewart Seal
James Elder Seal

Know all men by these presents that We Andrew Shally and James Matthews Coath of the State of North Carolina, Andrew Shally, of Dublin County, and James Matthews of the County of Sampson Executor to the last will and Testament of David Gloane late of Dublin County, Die for divers good causes and Considerations us therunto moving, but more Especially for the purpose of taking care of Certain Lands in the State of Tennessee belonging to the heirs of the said David Gloane and we have by these presents nominated constituted and appointed Doctor William Dickson esquire of the State of Tennessee and County of Davidson, and Duncan Stewart Esq. of the State of Tennessee and County of Montgomery, our true and lawful Attorneys for us and in our Names to take into their possession they or either of them a Certain Meeuage Tract or parcel of land containing five hundred Acres being the one half of a Tract of one thousand Acres Granted by patent to James Middleton and by him sold to Dickson and the said David Gloane Dec. Lying on yellow Creek and State of Tennessee and County of Montgomery, Granting to our said Attorneys or to either of them our full power to lease out or rent the said five hundred acres for the Term of thirteen years from the date hereof for the benefit of the orphans of the said Dec. and especially for the purpose of keeping the said Land Clear of all incumbrances by Annually paying all the Taxes that may from time to time become due thereon as also one other tract or parcel of land containing five hundred Acres part of a tract of two thousand some odd hundred acres lying also on the waters of the aforesaid yellow Creek Granted by patent to David Williams and by several conveyances became the property of the said David Gloane dec. and finally the said William Dickson and Duncan Stewart Esq. our all assigns as aforesaid are hereby as fully empowered to use and do all things necessary in the premises for the purposes aforesaid in as full and ample a manner as we the said Andrew Shally & James Matthews might or could do were we personally present hereby ratifying and confirming whatsoever our said Attorneys or either of them may do respecting the premises according to the true intent and meaning hereof in witness whereof the said Andrew Shally and James Matthews Executors as aforesaid have hereunto set our hands & seals in Dublin County as aforesaid this 10th day

of May 1802
Signed Sealed and
Delivered in presence of
Joseph Dickson
Hugh Dickson

Andrew Shelby Seal
Jas Matthis Seal

Know all Men by these presents that McWilliam
Caldwell Garrison, John Shelby, Robert Prince and
Samuel Thornton all of the County of Montgomery,
State of Tennessee are held firmly bound unto Archibald
Roane Esquire Governor in and Over the said State of
Tennessee or to his Successors in Office, in the Penal Sum
of five thousand Dollars for which payment well
and truly to be made and done to him the said Archibald
Roane Esquire or his Successors in Office or their assigns
We bind ourselves our heirs Executors and assigns
Jointly & Severally and jointly by these presents sealed
with our seals and dated this 28th day of July in the
Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and two
in the 26th year of the Independence of the United
States

The conditions of this Obligation
is Such if the above bounden William C Garrison
Club of the County of Montgomery County, shall
and truly receive and regularly account for all public
Monies or tax fees, by him received or which he
may be authorized by Law to receive and account
for with the Treasurer of the District from time
to time as the Law may require, then this Obligation
to be void else to remain in full force & Effect

Acknowledged in Open
Court July Term 1802

Just McWilliam Clerk

W.C. Garrison Seal
John Shelby Seal
R. Prince Seal
Sam. C. Thornton Seal

Know all Men by these presents that I William Loggan
of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee for in
Consideration of the Sum of two hundred Dollars to me in hand
paid at or before the Sealing & delivery of these presents the receipt
Whereof have hereby acknowledged, have bargained sold and
delivered and by these presents do grant bargain sell & deliver to
David Burrey a Negro Girl named Catty to have & to hold
the said Negro Girl named Catty to him & his heirs & assigns for
ever, and I the said William Loggan do covenant & Grant to
the said David Burrey him his heirs & assigns the said Negro Girl
Catty to him the said David Burrey his heirs & assigns against
myself my heirs & assigns against all and every other person or persons
with Warrent & Lawfull defend by these presents in Witness
Whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 10th day of
November 1801

Signed sealed & Delivered in
presence of
Abner Harris

William W Loggan Seal
marks

Know all men by these presents that I William Loggan
for and in consideration of two hundred Dollars to me in hand
paid at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents the
receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have bargained sold and
delivered and by these presents do grant bargain sell and deliver
to James Loggan a Negro Boy named David to have & to
hold the said Negro Boy named David to him and his heirs
and assigns for ever And I the said William Loggan do
covenant and Grant to the said James Loggan his heirs and
assigns the said Negro Boy named David to him the said James
Loggan his heirs & assigns against myself my heirs & assigns
against all and every other person or persons with Warrent and
Lawfull defend by these presents in Witness Whereof I
have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 24th Day of October
1801

Signed sealed & Delivered
in presence of Just
Abner Harris

William W Loggan Seal
marks

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 KNOWN all men by these presents that we Abner Harris Benjamin Whitehead and William Corlew all of the County of Montgomery & State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto the Justices of Peace and Quarter Sessions, for Montgomery County in the Sum of Four Thousand Dollars to be paid to the said Justices or their Successors in Office, or Assigns in Trust for the Orphans hereafter Mentioned Committed to care and Education of Abner Harris, which payment well and truly to be made; and done we bind ourselves our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, jointly & severally, firmly by these presents sealed with seals and dated this 27th day July 1802

The conditions of the above Obligation is such that whereas the above bounden Abner Harris is Nominated and appointed Guardian to Nancy Blanton and Sally Blanton Orphans of Richard Blanton Decedent NOW if the said Abner Harris shall faithfully execute their Guardianship by securing and Improving all the Estate of the said Orphans to which he is now appointed Guardian that shall come into his hands and possession for the said Nancy Blanton and Sarah Blanton until they arrive at said Nancy Blanton & Sarah Blanton be sooner full age or that the said Abner Harris thereunto request and then render a perfect and true account of his Guardianship on Oath before our said Court and Deliver up pay to possess the said Orphans of all and every such Estate or Estate as they the said Orphans of all and every such Estate or Estate as they ought to be possessed of or to such other person or persons as shall be lawfully Authorized to receive the same and the profits arising therefrom then this Obligation to be Void, Else to remain in full force and virtue in Law.

Acknowledged in open

Court July Term 1802

Test Mc Jamison Clerk

Abner Harris
 Benjamin Whitehead
 Wm Corlew

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 KNOWN all men by these presents that We Henry Small, Amos Bird, James Moore, John Stewart, John C. Robbins, Duncan Stewart, & James Elder all of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held & firmly bound unto his Excellency Archibald Roane Governor of the State his Successors in Office or their Assigns in the Penal Sum of Five Thousand Dollars which payment well & truly to be made & done We bind ourselves our heirs & assigns jointly & severally firmly by these presents given under our hands & seals this 27th day of July 1802.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that whereas Henry Small is this day appointed sheriff for the County of Montgomery NOW if the above named Henry Small shall well & truly pay and deliver unto such person or persons as shall be authorized to receive it all Monies that may be by him Collected or received & just and true returns make of all precepts or papers that may be given him in charge, and in all things demean himself as Sheriff of said County of Montgomery, agreeable to the Acts of the General Assembly in such case made & provided then this Obligation to be Void Else to remain in full force in Law

Acknowledged in open Court at July Term 1802

Test Mc Jamison Clerk

Henry Small Seal
 A. Bird Seal
 Jas Moore Seal
 John Stewart Seal
 J. C. Robbins Seal
 D. Stewart Seal
 James Elder Seal

This Indenture made this 21st day of July one thousand eight hundred and two between Morgan Brown Chairman of the County Court of Montgomery and State of Tennessee, of the one part and Nelson McDowell of the County and State aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Morgan Brown in pursuance of an Order of Court made at July Term 1802 and according to the directions of an Act of the General Assembly for that purpose made do put place and bind unto the said Nelson McDowell, Abraham Crow an orphan of Polly Crow to live in the said Nelson McDowell after the manner of an apprentice to live untill he shall attain to the age of twenty one years all of which time the said Abraham Crow shall faithfully serve his Masters lawful Commands every where Obey & shall not absent himself from his Masters service without leave but in all things behave himself as a faithful servant ought to do, and the said Master on his part doth Covenant grant and agree to and with the said Morgan Brown to learn the said apprentice the whole art of a Farmer also to write, read & Cypher as far as the rule of three and at the expiration of time shall give him one hundred Dollars in good property and that he will constantly find and provide for the said apprentice sufficient diet washing Lodging & apparel fitting for him and every necessary both in sickness and in health In Witness whereof the parties have hereunto set their hands & Seals the day and year first above written,

Acknowledged in open Court Morgan Brown Esq
July Term 1802 Nelson McDowell Esq
Test Mc Jamison Cllk

The within apprentice was four years old at the time of binding Morgan Brown,

This Indenture made this 26th day of July one thousand eight hundred and two between Morgan Brown Chairman of the County Court of Montgomery and State of Tennessee of the one part and Charnal Corban of the County and State aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Morgan Brown in pursuance of an Order of Court made at July Term 1802 and according to the Directions of an Act of the General Assembly for that purpose made do put place and bind unto the said Charnal Corban, John Burchfields an orphan of Deceased to live with the said Charnal Corban after the manner of an apprentice to live untill he shall attain to the age of twenty one years all which time the said John Burchfields shall faithfully serve his Masters lawful Commands every where Obey & shall not absent himself from his Masters service without leave but in all things behave himself as a faithful servant ought to do and the said master on his part doth Covenant grant and agree to and with the said Morgan Brown to learn the said apprentice the whole art of a Farmer also to write, read & Cypher as far as the rule of three and at the expiration of time shall give him one hundred Dollars in good property and that he will constantly find and provide for the said apprentice sufficient diet washing Lodging & apparel fitting for him and every necessary both in sickness and in health In Witness whereof the parties have hereunto set their hands & Seals the day and year first above written,

Test Morgan Brown Esq
James Moore Charnal Corban Esq
Acknowledged in open Court
at July Term 1802
Test Mc Jamison Cllk

The within apprentice is nine years old at the time of binding Morgan Brown

State of Tennessee
 Know all men by these presents that I Abigail Linzy of the said State of Tennessee do for the love and affection I have for my Children Namely Catherine Linzy I give one Cow and half with a white face marked with a crop that snap off the right Ear, one Leather Bed and Furniture to my Daughter Elizabeth Linzy one White Cow and half with the same ear mark, one Leather Bed and Furniture, - To my Son John I give together with my Son Thomas the remainder off my Stock and Household Furniture, all of which property I do hereby give and declare to be the right, of my said Children as above Mentioned, and it is my desire that Nothing herein contained or wanting shall go to destroy the Intent and Meaning of this Deed of Gift In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & Seal this Thirty First Day of December in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred & Eighty one
 Abigail C. Linzy
 Anthony Crutcher
 Elizabeth Crutcher

Know all men by these presents that We Josiah Green Duke Benjamin Whitehead and Shadrach Tied of the State of Tennessee and of the County of Montgomery hold and firmly bound unto the Governor of the State aforesaid and his Successors in office in the Sum of two thousand Dollars to be paid to the Governor and his Successors or assigns which payment well and truly to be made And bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 25th day of July 1802.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bounden Josiah Green Duke administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of Thomas Hargroves do make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of and singular the goods & chattles rights and credits of the deceased which have or shall come into the hands knowingly or possession of the said Josiah Green Duke or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for

and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited into an ensuing County Court, and the same Goods Chattles and credits and all other the goods Chattles and credits of the deceased at the time of his death, which at any time hereafter shall come into the hand or possession of any person or persons for him, do well and truly administered according to law, and further do make or cause to be made a true and perfect account of all the said administration within one year after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of the said goods Chattles and credits which shall be found remaining on the said administration, account the same being first examined, and allowed, agreeable to law, shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due for pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the administration and if it shall appear that any Will and Testament was made by the deceased and the Executors or Executrix therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and approved off accordingly if the said Josiah Green Duke being thereunto required do render and deliver the said letters of Administration, approbation of such Testament being first heard and made in our said Court then this Obligation to be void else to remain in full force in Law.

