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In the name of god Amen on the Second Day of March Anno Domini 1698
Joseph Codd of King in the County of South Devon being in perfect Memory thinks
unto god for the same; and considering the frailty and uncertainty of this life
do make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to
wit of all I resign my Soul into the hands and protection of allmighty god my Maker
and everlasting saviour; and my body I comitt to the earth from whence it was taken
and for my worldly goods w^{ch} god in mercy hath sent and bestowed upon me I do give
and bequeath as follows to wit; I do give and bequeath unto my Sonne Joseph Codd
fortie pounds of Lawfull Money of England the full vallue thereof to be paid in Money or
goods by my Executors hereafter named as soon as he shall come to age attorned into the
Age of one and twenty years; And if it shall happen that he should dye before he shall attorne
into the said Age of one and twenty years; that then his said portion of fortie pounds be
given and bequeathed to be and remaine equally to be divided between and amongst the
my Children then surviving as they shall attorne into the said Age of one and twenty years
to be paid by my Executors hereafter named; I do give and bequeath unto all the Children
which now stand by my last will ^{to wit} twenty pound a piece of Lawfull English Money
that is to say) unto Joshua twenty pound, unto Calobb twenty pound, unto Thomas
twenty pound, unto Elizabeth twenty pound, and unto Mary twenty pound;
And it is my will and Meaning that ^{if} some my said wife whom I do make sole
Executrix of this my last will and Testament; should have the use of the said twenty pound
a piece last given and bequeathed unto my said Children during the term of her
Naturaall life; if she do remaine a Widdow after my decess ^{in case} ~~she~~ ^{she}
should Marrie a nother husband that then within one Month after her said Marriage
the said twenty pound a piece shall be given and bequeathed

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Abstract of
Will of David Robinson
Fayette Co., Ky. Will Bb.

Date -- 27 May 1805; Pvd. Apr. term 1806

"My lands in Montgomery Co., Vas to be sold; proceeds to go to
Presbyterian Congregation, Donegal, Ireland, Hibernian Society in
Philadelphia, and \$200 for Irish immigrants.

To William Robinson -- 20A adj. 100A already given him; my watch & aparel

M Mary Montgomery -- \$200 if she outlives me;

Alex. Montgomery, Jr., son of my niece Eliz. Montgomery -- \$200;

Bro. John Robinson, dec^d, relict is Gartney Robinson;

David Craig of Augusta Co., Va., son of Dec^d friend Rev. John
Craig -- \$200;

David Robinson, nephew;

Nephews--Robinson, David, & Reynold Laforce, Niece--Mary Laforce

-- remainder of tract on Bullskin

Walter Preston (no relationship stated)--200A & his choice of my part

Reynolds Laforce" late husband of my sister Agnes & all his childre
not named in will are excluded from inheriting or possessing
any part of my estate"

Four nieces -- Eliz. Montgomery, Agnes Preston, Margaret Edmondson
and Mary Laforce

Executors -- Francis Preston of Va., John Breckenridge of Ky.,
and brother William Robinson

Also--"tract in Clarke Co. called Rye Fields to be sold & used for
advancement, support, & education of nephews & nieces. Mention
of "lands heretofore conveyed by me to John Edmondson is disapproved
by another title,"

Witness: Robinson Montgomery

James Henny (?)

John C. Graves

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Lieut. David Robinson was born in Ireland in 1730, where he received a fine education, and his letters extant well corroborate the reputation he had of superior scholarship for his day both in the classics and general literature. He early settled in Augusta Co., Virginia and afterwards in Bottetourt, maintaining schoolsoof much great success. He became second Lieutenant in Capt. Preston's company on the Shawanoe campaign, entering the company July 14th, 1755, and when the company was disbanded in June 1756, he then entered Capt. John Dickerson's compay of Rangers as a Lieutenant serving two years, having been disbanded in May 1759. This was hard frontier service in the Greenbrier region. IN 1764 while it was still necessary to protect the frontier, Robinson was placed at the head of a company and rendered good service under the direction of Col. Andrew Lewis. For several years foðlðwing he was engaged in the fur tradeeand visited Charleston, Philadelphia, and New York. He was on very intimate terms with Col. Preston and seems to have made his home with him during somepperiods of his life in Virginia. When Kentucky County was organized in 1776, he was made County Lieutenant and John Bowman Colonel; and failing to accept or qualigy, Bowman succeeded him, and then, Robinson lost a fine appportunity to have distinguished himself. In his old age he went to Kentucky, where he had valuable lands. He settled on Boone's Creek in Fayette Co., where he died in 1807 (an error), aged seventy-seven years. He was unmarried.