Acknowledged in open Court Josiah G. Duke
 July Term 1802 Benjamin Whitehead
 Test M. C. Jamison Clerk Shadrach Tiedle

Inventory of Thomas Hargroves property October 13th 1802

One Negro woman named Nancy a Child betty, one Negro girl Juan one horse Bridle saddle & bridle three head of cattle, one Slaughter, a bond on James for thirty five Dollars the first of May Next, a bond on James Dowler bearing Interest from the date Jan^y 31st 1801 for thirteen Dollars, and fifty cents, an account against Wiley Barrow for fifty Dollars bearing Interest from the 31st Jan^y 1802, an account against John Cook one Dollar sixty two and one half cents, an account against William Chadwick for twelve dollars & fifty cents, on demand Christmas Next, an account against Benjamin Whitehead for eleven dollars, and fifty cents, to be paid in Corn or Cotton at Market price, an account against Richard Whitehead for six Dollars to be paid in Cotton or Corn at Market price, an account against James Dowler for thirteen Dollars, and thirty to said Christmas Next, an account against Josiah Duke for five Dollars bearing Interest from this date, an account against James Dowler for sixteen Dollars bearing Interest from this date, an account against William Curtis for 34 Dollars & 64 cents

Rendered October Term 1802 Josiah G. Duke, Administrator

1802
Know all men by these presents that we John Duke Josiah C. Duke & Almer Harris of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held & firmly bound unto the Governor of the State aforesaid and his Successors or their assigns in payment well and truly to be made ~~and~~ ~~and~~ ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly & severally jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 25th day of October 1802.

The Condition of the above Obligation is Such that if the above bounden John Duke administrator of all & singular the goods and Chattels rights and Credits of Richard Merrick Deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods & Chattels rights and Credits of the deceased which have or shall come into the hands knowingly or possession of the said John Duke or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited unto our Ensuing County Court and the same goods Chattels & Credits and all other the goods Chattels & Credits of the Deceased at the time of his Death, which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of any person or persons for him do lawfully administer according to law, and further do make cause to be made a true and just account of all the said Administration within one year after the date of these presents in all the rest and Residue of the said goods Chattels and Credits which shall be found remaining on the said Administration account the same being first examined and allowed agreeable to law shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the administration, and if it shall appear that any Will and Testament was made by the deceased, and the Executors or Executive therein named do exhibit the same in Court making request to have it allowed and approved of separately, if the said John Duke being thereunto requested, do deliver the said Letters of administration approbation of the Testament being first made and made in our said Court, then this Obligation to be Void Else to remain in full force in Law

Acknowledged in open Court
 October Term 1802.

Just M^c Jamison Clerk

John Duke
 Josiah C. Duke
 Almer Harris

Seal
 Seal
 Seal

1802
Know all men by these presents that we Henry Ragland and Spilsbee Ziebble all of the County of Montgomery State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto Archibald Roane Esquire Governor in and over the State aforesaid or his Successors in Office in the Penal Sum of one Thousand Dollars for which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors Administrators and assigns jointly and severally jointly by these presents sealed with our Seals and dated this 25th day of October 1802.

The Condition of the above Obligation is Such whereas the above bounden Henry Ragland has obtained an Order to erect a Cotton Gin & Press in the County aforesaid. **Now** if the aforesaid Henry Ragland Complies with the Acts of the General Assembly in such case made & provided then this Obligation to be Void Else to remain in full force & Effect.

Acknowledged in open Court
 Just M^c Jamison Clerk

Henry Ragland
 Spilsbee Ziebble

Seal
 Seal

Know all men by these presents that we Benjamin Weakley Victor Harris & Josiah C. Duke all of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto Archibald Roane Esquire Governor in and over the State aforesaid or his Successors in Office in the Penal Sum of one Thousand Dollars for which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors Administrators and assigns jointly & severally jointly by these presents sealed with our Seals and dated this 25th day of October 1802.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such Whereas the above bounden Benjamin Weakley has obtained an Order of Court to erect a Cotton Gin & Press in the County aforesaid **Now** if the aforesaid Benjamin Weakley does comply in all cases with the Acts of the General Assembly in such Case made and provided then this Obligation to be Null and Void Else to remain in full force & Effect.

Acknowledged in open Court
 October Term 1802

Just M^c Jamison Clerk

Benjamin Weakley
 Victor Harris
 Josiah C. Duke

Seal
 Seal
 Seal

Joseph Conrad's Estate To Nicholas Conrad	
To Sunday Accounts admitted in favour of	5 6
Martin Giddens as p ^r his acct attested	120 40
Thos Frenches Judgment vs So Conrad	78 40
Cost paid on the above Suit	7 43
Cash paid Lancaster for Riding for the	2 -
Doctor	
Paid Jail for Judgment vs So Conrad	5 06
Cost & Interest of the above Suit	34
Chatham Judgment vs So Conrad	4 75
As Durns Account attested	50
D. Smiths " " " "	7 -
John Henry " " " "	4 57
Moses Muntzes " " " "	1 -
John Kites " " " "	2 -
Robert M. Connell as p ^r Receipt	8 70
James Mullett " " " "	1 24
Jesse Martin for Interest and Note	25 13
To Balance of his Reputation of Suit	210 13
To Attorneys furnished by So Conrad	64 6
To " " " " " "	8 33
3 of Wood & Water Rent at the "Sate Works	
for 18 Weeks at \$2.66 2/3	48 -
18 Weeks Furnace Rent as 3 Bushels Sate	
or 16 Dollars & 1/2 Week	388 -
Received Sate at my Furnace 1000 th	40 -
for Smiths work done myself	4 50
to Cash lent at the works 13 dollars	13 -
Sundry Accounts proven	134 2
Expenses for Intermment	20 16 4
John Hamilton	4 -
Seth Lewis	1 -
Mc G. Clark	15 23
Jesse Martins Castings	20 25
John Lancaster as p ^r Voucher	81 15
Tatum & Lewis accounts	19 33
Crabham Coffield Accounts	40 -
Atthaniel Dickerson Prov Account	10 75
William McMillan	33
A. Armstrongs as p ^r Receipt	10 92
Robert Childs as p ^r acct	8 -
Philip Homburger " " " "	2 -
William Threder " " & Receipt	8 50
Re Childs as p ^r acct attested	8 45
Daniel Links Note	10 -
Continued	\$1375 10

Amount Brought Forward	\$1375 10
Gamble & Chatterton Note	55 82
Mc G. Clark on a Balance	35 87
Chapman by Note & Interest	12 50
So Conrad Note & Interest	107 66
Ditto	104 -
Josephs Note to Jesse Martin & Interest	106 -
John Popes Receipt	3 -
Philip Conneds Proven Account	2 -
Doctor Warfields Bill	5 -
J. Newell Commissions as Sheriff	26 37
John Chatham	1 -
John Hamill account as Commissioner	9 -
Josephs Note Kettle for 10 Bils Sate	20 -
2 Attorneys Fees (15)	5 -
300 th Sate paid you by Kettle & Murphy	20 -
For Kettle tending & Sugar	5 25
	1904 34
For transacting the Busing as Executor	50 -
I Charge \$15 -	
Errors Exc ^d	\$195 43 1

We do Certify as Commissioners that we have examined the papers as appears in the Statement

Robert Nelson
Robert Cooper
J. Woolfolk

Nicholas Conrad To Estate Joseph Connors	
Sales at Vendue	\$ 826 70 2
4 pair Waggon Gears	34 82
Rifle Gun	22 50
Cash received of Sundry persons as p ^r	4 25
Inventory	
Note assigned by Brother Peter	20 16 4
Interest on Ditto	10 44
Order Excepted from Brother Peter	12 50
1 Horse appraised by Estor & Shaw	83 33 3
200 th of Gears valued by Messrs Moore & James Graham	10 -
Balance of Sums Laban at the Sate Works	32 -
Due the Estate for Expenses Incurred at " " "	131 64
for Sending Kettles &c	320 14
John Lancasters bonds	20 16 3
Dutch Oven Sold Joseph Deville	3 -
W. H. Harris	50 -
one Barrel	25
Hanging for Haines	25
Sundry small acct as p ^r Inventory	12 35 3
1 Pocket Book	7 40 -
Continued	\$799 19 5

Amount brought forward
Benjamin Falkmans Bonds
Interest on said Bonds
How and hands pole
Cash
Rye Gold

\$1997.4
238.8
10 9
2 10
1. 2
10 3

\$2081.31

Rendered October Term 1802

Robert Nelson
Rott Cooper
J. Woolfolk

Know all men by these presents that I Thomas Molloy of Davidson County and State of North Carolina do hereby promise Peter Finney of said County & State to make to him his Heirs or Assigns a good & Legal Title in Fee simple to eight hundred acres of land lying in Davidson County on the South side of Cumberland river on the First & Second Creek below the Crofs Creeks the upper end of S. D. land to be opposite to the big timbered Island below said Crofs Creek and to include a Spring for which I have received a valuable consideration and which Title is to be made to the said Finney as soon as a Patent can be obtained for the same. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 23rd Day of March 1785.

Thomas Molloy

Chs. Bobbley

James M. Bobbley

Proven in open Court Jan'y Term 1803

July 24th 1801 Received of James Stewart six hundred Dollars in full Satisfaction for a Negro Woman called Dinah, about sixteen years old and a Negro Boy called John about twelve years old also in full for the same called John granted on the Neck shoulder thing S.D. and on the Bullhead thus S. all which property I have this day bargained sold and delivered to the said James Stewart and which I do hereby warrant and Defend to the said James his Heirs and Assigns in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the day & Year above written

John Stewart
James Stewart

Elizabeth Stewart

Proven in open Court Jan'y Term 1803

In the name of God Amen

I Nelson Curl of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee calling to mind the Mortality of my body and knowing it is one appointed for all mankind to die, being weak of body but of sound mind and Memory, hath made and ordained this to be my last will and Testament in manner as follows Viz

1st I Commit my soul to God who gave it and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors
2nd I give and bequeath to my Dear and Beloved wife Mourning Curl my Negro man Jeff together with all my stock of every kind Farming utensils and house hold furniture to be at her disposal
3rd I Give and bequeath to my Eldest Son William Curl the sum of \$200 whereon I now live to belong to him & his Heirs forever
4th I Give and bequeath to my Eldest Daughter Lucretia the sum of one Dollar I will and bequeath to my 2nd Daughter Sarah the sum of one Dollar I will and bequeath to my 3rd Daughter Larkin the sum of one Dollar I will and bequeath to my 4th Daughter Ester the sum of one Dollar I will and bequeath to my 5th Daughter Elizabeth the sum of one Dollar I will and bequeath to my 6th Daughter Melicent the sum of one Dollar I will and bequeath to my Youngest Son J. Kinchion Curl the sum of one Dollar I have lastly appoint my wife Mourning Curl and my Eldest Son William Curl to be the Executors of this my Last will & Testament N.B. the sever last legacies to be paid by my Wife Mourning Curl out of her part In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this 25th of November In the year of our Lord 1802

Witness Present
Wm Weatherbee

Wilson Curl Esq

Proven in open Court January Term 1803

Know all men by these presents that I Rhode Hall for & in Consideration of the sum of four hundred dollars have Bargained & Sold unto John Phillips one Negro fellow named Jeffery about thirty five years of age which Negro fellow I warrant & Defend from all claims whatsoever as Witness my Hand & Seal this 15th day of December 1800

Rhode Hall

Sealed & delivered in Presence of

John Elliott
Thos Dunbar

Witnessed & Proven Jan'y Term 1803

In the Name of God I William Bird of Montgomery County and State of Tennessee being in a low State of health but in perfect mind and Memory do hereby dispose of my worldly affairs to Wit,

I leave and bequeath unto my Wife Hannah all my goods and Chattels and all my property of every kind during her Natural life except two Feather beds and Furniture of them is to belong to my Daughter Elizabeth and the other to my Daughter Charlotte and all my property of every kind is to be equally divided between my three said Children Elizabeth, Charlotte and Hannah after my Wife Hannah's Death except one other Feather bed and Furniture which is to belong to my Daughter Hannah the land and such other property as do not be equally divided without injury to one or more of the parties it must be sold

I hereby Nominate and appoint Stephen Thomas and Claudius Hicks my Executors to divide and settle my affairs after my Death January 9th day 1803.

Signed in the presence of William Brown Edmond Tutor.

Proven in open Court Barry Tenn 1803.

KNOW all Men by these presents that Mc Amos Bird, Duncan Stewart, and John Stewart, all of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee, are held and jointly bound unto his excellency Archibald Roane, esquire Governor in and over the State of Tennessee or his Successor in Office in the penal Sum of one thousand Dollars for which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns jointly and severally. Given by these presents sealed with our Seals dated this 4th day of January 1803.

The Condition of the above Obligation is Such that Whereas the above bounden Amos Bird has obtained an Order to erect a Cotton Gin & Press in the County aforesaid NOW if the aforesaid Amos Bird does comply with the acts of the General Assembly in such case made & provided then this Obligation to be void Else to remain in full force & Effect

Acknowledged in open Court January Tenn 1803
A. Bird Seal
Dⁿ Stewart Seal
Jⁿ Stewart Seal
Test Mc Jamison Clk. C

KNOW all men by these presents that we Bryant Whitfield Joseph B. Nowell and Duncan Stewart all of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held and jointly bound unto the Justices of Peace and quarter Sessions for Montgomery County in the Sum of four thousand Dollars to be paid to the said Justices within ~~thirty~~ ^{thirty} days in Office, or Assigns in Trust for the Orphan of James House Deceased hereafter mentioned committed to care & Trust of Bryant Whitfield which payment well and truly to be made done, we bind ourselves, our heirs Executors and Administrators, jointly & severally, Given by these presents Sealed with our Seals dated this 24th day of January 1803.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that whereas the above Bounden Bryant Whitfield is Named and appointed Guardian to John House Orphan of James House deceased NOW if the said Bryant Whitfield shall faithfully execute the Guardianship by securing and Improving all the Estate of the said Orphan to which he is now appointed Guardian that shall come into his hands & possession for the said John House untill he arrive at full age or the said Bryant Whitfield be sooner thereunto requested, and then render a perfect and true account of all the Guardianship on Oath before our said Court and deliver up, pay to, and possess the said Orphan John House of all and every such estate or Estates as they the said Orphan ought to be possessed of, or to such other person or persons as shall be lawfully authorized to receive the same and the profits arising therefrom then this Obligation to be void, Else to remain in full force and Virtue in Law.

Acknowledged in open Court B. Whitfield Seal
January Tenn 1803 J. B. Nowell Seal
Test Mc Jamison Clk. C Dⁿ Stewart Seal

KNOW all Men by these presents that I Elijah Ewing of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee do bargain & sell unto Edward Leach one Negro March about forty two years of age named Sarah and a Negro Girl named Isabella fifteen years of age & I the said Elijah Ewing do bargain & sell unto the Edward Leach in plain & open Market for Value of Five hundred Dollars lawful Money of the United States for which I the said Elijah do warrant & for ever defend the said Negroes Sarah & Isabella from every person or persons whatever & defend the ever & mine Whereof I have set my Seal this fourth day of February 1801.

Witness
William Hubbard
David Bell
Elijah Ewing Seal

Know all men by these presents that we Morgan Brown David Wells Martin Wells Duncan Stewart Cause Brinson & Haydon Wells all of the State of Tennessee and of the County of Montgomery are here and firmly bound unto the Governor of the State aforesaid and his Successors in Office in the Sum of Six Thousand Dollars to be paid to the Governor and his Successors in Office or their assigns, which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly & severally jointly by these presents Sealed with our Seals and dated this 25th day of January 1803.

The Conditions of the above Obligation is such that if the above bounden Morgan Brown David Wells & Martin Wells Administrators of all and singular the goods & Chattels rights and Credits of Martin Wells Senr. deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect INVENTORY of all and singular the goods & Chattels rights and Credits of the deceased which have or shall come into the hands knowingly or possession of the said Morgan Brown, David Wells, & Martin Wells or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for them and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibit into our ensuing County Court and the same goods & Chattels and Credits and all other the goods & Chattels & Credits of the Deceased at the time of his Death which at any time hereafter come into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for them, do well and truly administer according to law, and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of all the said Administration within one year after the date of these presents and all the rest & residue of the said goods & Chattels & Credits which shall be found remaining on the said Administration account the same being first examined and allowed, agreeable to law shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the Administration, and if it shall appear that any Will and Testament was made by the Deceased and the Executor or Executrix therein named do exhibit the same to our Court making request to have it allowed and approved of accordingly, if the said Morgan Brown David Wells & Martin Wells through their request to render & deliver the said letters of Administration approbation of such Testament being first had and made in our said Court then this Obligation to be void else to remain in full force in Law.

Acknowledged in open Court
at January Term 1803

Test W.C. Jamison Clerk

Morgan Brown
David Wells
Martin Wells
D. Stewart
Cause Brinson
Haydon Wells

Know all men by these presents that we Jonathan Phillips David Boutwell & Timothy Anderson of the State of Tennessee and of the County of Montgomery are here and firmly bound unto the Governor of the State aforesaid and his Successors in Office in the Sum of Five hundred Dollars to be paid to the Governor and his Successors in Office or their assigns which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally jointly by these presents Sealed with our Seals and dated this twenty fifth day of January 1803.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bounden Jonathan Phillips administrator of all and singular the goods and Chattels rights & credits of David Phillips deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods and Chattels rights & Credits of the Deceased which have or shall come into the hands knowingly or possession of the said Jonathan Phillips or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him, and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibit into our ensuing County Court and the same goods & Chattels and Credits and all other the goods & Chattels & Credits of the Deceased at the time of his Death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of all the said Administration within one year after the date of these presents, and the rest and residue of the said goods Chattels & Credits which shall be found remaining on the said Administration account ~~the same~~ the same being first examined and allowed agreeable to law shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the Administration and if it shall appear that any Will or Testament was made by the deceased and the Executor or Executrix therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and approved of accordingly if the said Jonathan Phillips thereunto required do render and deliver the said letters of Administration approbation of such Testament being first had and made in the said Court then this Obligation to be void else to remain in full force in Law

Acknowledged in open Court Jan'y Term 1803

Test W.C. Jamison Clerk

Jonathan Phillips Exr
David Boutwell Exr
Timothy Anderson Exr

KNOW all men by these presents that We Nancy Ryburn William Ryburn George Murphy Henry Rayland Alexander Hamilton & Robert Wells all of the State of Pennsylvania and of the County of Montgomery are held and lawfully bound unto the Governor of the State aforesaid and his Successors in Office in the Penal Sum of three thousand Dollars to be paid to the Governor and his Successors in Office or their assigns which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our Heirs Executors, and Administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents Sealed with our Seals and dated the 25th day of January 1803

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Nancy Ryburn & William Ryburn Gov^r administrators of all and Singular the goods and Chattels rights and Credits of Washington Ryburn deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and Singular the goods and Chattels rights and Credits of the Deceased which have or shall come into the hands knowing or possessing of the said Nancy Ryburn & William Ryburn Gov^r or into the hands of possessors of any person or persons for him, the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited into our ensuing County Court and the same goods & Chattels & Credits and all other the goods Chattels and Credits of the Deceased at the time of his Death which at any time hereafter come into the hands of possessors of any other person or persons for him, do well & truly administer according to law, and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of all the said administration within one year after the date of these presents and all the rest & residue of the said Goods Chattels & Credits which shall be found owing on the administration, account the same being first examined and allowed, agreeable to law shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the administration and if it shall appear that any Will & Testament was made by the deceased and the Executor or Executors therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and approved accordingly, if the said Nancy Ryburn & William Ryburn Gov^r thereunto be requested do render and deliver the said letters of administration of such Testament being first read and made in our said Court then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force in law.