Col. David Robinson & Col. Wm. Robinson were brothers.

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July 16, 1985

Dear Katherine,

The trip to Ky. proved to be both enjoyable and productive. The day with you in Winchester was certainly the high point!

After you left I worked in the court records and did manage to pinpoint the death date of Thomas A. Thompson within a 9-month period, during which he was being sued and then his estate was being sued. All of this is welcome information, since I had been unable to determine what had happened to him. It seems that he left only one heir, a son named Thomas A. Thompson. Before finding this info in Clarke Co., I had not been certain that Thomas A. had married. (Now of course I'm wondering who his wife was.) Anyhow, it seems that some of the suits in Clarke Co. involve the son rather than the father. The father died rather young, so I would have never been able to figure this out without these court records. (The Madison Co. records did not define the relationship, and were very confusing.)

Just as the Court House was closing at 4 PM, a storm came up. I noticed that the door to the office of the Register of Deeds was still open, and an attorney was working in the back room, so I went in and asked him if it would be OK to stay a while. He said that it would, as the clerks had to balance their books for the day. So I got in another 30min. of very valuable work in the deeds, and learned that Raney Leforce, who married Mary Thompson, is definitely the person that I suspected he might be. His mother was Agnes Robinson, and he had an uncle Col. William Robinson who left a will in Fayette Co. bequeathing property to Raney and his brother. When I get these notes deciphered, I'll send you a synopsis of what I come up with.

read than the microfilm copies. I haven't had a chance to study carefully the court case, but did scan the many papers that I photocopied. I am appalled at the number of people who were called to testify in the court case. Although the Thompsons did win the case, it certainly seems that they were making a mountain out of a molehill. Imagine so much time and effort being spent on something so petty!

I've just written Mabel a note and am sending the remainder of the Hart letters to her.

Thanks again for taking your time to help me. I particularly enjoyed the little excursion to the site of the Friendship Baptist Church -- just wish there had been more time for that sort of thing.

I have to remind myself of this!
Now I'm determined to finish writing up the section on Capt. Lawrence Thompson and his family with no more research. There is enough information on him and his to devote an entire volume to that family alone. But that is not my purpose, so I must leave them and go to one of the other lines.

Must stop and run do some errands.

Fondly,

Jane Gray Buchanan

P.S. Am enclosing a SASE in case

In the name of God Amen--

I William Robinson of the County of Clarke and State of Kentucky being of perfect mind and memory and hereby considering the uncertainty of human Life do make this my Last Will and Testament--

First and principally I Commit my spirit into the hands of that glorious God that gave it trusting in his Mercy and the of my divine redeemer for the Salvation of my Soul. My body I Commit to the Earth to be decently interred. As to my temporal Estate I dispose of it in the following Manner that is to say first it is my Will and desire that my Land whereon I now live containing about one hundred acres be sold by my Exor^s hereafter to be named, also my personal Estate not otherwise disposed of in this (Will) sold and the money arising from such sales I dispose of in the following manner (viz)

Second I give & bequeath to my niece Elizabeth Montgomery two hundred Dollars to her and her heirs forever also my riding Horse Philip

Third I give to my niece Margaret Edmiston two Hundred dollars to her and her heirs forever,

Fourth I give to my niece Latitia Preston two hundred dollars to her and her heirs forever,

Fifth I give to my well respected friend Walter Preston my young bay mare my Watch my riding whip my Silver Shoe and Knee Buckles and Gold sleeve Buttons also one hundred dollars and my spurs,

Sixth I give to my little cousin Col. Wm. R. Preston two Hundred Dollars,

Seventh I give to my nephew William Robinson two hundred dollars with all my wearing apparel to him and his heirs forever,

Eighth I give to the Children of my Dec^d Nephew Robinson Leforce two hundred dollars for the Exclusive use of them and their heirs forever,