Acknowledged in open Court
Jan'y Term 1803

Test Mc Jamison Clk

Nancy Ryburn Esq
Wm Ryburn Esq
George Murphy Esq
Henry Rayland Esq
Robert Wells Esq

KNOW all men by these presents that We Yancy Thornton Samuel Thornton and Gause Brinson all of the State of Tennessee and of the County of Montgomery are held and lawfully bound unto the Governor of the State aforesaid and his Successors in Office in the Sum of one thousand Dollars to be paid to the Governor and his Successors in Office or their assigns which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our Heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our Seals and dated this 24 day of January 1802

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Yancy Thornton administrators of all and Singular the goods & Chattels rights and Credits of Owen Thornton deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and Singular the goods and Chattels rights and Credits of the Deceased which have or shall come into the hands knowing or possessing of the said Yancy Thornton or into the hands of possessors of any person or persons for him, and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited into our ensuing County Court and the same goods & Chattels and Credits and all other the goods Chattels and Credits of the Deceased, at the time of his Death which at any time hereafter comes into the hands and possessors of any other person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of all the said administration within one year after the Date of these presents, and all the rest & residue of the said goods Chattels & Credits which shall be found remaining on the said administration, account the same being first examined and allowed agreeable to law shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due, pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the administration and if it shall appear that any will and Testament was made by the deceased and the Executor & Executors therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and approved accordingly, if the said Yancy Thornton thereunto be requested do render and deliver the said letters of administration approbation of such Testament being first read and made in our said Court then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force in law

Acknowledged in open Court
at January Term 1803
Test Mc Jamison Clk

Y^c Thornton Esq
Sam^l Thornton Esq
Gause Brinson Esq

Know all men by these presents the We Unity
 Murphree Samuel Sugg, David McFadden & John Thomas
 all of the State of Tennessee and of the County of Montgomery
 are held and firmly bound unto the Governor of the State of Tennessee
 and his Successors in Office, in the Sum of one Thousand dollars
 to be paid to the Governor and his Successors in Office or their Agents
 which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves
 heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally, given
 by these presents sealed with our Seals and dated this 24th day
 of January 1803

The Conditions of the above Obliga-
 tion is such that if the above bounden Unity Murphree
 Administrator of all and Singular the goods Chattels rights &
 Credits of Matthew Murphree deceased do make or cause to be made
 a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods Chattels
 rights and Credits of the Deceased, which have or shall come
 unto the hands knowledge or possession of the said Unity Murphree
 or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons
 for her, and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be
 exhibited into our ensuing County Court and the same goods
 Chattels and Credits, and all other the goods Chattels and Credits
 of the Deceased at the time of his Death, which at any time hereafter
 comes into the hands or possession of any other person or persons
 for her do just and truly administer according to Law and Justice
 do make or cause to be made a true and just Account of all the
 administration, within one year after the date of these presents
 and all the rest and residue of the said goods Chattels & Credits
 which shall be found remaining on the said administration
 Account the same first being examined and allowed according
 to Law, shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respec-
 tively as the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent
 and Meaning of the Administration, and if it shall appear
 that any will and Testament was made by the Deceased and
 Executor or Executive, therein Named do exhibit the same into
 Court making Request to have it allowed and approved accord-
 ingly if the said Unity Murphree thereunto be required and
 deliver the said Letters of Administration, approbation of
 such Testament being first had and made in our said Court
 then this Obligation to be Void Else to remain in full force
 in Law.

Acknowledged in open
 Court Janry Term 1803
 Test M.B. Jamison Clk
 Unity Murphree Seal
 Lem. Sugg Seal
 David McFadden Seal
 John Thomas Seal

Inventory of Matthew Murphree Estate Deceased

This wearing Apparel, 2 beds & furniture, one wooden Wheel, one
 pair Cotton Cards, one rule, an old pair Cotton Scales, one Loom,
 two piggins some earthen ware, one tin Coffee pot, one Churn one
 one butter blow, one weeding Hoe, an old pair flat Irons two mares
 and one Moneys Saddle, two old bridles collars & martingale
 One Negro Boy, one Horse, 3 head of cattle, two Hogs, one pair
 some Corn & some Cotton, 8 side of leather

Acknowledged in open Court
 Janry Term 1803
 Unity Murphree Seal

Inventory of the Estate of Martin Wells Senr. Deceased

16 Negroes three of whom are in the possession of James Fortney &
 one in possession of William Blake in the State of North Carolina
 3 Horses, 12 head of cattle, 33 head of hogs little & big, 213 acres of
 land 6 cows 2 Ploughs & Gees, 2 Kettles & Cuckers 1 Pot Tramp
 1 Loom and 3 Flays 1 Mill Stone 2 Beds 1 Linnen wheel &
 Whoolen Dittos 1 pair Cards 1 Rifle Gun 15 Plates 1 Set of Saw ware
 1 pepper baster 1 candle stand & Snuffers 1 Set of knives & forks 6
 spoons 1 Lason 1 flat Iron 4 Chairs 250th Cotton 117th Pork 2 Huf
 hides

Rendered Janry Term 1803

Inventory of the Estate of David Phillips Deceased

4 Horses 10 Horned cattle 26 hogs Farming tools 1 horse
 Mill 1 Grindstone 1 Lume Household Furniture & Mares
 Saddle grain in the different kinds
 Janruary 25th 1803
 Jonathan Phillips

Rendered Janry Term 1803

Know all men by these presents that We Morgan Brown, Cause Brinson, Haydon Wells and Duncan Stewart, all of the County of Montgomery & State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto the Justices of Peace and quarter Sessions for Montgomery County in the Sum of three Thousand Dollars to be paid to the said Justices or their Successors in Office, or assign in trust for the Orphans of Martin Wells son. Deceased hereafter Mentioned committed to the care & Guardianship of Morgan Brown which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our Heirs Executors and Administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our Seals & dated this 24th day of January 1803.

The Condition of the above Obligation is Such that whereas the above bounden Morgan Brown is Nominated and appointed Guardian to Henry Wells & Morgan Brown Wells Orphans of Martin Wells Senior Deceased NOW if the said Morgan Brown shall faithfully execute the Guardianship by securing & improving all the Estate of the said Orphans to which he is now appointed Guardian that shall come into his hands & possession by the said Henry Wells & Morgan Brown Wells until they arrive at full age, or the said Morgan Brown become thereto requested, and then render a perfect and true account of all the Guardianship on Oath before our said Court and deliver up pay to, and possess the said Orphans Henry Wells and Morgan Brown Wells, of all and every such Estate or Estates as they the said Orphans ought to be possessed of, or to such other person or persons as shall be lawfully authorized to receive the same and the profits arising therefrom then this Obligation to be Void else to remain in full force and Virtue in Law.

Acknowledged in open Court Janry Term 1803
Sist M^c Jamison Clerk

Morgan Brown Seal
Cause Brinson Seal
Haydon Wells Seal
Dⁿ Stewart Seal

Know all men by these presents that We Robert Searcy, James Huling & Robert Nelson all of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency Archibald Roane Governor of said State into the Just full Sum of one thousand Dollars which payment well and truly to be made to his Excellency his Successors in Office or their assigns as Witnesses our hands & Seals this 25th day of Janry Eighteen Hundred & three.

The Conditions of the above Obligation is such that whereas the said Robert Searcy has been appointed Entry taker for the said County of Montgomery NOW if he the said Robert well and truly keep a just and fair Record of all Entries of lands that shall be given in to him, and in all things faithfully demean himself agreeable to the Acts of Assembly in that case made and provided as Entry taker for said County then this Obligation to be void else to remain in full force in Law.

Acknowledged in open Court
Janry Term 1803
Sist M^c Jamison Clerk

Robert Searcy Seal
James Huling Seal
Robert Nelson Seal

Know all men by these presents that We William Weatherston Duncan Stewart & John Shelby all of the County of Montgomery & State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency Archibald Roane esquire Governor in and over the State aforesaid or his Successors in Office in the penal Sum of one thousand Dollars for which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our Heirs our Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated this 25th day of Janry 1803.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such whereas the above bounden William Weatherston has obtained an Order to erect a Cotton gin & press in the County aforesaid NOW if the said William Weatherston does comply with the Acts of the General Assembly in such case made & provided then this Obligation to be Void else to remain in full force & Effect in Law.

Acknowledged in open Court
Janry Term 1803
Sist M^c Jamison Clerk

Wm Weatherston Seal
Dⁿ Stewart Seal
John Shelby Seal

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In the name of God amen I John Dukes being of
Sound & perfect mind but by the providence of Almighty God am
Laid low in a bed of Affliction well knowing that it is one
appointed unto all men once to Die & therefore commit^{my}
to god the gracious giver of all blessings who has been my kind
businesser from my Infancy days to this time I will give my last
to the God from whence it was taken desiring it have a Decem
bered & therefore constitute this to be my last will & Testamon
and my desire is that my Business be conducted in the following
manner I lend to my beloved wife Patsy Dukes my house and land
plantation whereof I now live containing Two hundred acres & fifty
Acres with every advantage therunto belonging also one Negro man
named Gidow and one Negro woman named Jency his wife also one
Negro woman named Isabel and an Old negro woman named
Lucy which said lands & Slaves I lend and bequeath to her during
her Natural life or widowhood, I also leave with and lend to my
beloved wife Patsy Duke the following Negros (Viz) one Boy named
Harry one Girl named Grace one Negro Boy & one Lucy and the name
Liddy and Lustin be under her Management and Direction untill my
Son Samuel Dukes arrives to the age of Twenty one at which said
time the said Negros is to be appraised and the Amount to be equally
Divided amongst the following Children as it possibly can be that
is to say If one is worth more than another the other must make
it up and the Childrens name is as follows John Dukes, Eliza
Samuel, Beckey, Decey and Gaty also to my beloved Son John
Dukes I give and bequeath one Certain Tract of Land containing
Two hundred & fifty acres lying in the County of Montgomery in the
Waters of Camp Creek it being the Tract that did formerly belong to
Richard Murick. also I give & bequeath to my beloved Son Samuel Duke
one tract of land containing Two hundred & fifty acres lying on the
Catawba River above Muricks Ferry it being the Tract that I bought
of Simon Harris. I also lend to my beloved wife Patsy Duke all my
Household & Kitchen Furniture together with all my Stock of every
kind that is to say Horses, Cattle, Hogs, and all the perishable
property, to be with my wife at her Discretion untill my Son Samuel
comes to an age of Twenty one and all my plantation Tools of every
kind except one Sarel Mare I also give and bequeath to my
Daughter Sally one Negro woman named big with the Child she
now has with her ^{child} named Amey I price them at 250 Dollars also
one Mare 30 Dollars one Cow 15 Dollars, also I give & Bequeath