Ninth I give to my nephew David Leforce two hundred dollars to him and his heirs forever,

Tenth I give to my Nephew Reney Leforce my Ball^d Mare a Bed and furniture and two hundred dollars,

Eleventh I give to my Niece Mary Duvall one Bed and furniture and two hundred dollars forever,

Twelfth I give to my Niece Jean Marshal two hundred dollars to her and her heirs forever,

It is my Particular wish and desire that none of my Books be sold after my decease that remains unappropriated. I leave them in the care of my friend Walter Preston subject nevertheless to be given out to my Legatees or such of them as may choose to read of them, But they are to return sd. Books to sd. Preston after a reasonable time to read them. Raney Leforce Husband of my sister Agness Dec^d and all his Children not mentioned in this my Last Will are excluded from inheriting or possessing any part of my Estate real or personal by

It is my Will that my Negro Man Dick be set free after my Decease and that immediately,

It is my Wish to empower my Exor.^s to make Conveyances of any Lands that I have sold and not already Conveyed after my Decease, also to Collect my outstanding debts and to pay all my just debts, also to defend suits and to commence suits if they are with regard to any part of my Estate, I also desire that my Ex.^{r.s} shall be paid all their necessary Expenses as well as a reasonable allowance for their Trouble in conducting the Business of my Estate and executing this my Last Will and testament, and Whereas I expect that after Complying with every part of this Will there may be a sum of Money in the hands of my Ex.^{r.s} I give and bequeath same to the following of my female relations (viz.)

Cynthia Robinson, Mary R. Preston and Malinda Montgomery provided that said sum doth not exceed two hundred dollars to each one. But should there be a sum over the six hundred dollars Last mentioned I wish and desire s^d sum to remain in the hands of my friend Walter Preston to be applied by him to the use of the Pastor of Salem Meeting House annually so as not to exceed ten dollars p^r year and

Lastly, I do hereby Constitute and appoint my friends Walter Preston, George G. Taylor and Isaac Hockady Ex.^{r.s} of this my Last Will and Testament and hereby revoking and making void all other former Wills by me made declaring this only to be my Last Will and Testament--

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 16th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and fourteen.

Signed sealed and ak^d in presence of

William Robinson Seal

. . Preston
William(X) Waler

Kathryn Owen
423 E. Broadway
Winchester, KY 40391

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Dear Katherine,

Thank you for your good letter and the kind words about the section on the Thompson/Leforce family. I changed my mind a half dozen times about how I would handle it, so I'm glad you approved of the "final" rough draft. A strange coincidence is that just last week I had a call from a man in Clinton whose Buchanan ancestor married Sarah Leforce, b. Botetourt Co., Va. (m.1794). Their son was Ren Buchanan, so I'm sure Sarah must have been a member of the Rene (Raney, Reney, etc) family.

Recently I've been working on the section on Col. John Thompson, a bro. of Capt. Laurence of Madison Co., Ky., who settled in Rutherford Co., Tenn.. I have it almost completed, and will tackle my ancestor Joseph Thompson, another brother, next. Then there is another brother, Thomas, and two sisters plus the parents and their history. I think that I am making real progress, until I analyze what I have yet to do.

Thanks so very much for sending the will of William Robinson; it is one of the most interesting I have ever seen. It surely makes one wonder what happened to the library of William Robinson, a most unusual property of anyone who lived on what was really the country's frontier at the time. I'm sending along my typescript of the will (thought you might like to have this for your files), as well as a type script of the will of his brother Col. David Robinson, who died in Fayette County. Am also enclosing a biographical sketch of this man by Lyman Draper. Obviously these brothers were extremely well educated men for their day and age.

Information given in William's will plus that given in David's will (both these men were UNM, and left no descendents) has helped me to put together

The \$2 enclosed is for the Wm. Robinson will. Thanks so much for sending them. They are desc. of Jas. + H. J. I'm also returning the Thompson exchange.

a sketchy picture of the family. It seems that they had nieces: Elizabeth Montgomery, Latitia and Agnes Preston, Margaret Edmiston (Edmondson), Mary Duvall, and Jean Marshall. Nephews were: Robinson, David, and Raney Leforce; greatnephew was Alex. Montgomery, Jr., son of Eliz. Montgomery. Other "female relations" were Cynthia Robinson, Mary R. Preston, and Malinda Montgomery. Walter Preston was referred to as "friend", but one wonders if he wasn't related to the "bro.-in-law Preston", and the Col. Preston under whom David served in the Va. Militia. There is an excellent Preston family history at the McClung Historical Library in Knoxville that I had checked before for Robinsons, but found none. I'll check for Latitia, Agnes, and Mary R. the next time I go over and see if they are mentioned.

The main reason I'm so interested in the Robinson family is that I have a Robinson ancestress in White Co., Tenn. whose parents I have not been able to identify. She was Elizabeth Robinson, who marr. John Gist, Sr.; he died in White Co. TN in 1852. Unfortunately, Robinson was a fairly common name during the pioneer days, and I suppose that I am going to have to "track" most of the families.

Incidentally, is there any tradition about Walter Preston having an exceptional library? Wouldn't it be interesting to find out what happened to William Robinson's books?

Relaxing with my granddaughter
I had a grand time in Annapolis. Was also able to get into Washington to see the "Treasure Houses of Britain" exhibit at the National Gallery. It was magnificent! Next week I'm off to NYC for four days to attend an American Field Service International conference. It is an organization that handles foreign student exchanges at the high school level. I've been working with it, as a volunteer, since we hosted a Turkish boy in 1972/73.

Regards,
Jane



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John Price 76

Clarke County Court 1835
 The estate of Elizabeth Still died was perused in open
 Court approved of and ordered to be recorded
 ex. v. J. P. Bullock's table

Preston's Amt
 of
 Sales

An account of sales of the property of Wm. Walker
 Preston dec^d made this 8th day of October 1834-

| Purchasers Names | Property | Amount |
|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| L. H. Reynolds | one axe | \$ 1.00 |
| Ray. McCann | one do | .75 |
| Wm. Le Prewitt | ox ring & Sledge | 1.00 |
| Leslie Postich | Two axes | 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Lucia Preston | Three wedges & one axe | 1.00 |
| Leslie Postich | Two Spades &c | 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| L. Preston | Spade Mattock & Cutting Knife | .50 |
| L. H. Reynolds | Scythe and hanging | 43 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| L. Preston | one do | .50 |

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| Haydn McCombs | one do | 25 |
| Mrs G Prewitt | ox ring & Sledge | 1.00 |
| Leslie Postich | Two axes | 37½ |
| Leticia Preston | Three wedges & one axe | 1.00 |
| Leslie Postich | Two Spade &c | 37½ |
| L. Preston | Spade mattock & Cutting Knife | 50 |
| L. H. Reynolds | Scythe and hanging | 43¾ |
| L. Preston | one do | 50 |
| L. P. Price | one do | 62½ |
| do | one scythe | 62½ |
| David Berkeley | one Brier scythe | 25 |
| L. Preston | one axe | 50 |
| do | one do | 1.12½ |
| L. P. Taylor | one do | 1.12½ |
| L. Preston | one scythe & cradle | 75 |
| Mrs G Prewitt | one do do | 1.56¼ |
| L. Preston | Two hoes | 62½ |
| do | Two do | 87½ |
| L. P. Taylor | one lot of old harness & hoops | 25 |
| L. H. Reynolds | one fifth & log chain | 1.81¼ |
| do | Remainder of empty barrels | 37½ |
| L. Preston | Six choice empty barrels | 1.75 |
| | | <hr/> 17.68¾ |
| | amt Brought over | 17.68¾ |