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to my Daughter Bantchot a proved account which I have against
the Estate of Richard Murick Deceased to the Amount of \$225.75
Cents also Two Cows & Calves 15 Dollars price I also leave it in the
power of my said Daughter Bantchot to Redeem the said Tract of
land that she now lives on to be redeemed at the price of Two hundred
and thirty three Dollars and one third to be paid at or before the expira
tion of Two years from this date the said money to be paid to my
beloved wife Patsy Duke I also give and bequeath to my Daughter Amey
one Negro Woman named Amey with her Child at the price of three
hundred Dollars one horse 30 Dollars also I give and bequeath to my Son
Josiah one Negro woman named Hannah with her Child Jim
Philip one Negro boy named Sam price 300 Dollars also I give
price 300 Dollars I also give to my Son, Elucajah one Negro Man
Ephraim price 300, I also give to my Daughter Patsy one Negro
Girl named Sally price 300 I also give to my Daughter Polly one
Negro Girl named Fanny price 250 Dollars and one Sarel Mare price 30
The Mare is now in possession of my wife Patsy Duke also one feather bed
and Furniture price 15 Dollars also one Cow price 5 Dollars, I also give
to my Daughter Patsy one Negro woman named Rosa price 300 Dollars
the Negro to be taken into her possession at the expiration of the term
of the time for which she is now hired out. I also I give to my
Daughter Charlotte one Negro Girl named Linda price 200 Dollars
one Mare price 80 Dollars also one bed and furniture 15 Dollars also
one Note of hand for 10 Dollars and now my will and desire is that
my land in the State of North Carolina be sold by my three Sons who
I do constitute to be the Executors and Sole managers of my Business in
that Country that is to say my Son Josiah, Philip & Elucajah and that
they Account to and settle with my first wife children equally, my desire
also is that the money arising from the Sales of that land be put to
use of making my first wife Children legacies over and proportionable
that is to say each one to be Equal then the Balance to be equally
Divided amongst them said Children, I give into the hands of my beloved
wife Patsy Duke together with my Son Philip Duke all the Management
of my Business as an Executor & an Executor to settle my Business agree
to my will and as the Law Directs all the Debts that is due to my estate
I give to my beloved wife after she pays all just Debts that is due from
my Estate for her own use & the Support of my rising little Family
In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 5
Day of April 1808

John Dukes
Benja Whitehead

John Dukes (Seal)

In the Name God Amen.

I Charles Brantley of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee Planter being sick and Weak of Body but of perfect mind and memory do make this my last Will & Testament in Manuscript and Form as followeth

I recommend my Soul to God in hopes of and my Body to be decently buried and for my Worldly Goods God, hath been pleased to bless me with I leave in the manner following, that is after all my just Debts are paid and General expenses and Debts Collected I give and bequeath to Daughter Sarah one two year Old Brown filly

I give and bequeath unto my Son Thomas one Dark bay mare known by the name of Federal and two Cows, I give unto my Son James on Gray Mare known by the Name of the Blue Bird, also Two Cows & one Yearling which property so bequeathed to my three above named Children I order to be valued as soon as they are got from the Range and they shall stand charged with the whole of my Estate is Divided and then an equal Division take place among the whole of my Children I Order that the place

whereon I now live shall remain in the hands of my first born Children to keep House on also Give Negroes to wit, John, Harry, Isaac, Violet, Jude &c for the Support of all my Children until my Son William becomes twenty or years of age, then I order that my Land & Plantations and the above named Negroes and their increase if any their should be shall be sold I also order that the whole of my Horses, Cattle, Hogs & Sheep not hitherto bequeathed together with Household Furniture Farming Utensels and Arms be sold the Money Arising from such Sale with my outstanding Debts when collected shall be put out on Interest and to remain on Interest until my Son William

is Twenty one years of age then I order the whole of my property to be equally Divided among all my Children the proportion coming my four youngest Children I order to put out on Interest and that they shall receive their Different Legacies as the become of age.

I do hereby appoint Hugh H. Bell & James Stewart my Executors to this my Will revoking all other Will or Testaments allowing and acknowledging this only as my last will and Testament in Witness I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this third day of February one Thousand eight Hundred and three.

Signed Seal acknowledged and declared in presence of us

Test John Stewart
John Hill

Charles Brantley
mark

In the name of god amen, I Joseph

McCorkle of Montgomery County, and State of Tennessee being very weak & low in body but of perfect mind and Memory and considering that it is appointed to man once to die do constitute and Ordain this my last will & testament, viz,

first It is my will & desire that my Executors out of my Estate should discharge all my just Debts,

Secondly, It is my Will that my Executors should sell fifty acres of land on Harpeth and as much of my property where I now live as will buy one likely Negro woman which I give to my loving wife Fanny to her & her heirs forever.

Thirdly, I give also to my loving wife Fanny one mare the choice out of three, Saddle & Bridle one Feather Bed & Furniture also one half of the Furniture on the dresser, four Cows & Calves Two Sows & Pigs to her & her heirs forever. Also I give to

Daughter Mary McCorkle one Feather bed & Furniture one Saddle & Bridle two Cows & Calves when she should marry or arrive to the age of twenty one years to her & her heirs forever.

Fourthly It is my will that my Estate not heretofore given away should be continued with my loving wife Fanny during her Natural life or widowhood for the Support of her my loving wife & Children I also leave it in my wife's power to give what she thinks proper to my Daughter Mary all Cows also to my Son John McCorkle & Joseph McCorkle and Fanny McCorkle at any time

Fifthly It is my desire that my personal Estate at my wife's Death or Marriage to be Equally divided between all my Children except my land and that to be equally divided between my two Sons John McCorkle & Joseph McCorkle to them & their heirs forever.

Sixthly I do hereby appoint my loving wife Fanny & Anne Harris my whole & sole Executors of this my last Will & Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 14 day February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & three.

Test
William Corban
Sally Gayne
mark

Joseph McCorkle
mark

In the Name of God Amen

I John Gainer of the State of Tennessee Montgomery County being very sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory and calling to mind the mortality of my body, and that it is appointed once for all men to die do make and Ordain this as my last Will & Testament And first of all I do recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God, who gave it and my Body to the Earth to be buried in decent Christian burial at the discretion of my executors and as touching my worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with, I give and bequeath in manner and form following and first I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Sally Gainer one Feather Bed and Furniture one poplar chest and Glass where to her & her Heirs forever NOW I do lend to my beloved Wife Sally Gainer During her Natural life or widowhood one hundred acres of land whereon I now live also all my household Furniture except one good Feather Bed and Furniture likewise all my Stock of every kind (except two Cows & Calves) one Negro fellow by the Name of Buff One Negro Wench by the Name of Jude Allowing the Negro fellow to be hired out in Order to get money to pay a balance due for my land between eighty and one hundred Dollars, and after her Death or marriage to managed at the Discretion of my executors equally amongst my four children viz Polly, Samuel, John & Jesse, NOW I give and bequeath to my Daughter Polly Gainer One good Feather Bed and Furniture two Cows and Calves and a Negro Girl by the Name of Charry and her Increase to her & her Heirs forever And now I constitute my friends Shadrach Hebbel and Sally Gainer my Wife my Executors Whereunto I have hereunto set my hand, as do affixed my Seal this 15th day of March eighteen hundred and three

Signed Sealed and delivered in presence of us
John Cooper
John Trotter

In Gainer Seal

Inventory of the Estate of Charles Brantley Deceased
Plantation 150 acres land 5 Negroes 4 Feather beds & Furniture
2 set Curtains 4 Bedsteads 2 Trunks 1 Chest 2 linen wheels
1 wooden Wheel 1 Chack Reel 1 Arm Chair 7 small Chairs 1 Table
1 Breakfast 1 Rifle Gun 8 Shot Pouch, 1 Smooth bow Gun, 1 Looking
Glass, 2 half Gallon Bowls 3 quart Bowls 1 pint bowl 5 Coffee cups
8 Saucers, 1 Sugar Dish 10 Tea cups 8 Saucers 2 Tea Potts 2 Cream Jug
1 pepper Caster 1 Sate Letter, 2 Trunkers, 2 Large Earthen Dishes
1 quart Trunkler, 1 large White Pitcher, 8 Soup Plates 18 shallow
plates 2 Salad Dishes, 1 quart Mug, 1 2 pint Jug, 1 pint Flask
9 Knives 11 Forks 1 Case 8 7 Bottles, 2 Pewter Dishes, 2 pewter Basins,
8 pewter plates, 1 pewter pint Basin 8 pewter spoons, 4 pint Tin cups
1 2 pint cup, 1 Tin quart, 2 pair Cotton Cards, 1 Case Razors, 1 pewter
soup Ladle, 1 Wine Glass, 2 Phials, 1 pair Draw Sticks 1 pair Wrist
1 pair Shovel 8 Longs Handled stick, 2 Duck Ovens, 2 Potts, 2 Kettles, 1
Spider, 2 pair Pott hooks 2 Barbshear Ploughs Irons 4 weeding Irons
1 Flesh Fork, 3 blue axes, 1 grubbing Hoe 1 Wagon 2 pair Hoes 1
Paw, 1 Two Foot Rule 1 Drawing Knife, 1 Board Saw, 1 Chisel, 2
augers, 2 Combles, 2 Clevises, 1 log Chain, 1 Double Tree 8 2 Single trees
1 Iron, 1 Leather Horse Collar, 1 Mans Saddle, 1 Womens Saddle, 1
Snaffle Bridle, 2 blind Bridles, 1 Set 10 winding Spools 1 Loam
be hives, 1 Box Sho Making Tools, 1 Hegg 10 Gallons 1 Washing Tub 1
Churn, 1 Pail, 1 Pigger 2 Coolers, 1 Guard Stone 1 Sythe 8 Cradle
1 Tin Bucket 1 Turnell, three Stays, one Still trap one quart basin
10 head Horses, 35 head cattle, 11 head Sheep 70 head Hogs 14 Geese
Jones Records Note of hand dated March 24th 1801 for 50 Dollars
Daniel Halladay, Dated Feb 7th 1803 for 100 Dollars. 1 provision
Account on Thomas Martin for 150 Dollars.

Rendered April Term 1803, W. Y. Bell }
James Stewart } Administrators
To wit all men by these presents that I Wright Patterson of the County
of Montgomery State of Tennessee have bargained & by these presents do
bargain sell & deliver unto William C. Jamison of the same County & State
as aforesaid a certain Negro boy Slave by that Name of Virgil for and in
consideration of the Sum of three hundred Dollars Sum of money of the
United States the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge at & for the
the sealing & delivery hereof do both hereby warrant him to be a sound
healthy Negro boy Slave free of any & every Impediment whatsoever or
which he lawfully forever defend the title of the same unto the said
William C. Jamison his heirs & assigns in Witness Whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & affixed my Seal this 15th day of October 1804
Wright Patterson
W. Y. Bell
J. C. Jamison
acknowledged in open Court April Term 1807 that it is true

1803
Know all men by these presents that We Josiah
C. Duke Philip Duke Thompson Harris & Robert Wells
all of the State of Tennessee and the County of Montgomery
are held and firmly bound unto the Governor of the State aforesaid
and his Successors in Office, in the Sum of two thousand Dollars
to be paid to the Governor and his Successors in Office or their
Assigns which payment well and truly to be made we bind our
selves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly & severally
firmly by these presents sealed with our Seals and dated this 21st
day of April 1803

The condition of the above bounden
Philip & Josiah C. Duke, administrators of all and singular the
goods & chattels rights & credits of Richard Murreck Deceased do make
a Cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular
the goods & chattels rights & credits of the deceased which have or shall come
into the hands knowingly or possession of the said Josiah C. Duke &
Philip Duke or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons
for him, and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited
into our ensuing County Court and the same goods & chattels and
credits and all other the goods chattels & credits of the Deceased at
the time of his Death which at any time hereafter come into the
hands or possession of any other person or persons for him, do well and
truly administer according to Law and further do make or cause to
be made a true and just Account of all the administration within
one year after the date of their presence and all the rest & prescribe
the said goods chattels & credits which shall be found remaining on the
said administration, Account the same being first examined & allowed
agreeable to Law, shall deliver and pay, unto such person or persons
as positively as the same shall be due, pursuant to the true intent and
Meaning of the administration, and if it shall appear that any Will &
Testament was made by the Deceased and Decedent or Decedent's heirs
Names do exhibit the same unto Court making request to have it allowed
and Approved of accordingly if the said Josiah C. Duke and Philip
Duke thereunto be required do render & deliver the said Letters of Adminis-
tration, approbation of such Testament being first had and made in
our said Court, then this Obligation to be Void else to remain in full
in Law.

Acknowledged in open
Court April Term 1803
W. C. Jamison Clk

Josiah C. Duke Seal
Philip Duke Seal
Thompson Harris Seal
Robt. Wells Seal

1803
Know all Men by these presents that We William and
Samuel Mitchel of Montgomery County have bargained &
Sold unto John C. Fletcher two Negroes to wit Daniel and
Pall one a boy of the age of seventeen years and the other a
girl of sixteen years for the consideration of the Sum of one
thousand Dollars the Receipt Whereof is hereby Acknowledged
and the said W & S. Mitchel their heirs doth by these
presents warrant and Defend the Title of the Negroes aforesaid
unto the said John C. Fletcher his heirs and assigns forever
against the lawfull Title claim or Demand of all and every
person or persons, whatsoever shall and will warrant them
Defend by these presents both in Law and Equity Given
from under our hands & Seals this 21st day of April A.D. 1803

Witness present
John Shelby
Tho. White
Tho. Clinton
William Mitchel
Samuel Mitchel
proven in open Court April Term 1803 by the oath of J. Shelby

Inventory of the estate of Owen Thornton Deceased
30 Acres of Land, 1 Negro woman & child & head cattle 1 head of horse
1 black ox, 1 grubbing hoe, 1 plow hoe, 1 fete plains, 2 feather beds and
furniture 1 small bed without furniture, 1 trunk, 2 tables & chests
3 chairs, 1 case & bottles, 3 painted basins, 1 painted Dish & painted plates
2 earthen Dishes & earthen plates, 5 kitchen bowls, 1 salt Seller, 1 pepper
Caster, 1 weighter, 2 small Decanters, 1 Coffee pot, 1 Set of cups and
saucers, 4 Water Nipples, 1 Rifle Gun, 1 candlestick & snuffers stick
flask, 1 Iron Pot, 2 Iron Ovens, 1 Iron Kettle 1 flat Iron, 1 Loom
1 Cotton Wheel, 1 flax wheel, 2 pair bands, 1 Grind Stone.

Resolved April Term 1803
March the 25th 1806
Received of John Cooke \$100 of Montgomery County one hundred ten
Dollars in full of the balance of what John C. sold for at the auction
of James Bird in the Town of Clarksville which was levied on by
said Cooke \$100 sold to John C. for one hundred thirty
five dollars at the instance of James Bird \$100 to Salas for
Judgment Thot. Given under my hand & Seal this day & date
above written
J. M. Newell Seal

Teste
Acknowledged in open Court
March Term 1806
W. C. Jamison Clk

183
Know all men by these presents that We Shadrick
Fieble and Thompson Harris all of the County of Montgomery
and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto the
Justices of Pleas & quarter Sessions for Montgomery County
in the Sum of fifteen hundred Dollars to be paid to the said
Justices or their Successors in Office or assigns in trust for the
Orphans of Thomas Ray borne hereafter mentioned Committee
to care & Tuition of Shadrick Fieble which payment well
and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors
and Administrators, jointly & severally, firmly by these presents
sealed with our Seals and dated this 25th day of April 1803.

The Condition of the above Obligation
is Such that Whereas the above bounden Shadrick Fieble is
Nominated and Appointed Guardian to John Rayborne &
Candice Rayborne Orphans of Thomas Rayborne Deceased
NOW if the said Shadrick Fieble, shall faithfully execute the
Guardianship by securing & Improving all the Estate of the orphans
to which he is now appointed Guardian, that shall come into
his hands & possession for the said John & Candice Rayborne
untill they arrive to full age or the said Shadrick Fieble be
sooner therunto requested & then render a perfect & true account
of the Guardianship or Oath before our said Court and deliver
up pay to, and possess the said Orphans John & Candice Rayborne
of all and every such estate or Estates as they the said Orphans ought
to be possessed of, or to such other person or persons as shall be
lawfully Authorized to receive the same and the profits arising
therefrom then this Obligation to be void, Else to remain in
full force & Virtue in Law.

Acknowledged in open Court
April Term 1803
Test M. C. Jamison Clerk

S. Fieble Seal
Thompson Harris Seal

183
Know all men by these presents that We George Murphy
William Ryburn Senior & James Messers all of the County
of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held & firmly bound
unto the Justices of Pleas and quarter Sessions for Montgomery
County in the Sum of one Thousand Dollars to be paid to the
said Justices or their Successors in Office or assigns in trust for
Hiram Washington Ryburn & Washington Ryburn hereafter
mentioned Committed to care & Tuition of said George Murphy
to which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind
ourselves our Heirs Executors and Administrators, jointly & severally,
firmly by these presents sealed with our Seals & dated this 25th
day of April 1803.

The Conditions of the above Obligation
is Such that whereas the above bounden George Murphy is
Nominated and appointed Guardian to Hiram Washington
Ryburn & Washington Ryburn Orphans of Washington Ryburn
Deceased NOW if the said George Murphy shall faithfully
execute his Guardianship by securing and Improving all the
Estate of the said Orphans to which he is now appointed Guardian
that shall come into his hands, & possession for the said
Hiram Washington Ryburn & Washington Ryburn untill they
arrive at full age, or the said George Murphy be sooner
therunto requested, and then render a perfect & true account
of his Guardianship or Oath before our said Court and deliver
up, pay to, and possess the Orphans Hiram Washington Ryburn
& Washington Ryburn of all and every such estate or Estates as
they the said Orphans ought to be possessed of or to such other
person or persons, as shall be lawfully Authorized to receive
the same, & the profits arising thereon then this
Obligation to be void Else to remain in full force & Effect
Acknowledged in open Court
April Term 1803
Test M. C. Jamison Clerk

George Murphy Seal
Wm Ryburn Seal
Jas Messers Seal

Inventory of the Estate of Joseph M. Cockle Decd.
 Land 407 acres, Horses 4, Cattle 37, Hogs 37, Feather 10
 & Furniture 3, one Dyer pewter plates 12, 12 in Earthen plates
 one half dozen Dishes two tea pots eight cups & Saucers, two more
 two milk pots two Tea spoons, 14 table spoons half Dyer two cups
 three pint Basins, one Earthen Bowl 1 quart pot one tea Can
 one Coffee Mill handle molds, one pepper Box, one Furnace one
 three piggers & three keals one Tin strainer Eight knives & Forks
 one Butcher knife one looking glass three Saddles & Bridles two Ch
 one bottom Wheel, one Flax wheel, one Reel five shears, one bun
 stick one pair shears, but they wont cut, some shoe makers Tools
 Flat Irons, one cutting knife one hand saw, one Drawing knife,
 three augers, one Chisel, one Saw, one Mattock, one hatchet one pair
 two bar shears, one shovel plow Irons, four wedging, hoes, one ax, one
 Table, two pair bottom Cars, fifteen Books two kettles, three pots, one
 shell bit one Fry two Churns, one washing tub, one half Bushel two
 pair pot hooks, two for Churn traces, two rollers & handles, & Double
 two Clevises, two bee hives, one gallon Bason, one Sifter, four bask
 one Loom & gears, one spice mortar, one bread tray, one Iron pot
 one Dutch Oven, some tallow, some leather, one bed Stairs, three
 Hides or Bull hides, one hammer & two Fire blots, two Corns some Cat
 Amen.

Rendered April Term 1803 to Court.

Abner Harris

James M. Cockle

Know all men by these presents that I John Hogan of the
 County of Montgomery and State of Virginia for and in consideration of the
 Sum of one hundred pounds Virginia Currency to me in hand paid
 hath bargained sold and delivered to James Watt of the County and
 State aforesaid, one Negro girl named Alee about ~~ten~~ fifteen years
 of age which said girl I will for myself my heirs Executors &c
 and Defend unto the said James Watt, his heirs Executors &c from
 the Lawfull claim or title of any other person or persons whatsoever
 Witness my hand and Seal this 14th September 1802.