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| Lipe Fishbach | Six 2 nd choice do | - | - | - | 50 |
| James Price | one old wheel barrow | - | - | - | 81 ² / ₂ |
| do | one p. walle Irons | - | - | - | 93 ³ / ₄ |
| Wm Coleman | one frying pan | - | - | - | 25 |
| John Richardson | one iron Kettle Hooped, | - | - | - | 50 |
| L Preston | one do | - | - | - | 1 25 |
| Edw Taylor | one large pot | - | - | - | 1 00 |
| A M Preston | one large oven & Kettle | - | - | - | 37 ¹ / ₂ |
| David Watty | one large Kettle & hooks | - | - | - | 25 37 ¹ / ₂ |
| L Preston | one do & bails | - | - | - | 25 12 ¹ / ₂ |
| Lipe Fishbach | one pot, one hooks & baker | - | - | - | 50 |
| L Preston | Pot Raika hooks, haek bushel | - | - | - | 75 |
| Jno M Preston | one large brass Kettle | - | - | - | 25 00 |
| L Preston | one bees mitas do | - | - | - | 6 25 |
| Lipe Fishbach | one lot of old Irons | - | - | - | 1 50 |
| Edw Taylor | One cross Cut Saw | - | - | - | 2 50 |
| A. M. Preston | One Lach Screw | - | - | - | 37 ¹ / ₂ |
| Lipe Fishbach | one lot of old irons | - | - | - | 25 |
| L Preston | One p. meal bags | - | - | - | 62 ¹ / ₂ |
| do | One p. do | - | - | - | 62 ¹ / ₂ |
| Lard Child | one p. do | - | - | - | 50 |
| L. A. Reynolds | one set of gutting frames | - | - | - | 37 ¹ / ₂ |
| Edw Taylor | one p. meal bags | - | - | - | 62 ¹ / ₂ |
| Dr Martin | one p. do | - | - | - | 62 ¹ / ₂ |
| A M Preston | one Wagon tire | - | - | - | 1 75 |

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| W ^m O Brewitt | one lot of old bedsteads & plank | 1 | 12 1/2 |
| A. M. Preston | one old bed & bedstead | 1 | 5 7/2 |
| Joseph Coates | one basket of chisels drawing knife | - | 8 1/4 |
| | | 50 | 5 7/2 |
| | Amt Brought over | 50 | 8 7/2 |
| L. Preston | one p. stuttyards | 1 | 00 |
| L. Brewitt | Three Augers | 1 | 56 7/4 |
| do | one large Auger | 1 | 00 |
| Thos. Vivion | one broad axe & adz | - | 8 7/2 |
| John Richardson | one p. large stuttyards | - | 75 |
| L. Preston | one p. sheep shears | - | 3 7/2 |
| do | one basket of spools | - | 75 |
| Lipe Fishback | 4 sickles | - | 56 7/4 |
| Wm Berry | 4 do | - | 3 1/4 |
| Lipe Fishback | one Ladder & blanket | 7 | 56 7/4 |
| James Price | 1/2 doz white Windsor chairs | 3 | 8 1/4 |
| A. M. Preston | 1/2 doz Red do | 7 | 00 |
| do | one dining table | - | 50 |
| Dave Berkeley | one do | - | 50 |
| Leslie B. Boskch | one sugar dish | - | 68 7/4 |
| A. M. Preston | Brass Mounting for Andirons | - | 8 7/2 |
| L. H. Goodwin | one wash stand | 1 | 3 1/4 |
| A. M. Preston | Two old chairs | - | 50 |
| do | one high post bedstead | 5 | 25 |
| Pandy Quonberry | a lot of 5 books | - | 25 |

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| John M Preston | a lot of 5 do. | - | - | - | - | 70 |
| Tandy Dunscombe | do. 3 do | - | - | - | - | 25 |
| Chiles Coleman | Woods Dictionary of bible 2 vols | - | - | - | 2 | 00 |
| John M Preston | McCORDS Sermons &c | - | - | - | 1 | 50 |
| Alfred Preston | American Re history U S | - | - | - | 1 | 75 |
| John M Preston | Belgrinus Progress &c | - | - | - | - | 50 |
| Chiles Coleman | Scraps Commentary 6 vols \$2.75 pr. vol | - | - | - | 16 | 50 |
| Alfred Preston | Pollack & Franklins | - | - | - | 1 | 25 |
| John M Preston | History of England &c. | - | - | - | 1 | 00 |
| do | Whitfield &c | - | - | - | - | 50 |
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Aunt Brought over

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| Tandy Dunscombe | Women on the Sabbath &c | - | - | - | - | 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| John M Preston | Testament &c | - | - | - | - | 25 |
| Nathan McDowd | 3 books | - | - | - | - | 18 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| Tandy Dunscombe | 3 do | - | - | - | - | 56 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| John M Preston | 4 do | - | - | - | - | 50 |
| L Preston | 5 do | - | - | - | - | 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Alfred Preston | 2 do | - | - | - | 1 | 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| John M Preston | 3 French books | - | - | - | - | 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Joseph Lannan | 4 books | - | - | - | - | 25 |
| John M Preston | 5 do | - | - | - | - | 18 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| Alfred Preston | 3 do | - | - | - | 1 | 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| J M Preston | 4 do also 7 do | - | - | - | - | 25 |

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| Chiles Coleman | 2 Latin & Greek books | | | | 02 |
| do | 4 books | | | | 50 |
| A M Preston | 4 do | | | | 25 |
| Alex Preston | 4 do Chambers | | | 1 | 12 1/2 |
| Chiles Coleman | 6 do | | | 1 | 00 |
| John M Preston | 6 do | | | | 12 1/2 |
| Laudy Dunning | 25 do McCabe Works | | | | 62 1/2 |
| Geo J Boon | 4 vols Rollins Arct history | | | 8 | 00 |
| Wm F Hocharney | 3 books | | | | 56 1/4 |
| A M Preston | 12 vols Nicholsons Encyc ^a | | | 9 | 00 |
| L A Young | 2 do | | | 1 | 00 |
| Dr Martin | 7 books (Geography & Atlas | | | 8 | 75 |
| Alex Preston | Rayon strap & brush | | | 2 | 50 |
| Chiles Coleman | Gunter Scale & 5 yds quiting | | | 1 | 00 |
| John M Preston | 1 pr Recartes Cut glass, | | | 2 | 50 |
| Joseph Holliday | 1 pr do | | | | 50 |
| L H Reynolds | 2 bottles | | | | 37 1/2 |
| John M Preston | 2 do | | | | 12 1/2 |
| Wm C Hewitt | 25 do | | | 50.00 | 50 |
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| Geo M Preston | 5 bottles | | | | 87 1/2 |
| L A Laylor | 4 bottles 2 Caristis &c | | | | 18 1/4 |
| A M Preston | one bed bedstead & furniture | | | 36 | 00 |
| do | 2 sets of Window Curtains | | | 4 | 00 |

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| L. Preston | one bedstead & furniture | 24 | 00 | 64 |
| Henry Bridges | one do do | 20 | 00 | 00 |
| L. Preston | one do do | 16 | 00 | |
| H. Bridges | one do do | 15 | 25 | 00 |
| do | one do do | 35 | 00 | 5 |
| Geo M. Preston | one dutch table clock | 7 | 00 | 0 |
| Saml. Parrish | one set of bed Curtains | 1 | 12 1/2 | 5 |
| Chas. Coleman | 3 Window Curtains | | 75 | 4 |
| A. M. Preston | 1 pr. domestic blankets | 1 | 50 | |
| do | 1 pr. do | 3 | 00 | 3 |
| L. Preston | 1 pr. do | 4 | 00 | |
| do | 1 pr. do | 3 | 75 | 5 |
| Henry Bridges | 1 pr. Irish blankets | 8 | 00 | 5 |
| L. Preston | 1 pr. domestic do | 3 | 00 | |
| do | 1 do | 1 | 37 1/2 | 7 1/2 |
| La. P. Combs | 1 bed quilt | 2 | 50 | |
| do | 1 Coverlet | 4 | 06 1/4 | 2 1/2 |
| Dr. Wm. Noble | 1 fire fender | 2 | 00 | 1/2 |
| A. M. Preston | 1 pr. brass Andirons | 13 | 00 | 5 |
| do | 1 pr. Shovel & tongs | 3 | 25 | 5 |
| L. H. Goodwin | 1 Map of Hty | 4 | 62 1/2 | 14 |
| do | 1 map of Va | 3 | 50 | 0 |
| do | 1 pr. of Looking Glasses | 4 | 00 | 0 |
| do | 1 pr. Looking Glasses | 1 | 50 | |