Samuel Gatties

John Hogan

proven in open Court by the Oaths of the Subscribing Witnesses

Inventory of the Estate of Washington Ryburn Decd.
 one Negro boy named Jesse about 12 years old one Negro boy named
 Joseph about twelve years old, Two Bed and furniture one Tea Hallon
 Kettle, one Dutch Oven, one small pot, and lid, 1 small Shillet, three
 narrow Bars & two Hornhaus, one narrow ax, one broad hoe, one grubbing
 hoe, one Dutch plow, one Foot adze, one Drawing knife, one set of
 plains, three Augers, one Cupboard, Two sets of Tea Ware, Two dozen
 Earthen plates, Five small plates six pewter plates, two Earthen Dish
 five earthen bowls, two pepper boxes, one Salt Seller, two glass pitchers
 four glass tumblers three Drum glass, seven Bottles, one still knives &
 Forks 4 Old knives Forks two Tin pans, one Soup spoon two looking glass
 four Vials two pair bottom hards, one flax Wheel, one bottom Wheel
 Gutters Grammar two Brushes, one Book Enticks Dictionary one book
 A Division Reason, five small books some History, some Divinity
 one Homer Books, one Case of Razors, and Box, one powder Horn,
 one small Trunk, 1 pair horse sholes, one Carpenters rule, two pair
 Shott, two Gambles, four Chairs, one Table, two barrels, three water
 pails, one Cann, one pick Measuring, one washing tub one piece of
 Fe one side saddle, one Mans saddle, one shoe, one slate, Fair bar
 one Grindstone, Six head of sheep, 15 lights loop Window glass one
 Chicks Red one Coffee pot one cow & Carling one cow, one Heiffer, one
 Carling, one Heiffer, one cow & calf, one small broken pot, thirteen
 shoats, about eight months old, one Sow and four pigs two sows
 with pig, two Barrows, three barrows, one sow with pig, one sow with
 pigs three sows and nine shoats two sows & four pigg, one Heiffer,
 one cow and calf, one cow & Carling, one small sash Saw one
 Sow & six pigg

Nancy Ryburn

Wm Ryburn

Rendered April Term 1803

Know all men by these presents that I Mackie McNatt of the
 County have bargained sold unto James Jeffes of Montgomery one Negro
 boy named Dan a Slave of about three or four years old for the Consider
 ation of the sum of One hundred & fifty Dollars the receipt
 whereof is hereby acknowledged in which the said Mackie McNatt
 shall & will warrant forever Defend the Title of said Slave unto
 the said James Jeffes his heirs & assigns for ever In testimony
 whereof I have hereunto sett my hand & affixed my Seal this
 25th day of Janry 1805

Witness Present

John Shelby

Mackie McNatt

Acknowledged in open Court Sep^r Term 1808

The Estate of Robert Edmonson
To John Edmonson Dec.

James Adams Receipt	5
James Elders	8 30
James Patton	14 25
Doctor Hammonds	78 30
Hugh McClure	2 18
McClure & Elders	1 80
William Dodds	6
David Patterson account	4
A. Barnes	8
Paid H. McClure	1 50
Paid Wm. Baty	3
James Watson account	75
Paid Robert Nelson	57 30
John Edmonson own account	28
	\$ 259.71

Joseph Woolfolk & Robert Nelson Commissioners
have settled the Estate of Robert Edmonson Dec.
agreeable to the papers exhibited 25th April 1803

Rendered April Term 1803
J. Woolfolk,
Robt. Nelson

John Edmonson Executor to the Will of Robt. Edmonson Dec.

To the Amount of Sales Returned in Total	\$ 506.71
Credit by account Rendered	\$ 249.71
Balance due	257. 00 506.71

Joseph Woolfolk & Robert Nelson Commissioners
have settled the Estate of Robert Edmonson Deceased
agreeable to the papers exhibited 25th April 1803
Rendered April Term 1803
Joseph Woolfolk,
Robt. Nelson,

Know all men by these presents that I John Saunders of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee was held and firmly bound unto Robert Cooper of the County and State aforesaid in the just and full sum of two Thousand Dollars for the which payment well and truly to be made and done, to the said Robert Cooper his Heirs or assigns I bind Myself my Heirs Executors, and Administrators firmly by these presents as Witnesses my hand and Seal this fourth day of January 1799.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that Whereas the above named John Saunders hath this day Bargained and sold unto the above mentioned Robert Cooper Two in Lots in the Town of Clarksville known in the plan of said town, by Number sixty one & sixty two and which are now occupied by said Cooper, also one Out lot known in the plan by Number six and said Saunders being under age and therefore cannot legally convey said Lots to said Cooper, Now if the said Saunders when he arrives to the age of Twenty one, shall make Indisputable Title to said Cooper for the above mentioned Lots this Obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and Effect in Law.

Signed sealed and delivered
in presence of us

James Elder
Thos. Clinton
H. McCollom

April 13th 1802. Or by a Deed of Conveyance made to James Huling this day agreeable to my order for the Out lot mentioned within R. Cooper.

The above bond was proven in open Court at April Term 1803 by the Oaths of Thomas Clinton & James Elder Subscribing witnesses thereto. Test M.C. Jamison Clk.

Sales of Thomas Hargroves Deceased Estate

100 th Cotton sold William Logans	\$ 3.00
100 th " " Josiah L. Duke	3.00
100 th " " " " "	3.00
141 th " " " " "	4.87
100 th " " " " "	3.00
16 Nov ^r 1802.	

To John Duke 1 Saddle & Bridle	4.00
" Thompson Harris one cow & yearling	10.40
" Josiah L. Dukes 1 yearling bull	3.37
" Wm. Baker 1 State & Buckskin	1.00
" Thompson Harris 1 Negro Woman & Child	50.00
" Matthew Tolbert 1 Negro girl	3.00
" Burchet Myrick 1 Inkstand	2.00

Sold Feb^y 19th 1803. \$99.97

Signed by Josiah L. Duke.
Rendered April Term 1803

Know all men by these presents that We James Bowers, Britain Bayliff, James Pearce, & William Weakes, all of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held firmly bound unto his Excellency Archibald Roane Esquire Governor of the State aforesaid or his Successors in Office in the penal Sum of three thousand Dollars to be paid to him the said Archibald Roane Governor aforesaid and his Successors in Office or their Assigns in which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators, jointly & severally jointly by these presents sealed with our Seals and dated this 25th day of July 1803.

The Conditions of this Obligation is such that whereas James Bowers is this day appointed by the Court of Montgomery County Collector of the Public Tax for the present year Now if the said James Bowers shall well & truly collect and pay what is collected to the Treasury of said District or such person or persons as are Authorized by Law to receive the same and in all things faithfully demean himself as Collector as aforesaid agreeable to the Acts of the General Assembly in such case made and provided then this Obligation to be void else to remain in full force & Effect

Witness our hands in open Court
July Term 1803.

W.C. Jamison Clerk

James Bowers (Seal)
Britain Bayliff (Seal)
James Pearce (Seal)
William Weakes (Seal)

Know all men by these presents that Mr William C. Jamison John Shelby & Thomas Clinton, all of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held & firmly bound unto Archibald Roane Esquire Governor in and over the said State aforesaid or his Successors in Office in the penal Sum of five thousand Dollars for which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors & Administrators jointly & severally jointly by these presents sealed with our Seals and dated this 25th day of July 1803.

The Conditions of this Obligation is such if the above bounden William C. Jamison Clerk of Montgomery shall well and truly receive and regularly account for all public Monies as tax fees by him received, or which he may be authorized by law to receive & account for with the Treasurer of said District from time to time as the law may require, then this Obligation to be void else to remain in full force & Effect.

Just
Sam. L. Stanton.

W.C. Jamison (Seal)
John Shelby (Seal)
Thos. Clinton (Seal)

John Hill's Noncompulsive Will

John Hill desires if he should die that Jas. Elder & Duncan Stewart should take his property into possession to sell the same to the best advantage for the payment of his debts first and the remainder, to be for his brother in law except 10 Doll for Sylvia's services, & the fur in the shop which belongs to different people & to Mr. Hain, to be given into Hain's hands to be worked up for the people, who call in with respect to selling the House & lot he wishes it not to be sold if it can be so, but leaves it discretionary with the Executors above mentioned.

This will was proven in open Court
July Term 1803 by the Oath of
Doctor James Mathew

(1804)
 Know all men by these presents that We
 William Montgomery Amos Bird & Morgan Brown
 all of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee
 are held & firmly bound unto his excellency John Sevier
 Esquire Governor in and over the State aforesaid his Successor
 in Office or their Assigns in the penal Sum of Five
 thousands Dollars which payment well & truly to be
 made & done we bind ourselves our heirs & Assigns jointly
 & severally firmly by these presents sealed with our Seals
 this sixth day of March 1804.

The Condition of the above
 Obligation is such that Whereas William Montgomery
 is this day appointed Sheriff for the County of Montgomery
 and does well & truly pay all & account for all public
 Monies, fines & forfeitures to be by him collected to the
 Treasurer of this District or to such person or persons as
 are authorized to receive the same, and in all things
 faithfully demean himself as Sheriff as aforesaid agreeable
 to the Acts of the General Assembly in such case made &
 provided then this Obligation to be void else to remain
 in full force & Effect.

Acknowledged in Open Court
 March Term 1804

Wm. Montgomery
 Amos Bird
 Morgan Brown

Know all men by these presents that I John Hogan of
 Montgomery County and State of Tennessee for and in consideration
 the Sum of three hundred Dollars to me in hand paid hath bargained
 sold and delivered unto Rebecca Raibourn or Negro girl named Danc
 eight years old the 2nd day of April last which said Negro Girl for
 myself my heirs Executors and forever defend unto the said Rebecca
 Raibourn her heirs Executors from the lawfull claim or title of any other
 person or persons whatsoever as Witness my hand & Seal this 25th day
 1799.

Signed Sealed & delivered in
 the presence of
 Howell Adams
 David Hogan

John Hogan (Seal)

Know all men by these presents that We William
 Montgomery Amos Bird & Morgan Brown all of the County
 of Montgomery & State of Tennessee are held & firmly bound
 unto his Excellency John Sevier, Governor of the State aforesaid
 his Successor in Office or their Assigns in the penal
 Sum of five thousand Dollars which payment well &
 truly to be made & done we bind ourselves our heirs &
 Assigns jointly & severally firmly by these presents given
 under our hands & Seals this Sixth day of March 1804.

The Conditions of the above Obligation
 is such that whereas William Montgomery is this day
 appointed or Elected Sheriff for the County of Montgomery
 Now if the said William Montgomery shall well and
 truly pay and deliver unto such person or persons as
 shall be authorized to receive it, all Sums of Monies that
 may be by him collected or received, and just & true return
 make of all precepts or papers that may be given him in
 Charge, and in all things demean himself as Sheriff
 of said County of Montgomery, agreeable to the Acts of the
 General Assembly in such case made & provided then
 this Obligation to be void else to remain in full force in
 law.