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| L. Preston | One Squaw table | | 75 | 74 |
| L. H. Reynolds | Four dishes | 1 | 00 | 74 |
| Jno Richardson | Wanted Cups & saucers &c | | 75 | 74 |
| L. Preston | 1/2 doz plates | | 25 | 74 |
| | | | \$386 | 43 1/2 |
| | Ant brot over | 386 | 43 1/2 | 74 |
| Thos Burbridge | 1/2 doz plates | 4 | 50 | 74 |
| Wm Hampton | 8 wash pool plates | | 37 1/2 | 74 |
| L. Preston | 4 dishes | | 31 1/4 | 74 |
| Row Combs | 3 bowls & 4 plates | | 25 | 74 |
| L. A. Combs | 4 glass dishes | 1 | 56 1/4 | 74 |
| John Spence | Snuff tray, & invisible ink | | 50 | 74 |
| John M. Preston | Wanted & Linaries | | 50 | 74 |
| do | Two jaw, Petted & cream pot | 1 | 00 | 74 |
| do | Large Teaboard. 14 lumber pitch ye | 5 | 00 | 74 |
| do | Two Goblets 12 wine glasses, 3 mugs | 2 | 25 | 74 |
| L. H. Reynolds | 30 ^{cut} of broke hemp at \$5.77 1/2 pr. Cut. | 173 | 25 | 74 |
| L. H. Reynolds | 30 ^{cut} of do. at \$5.72 pr. cut | 171 | 75 | 74 |
| do | 30 ^{cut} do at \$5.50 pr do | 165 | 00 | 74 |
| do | The remainder of the hemp at \$5.52 pr. ^{cut 21 of} 13.1. 20. | 74 | 19 1/4 | 74 |
| L. A. Taylor | 2 Choice hifer Calves | 20 | 50 | 74 |
| John M. Preston | 3 Other hifer do at \$4.75 pr. head. | 14 | 25 | 74 |
| Horace Coleman | 4 Steer Calves & one huer do at \$4.25 pr head | 21 | 75 | 74 |
| A. M. Preston | 1 large old red & white Cow / Cow killed by T. Duns | 1 | 00 | 74 |

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| L A Reynolds | one large Red Bull | 25 00 |
| Thos Vivion | one old pale Red Cow | 0 50 |
| Jno W Preston | one bob tailed Red Cow | 7 25 |
| L Preston | one brown hip shot Cow | 6 00 |
| Maulew Kenney | one brown sawed horn Cow | 12 25 |
| L A Dawson | one speckled Cow | 8 37 1/2 |
| L Preston | one short horned Red Cow | 24 00 |
| do | one black speckled Cow | 17 00 |
| Jno W Preston | one Red & white Cow | 12 00 |
| do | one Red short horned Cow | 40 00 |
| do | one Red beef Cow | 18 50 |
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| Matthew Kenney | one old Red Cow (small) | 7 75 |
| L Preston | 4 Choice 2 year old Steers | 48 00 |
| Landy Duwenhery | 4, 2 nd choice do at \$8.62 1/2 pr h ^{ds} | 34 50 |
| do | 4, 3 rd choice do at \$7.75 pr h ^{ds} | 31 00 |
| L Preston | 1 sprayed heifer | 14 00 |
| Saml. Winner | 2 large old oxen (beef) | 60 00 |
| Saml. Weymer | 2 four year old Steers at \$19.12 1/2 pr h ^{ds} | 34 25 |
| Edm W Backus | one merino ram | 1 75 |
| L Preston | 10, 1 st choice sheep at \$1.50 pr h ^{ds} | 00 00 |
| do | 10, 2 nd do do 1.25 pr h ^{ds} | 12 50 |
| L A Reynolds | 10, 3 rd do do 81 ct pr h ^{ds} | \$ 12 |

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| W. H. Maise | The Remains of Sheep 36 at 50 ^{cts} p. h. a. | 18 00 |
| Col Wm McMillan | 5 Sows with Linnæe pigs | 10 00 |
| Lucion Harris | Remains of the stock hog at 76 ^{cts} p. h. a. 37 head | 28 12 |
| A. L. Child | one ox Cart. | 35 00 |
| L. Prestow | one ox - value supposed to have been included in the valuation of oxen & not etc. | 1 75 |
| Geo L Martin | one Sorrel hip shot horse | 30 00 |
| Jno M. Prestow | one black horse 5 year old one eye | 25 00 |
| Pendleton Taylor | one old bay pony mare | 14 50 |
| Wm. Buckner | one Cream Mare | 17 00 |
| L. Madison Cooper | one Gray Mare | 20 00 |
| Edu. W. Hookaday | one bay Deinde mare | 26 00 |
| Jno M. Prestow | one Sorrel Royalist horse | 20 00 |
| Wm. Price | one roan mare 5 years old | 31 50 |
| John M. Prestow | one Sorrel Emperor horse | 30 00 |
| George Angel | one bay whip filly (unsound) | 8 00 |
| Jno M. Prestow | one bay Tempest filly | 40 50 |
| Cuthbert Dickman | one black sucking horse Colt | 22 50 |
| Tandy Dusenbery | one Sorrel mare do | 15 12 |