Acknowledged in Open Court
 March Term 1804

Wm. Montgomery
 Amos Bird
 Morgan Brown

Wm. Montgomery
 Amos Bird
 Morgan Brown

An Inventory of the amount of the Sales of the personal
 Estate of David Phillips Deceased also of the Debts

The whole amount of sales including debts \$396.10

Rendered Sep^r Term 1804

Jonathan Phillips adm^r

Know all men by these presents that We John Cocke, Stephen Cocke James M. Cocke, John Coffey & Robert Wells, all of the County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency John Sevier Esquire Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in Office in the just Sum of five thousand Dollars to be paid unto his Excellency as aforesaid or his Successors in Office or their Assigns for which payment well & truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors administrators jointly & severally, Given by these presents sealed with our seals Dated this 5th day of June 1804 & 22d V. year of the Independence of the United States

The Condition of the above

Obligation is such that if the above said John Cocke shing for the County of Montgomery does well and truly pay & Account for all public Monies, fines and forfeitures to be by him collected, to the Treasury of the State or such person or persons authorised to receive the same under all things faithfully demean himself agreeable to the Acts of the General Assembly in such case made & provided that this Obligation to be void else to remain in full force in Law

Acknowledged in open Court John Cocke Seal
 June Term 1804 Stephen Cocke Seal
 Test W. C. Jamison C. C. James M. Cocke Seal
 John Coffey Seal
 Robert Wells Seal

Power of Attorney Thomas Brown To Duncan Stewart
 State of North Carolina Bladen County

Know all men by these presents that I Thomas Brown of the state & County aforesaid for divers good causes and Considerations have made, Constituted and ordained nominated and appointed Col. Duncan Stewart of the State of Tennessee my true and lawfull Attorney for me and in my Name in as full & ample a manner in every respect as I could do if I was personally present, I also authorise my said Attorney Col. Duncan Stewart to make a Deed of Conveyance in fee simple from me to Thomas Dillon of the State of Tennessee his Heirs Executors administrators or Assigns for Six hundred & forty Acres of Land being part of two thousand five hundred and sixty and patented by Jacob Mispach, situated lying and being on the south side of Cumberland river bearing date the 15th of September 1787

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 22 of May 1804

Test

Tho. Brown Seal

Isaac Powell

The above power of attorney was proven in open Court by the Subscribing Witnesses at Sep. Term 1804

Know all Men by these presents that I Moses Oldham Senr of Montgomery County & State of Tennessee do by these presents Give Grant & Confirm unto Polly John and all the Heirs of James Doberty & Susanna his Wife by them lawfully Born & one Negro Girl Married Selley to be the lawfull property of the said Mentioned heirs to have & hold all the Right of said Negro with her Increase forever Given under my hand & Seal this 7th day Decr 1805

Moses Oldham Seal

The above Bill of Sale or Deed of Gift was acknowledged in open Court at Decr Term 1805

An Inventory of the perishable property of John Gaines late of Montgomery County, Dec^d is as follows viz

one Negro, Follow one Negro Wench one small negro Girl
37 head Hogs, 7 head Cattle, 1 Horse, 2 Leather Sells, 8 Furniture
1 poplar Chest, 1 Flax wheel, 1 Cloth comb, 1 Wooden wheel,
3 Bolls, 1 Kettle, 2 Dutch Ovens, 250th Bacon 67 bushels Corn,
1 Millot, 1 water pail, 1 Water piggie, 1 pewter plates, 25th Hogs
Corns, 1 pewter Dish, 3 earthen plates, 4 knives, 8 Forks, 1 pewter Spoon,
1/2 dozen Cups & Saucers, 1 pepper Basket, 2 pair Cotton Cards, 1 washing
Tub, 1 Keeler, 1 Jug 2 Bottles, 1 Churn, 1 Bunch, 1 Candlestick,
1 Case raisins, 1 Cornet, 1 Beard Stead, 1 Chair Hamas, 2 Bee/hives
1 Cat skin, 10th Leather, 1 Grubbing Hoe, 1 pad lock, 1 shot pouch, 8
powder horn, 1 pair plates Spurs, 1 Smoothing Iron, 1 Marmalade
1 Woman's Saddle, & bridle, 1 halfshear blow, 3 Blue Axes 4th Pile
Iron, 1 Hand saw, 1 pair shares, 1 pair Scyars, 1 Iron wedge,
1 pair pothooks, 1 poplar Table, 3 wooding hoes, 30th Girded Cotton
1 weaving frame & reed, 2 Testaments, 1 Spelling book, some other
books, 30th Tobacco, 1 Small Cumbler, 1 pocket looking Glass, 1 butter
Crock, 2 Meal Sifters, 25th Seed Cotton.

An Account of William Loggers for \$10, one land bond on
the Heirs of Tho^s Raiborn Dec^d for 100 acres, also an Acknowledg
ment on Joseph Cubanks for \$14.70, bearing date May 25th
1803,

Amended July June 1803.

J. Trebble Executor
July, C. Gaines Executor

In the Name of god Amen I Peter Cocke of the State
of Tennessee and County of Montgomery being in perfect mind and
memory do constitute and ordain this to be my last will & Testament
in writing that is to say. First it my desire that all my just
debts should be paid out of my estate

Second to my son Stephen Cocke my Negro man named David
for his part of my property as he has received his part of land,
Third, to my son Richard Cocke I do give my negro boy named
Moses as he has received his part of land,
Fourth to my son John Cocke I do give my negro wench named
Jean & her Child and Increase for his part of my property as he has
received his just part of land.

Fifth to my son James Cocke I do give my two little Negro boys
named Ned & Charles for his part of my property as he has received
his part of land.

Sixthly to my Daughter Elizabeth Coffey I do give my Negro woman
named Sally and my negro girl named Sarah to her son Henry
to give to him his Heirs, if he should die under age her & her increase
to be sold and equally divided amongst his brothers & sisters.

Likewise I do give my daughter Patsy my negro Wench Jane
and her Child and Increase for her and the heirs of her last
lawfully gotten.

And to my Son Abraham Cocke I do give one hundred
acres of land where he now lives adjoining Stephen Cockes

and running down Stephen Cockes spring branch according
to the river for to be the upper line.

Also to my son William Pitt Cocke I do give my negro girl
named Maria and one hundred and fifty acres of land lying
the upper side of Abraham one hundred acres survey.

Also to my son Benjamin Cocke to have the ballance of my land lying
above Stephen & Abraham Cocke.

And likewise I do give my Son William Diggins Cocke the plantation
where I now live with two hundred acres beginning at Stephen
Cockes old place.

And likewise to my Son Huntwell I do give all the ballance
the land adjoining my plantation I also appoint Stephen Cocke
to divide the land between the boys.

And likewise to my two Daughters Susannah Jordan and Mary
Jordan I do give ten Dollars each for the part of my property.
And unto my beloved wife I do bind my negro woman named
Jenny and her Child to her, her lifetime.

And the ballance of my negroes Abraham, Delph Soper and her
and Moll & the plantation to support and raise the children on
during her life or widowhood and at her death or marriage the
ballance of these negroes named Abram Delph Soper shall still to
be sold and equally divided amongst the three youngest boys &
at her Death Jenny and her increase to be sold and divided.

Likewise the stock household furniture & plantation tools to be
kept together to raise and school the children on and their when
the come to age or the Death or marriage of their Mother, this
property that is the stock plantation tools and household furniture
to be sold and equally divided amongst my three youngest Boys
and two youngest Daughters except the sheep must be divided
as the increase to them that has none.

I do also appoint my two sons Abraham Cocke and Stephen Cocke
to be my Executors of this my last will and Testament in writ-
ing and do by these presence revoke and disannull and declare
void every other Will or Wills made by me heretofore in writing or
Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hands and affixed
my seal this fourth day of September in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred three.

James Blane
William Chambers
John Haged

Peter Cocke

The Above will was proven in open Court by the Oaths of James Blane
& William Chambers at October Term 1803.

Know all men by these presents that We John Coker
George Humphries & Benjamin Weakley all of the
County of Montgomery and State of Tennessee are held and
jointly bound unto his Excellency John Sevier esquire Governor
in and over the State aforesaid and his Successors in Office in
the Perul Sum of Five thousand Dollars to be paid unto
his Excellency as aforesaid or his Successors in Office or their assigns
for which payment well and truly to be made and done in
kind ourselves our Heirs Executors Administrators jointly and
severally firmly by these presents sealed with our Seals and
Dated this Seventh day of June 1805 & twenty Month year
of the Independance of the United States.

The Condition of the above Obligation
is such that whereas if the said bounden John Coker Sheriff
of the County of Montgomery does well & truly pay & account for
for all public monies, fines and forfeitures to be by him
collected, to the Treasurer of Mero District or to such
person or persons authorized to receive the same and in all
things faithfully demean himself agreeable to the Acts of
the General Assembly in such case made & provided then
this Obligation to be void else to remain in full force in law

Acknowledged in Open Court
June Term 1805
Jas M. Jamison Clk

John Coker (Seal)
George Humphries (Seal)
Benjamin Weakley (Seal)

Know all Men by these presents that I Mason
Benner of Montgomery County and State of Tennessee
have this day for a valuable consideration to me or have
paid by Joel Oldham of said County & State bargained
Covenanted, Conveyed, sold, and delivered unto him the
said Joel Oldham the following property, Viz, One Negro
girl named Milkey, one bay Horse, about seven years old
One Sower Horse about eight years old two cows with
their calves two yearling Heifers three feather beds and
Furniture, all of which property I do hereby declare to be
the right of him the said Joel Oldham And I do hereby
promise & agree to warrant & forever defend unto him the said Joel
the worth of all the abovesaid property, against the Claims
or Claims of any person whatsoever In Testimony
Whereof I have signed, sealed and delivered these presents this
third day of June one thousand eight hundred five

Done in presence of
A Notary

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Mason Benner (Seal)
proven in open Court by Notary June Term 1805

Know all men by these presents that We John Coker, Abolom
Tribble George Humphries, Robert Wells & Stephen Coker all of the
County of Montgomery & State of Tennessee are held & jointly bound
unto his Excellency John Sevier esquire Governor in and over the
State aforesaid to his Successors in Office in the just sum of five
thousand Dollars to be paid unto his Excellency as aforesaid or
his Successors in Office or their assigns for which payment well
& truly to be made & done in kind ourselves our Heirs Executors
Administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents sealed with
our Seals & dated this twenty fourth day of June 1806 & twentieth year
of the Independance of the United States.

The Condition of the above Obligation
is such that whereas if the above said John Coker Sheriff for
the County of Montgomery does well & truly pay & account for
all public Monies fines & forfeitures to be by him collected, to
the Treasurer of Mero District or such person or persons authorized
to receive the same do in all things faithfully demean himself
agreeable to the Acts of the General Assembly in such case made
& provided then this Obligation to be void else to remain in
force in law

Acknowledged in open
Court June Term 1806

Teste
W. C. Jamison Clk

John Coker (Seal)
Abolom Tribble (Seal)
George Humphries (Seal)
Robert Wells (Seal)
Stephen Coker (Seal)

State of Tennessee Montgomery County

Know all men by these presents that I Benjamin
Gainer of the County & State aforesaid for the good will &
affection I have for John Raburn son of Thomas Raburn
Deed. and many other causes do give unto John Raburn
his heirs assigns a brown slave with a brace of teeth
Years old to his & their ownly proper use which said man, are
now in the possession of the said Benjamin Gainer
father of said John Raburn in witness whereof I the said
Benjamin Gainer have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
seal this 10th day of July 1803. Signed Sealed & delivered in the
presence of John Coker & David Bell } Signed by
Benjamin Gainer (Seal)
Acknowledged in open Court July 1803