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| Jno W. Meldece | one black 2 year old horse Colt | 55 00 |
| Ben E. Allen | one yearling filly (Copper bottom) | 30 25 |
| Willis Elkin | one do do do | 34 37 1/2 |
| Robert O. Bush | one bay horse sucking Colt | 24 00 |
| Tandy Dusenbery | one Sorrel mare do | 11 00 |

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| Lesse Fishbach | one oat stack | 16 | 06 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| L Preston | one rye stack | 11 | 00 |
| Colby H Taylor | 100 stacks of Corn Commencing in the S corner of the field & run E & W reserving 10 stacks to feed with | 99 | 00 |
| do | 50 do adjoining above at \$1.10 $\frac{1}{2}$ pr stack | 56 | 25 |
| Ben R McBain | 50 do adjoining above at \$1.25 pr stack | 62 | 50 |
| Lesse Fishbach | 50 do do at \$1.24 $\frac{1}{2}$ pr stack | 62 | 25 |
| Ben R McBain | The Remainder at \$1.17 pr stack say 52 | 60 | 84 |
| Alfred Preston | one lot of hemp in shock near meeting house at \$7.25 per acre | 19 | 93 |
| do | one lot of hemp in do next do! Blaydes at \$4.68 $\frac{3}{4}$ pr acre | 37 | 75 |
| do | Remainder of hemp in do at \$3.06 $\frac{1}{4}$ per acre | 36 | 15 |
| L H Reynolds | 10 choice fat hogs (after 60 are taken out at \$2.15 $\frac{1}{4}$ pr Cwt gross - 1884 $\frac{3}{4}$ lb) | 40 | 50 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| L Preston | 10.2 ⁰⁰ choice do at \$2.00 pr Cwt gross | | |
| do | Remainder of fat hogs at \$2.00 pr Cwt gross in both lots 4516 $\frac{1}{4}$ lb | 90 | 32 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Ben R McBain | one hay stack | 6 | 25 |
| Lat F Taylor | One do | 8 | 75 |
| Lesse Fishbach | Two stacks of old hay | 25 | 31 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| Henry Devoy | one stack of hay | 8 | 00 |
| do | one stack do | 8 | 00 |
| do | one do do | 7 | 50 |

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| Ben A McCann | One do do | - | 10 | 75 |
| Saml. Chiles | one pr. stretchers | - | 2 | 00 |
| | | | \$2677 | 43 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| | Aunt Brot Over | - | 2677 | 43 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| L Preston | one pr. stretchers | - | 1 | 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| do | one do | - | 1 | 50 |
| Saml Chiles | one do (no hook) | - | 1 | 00 |
| L Preston | one Cutting box & Knife | - | 0 | 50 |
| Wm. C. Prewitt | one Rock hill plough | - | 4 | 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Saml. Chiles | one Bare share do | - | 1 | 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Robt V Bush | One Carry do | - | 3 | 50 |
| L Preston | one do do | - | 3 | 43 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| Robert V Bush | one bare share do & Clevis | - | - | 25 |
| L Preston | One Carry do | - | 1 | 25 |
| Saml. Chiles | One small Rock hill. do | - | 1 | 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| L Preston | one bare share do | - | - | 18 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| do | one shovel plough | - | 3 | 00 |
| do | one do do | - | 1 | 87 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Wm. C. Prewitt | one lot of Gate scattering | - | 3 | 75 |
| L Preston | one wheat fan | - | 6 | 50 |
| Jesse Fishback | Two old ploughs | - | 2 | 00 |
| Ed F Taylor | one lot of old rye at 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ pr bushel 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ bushel | - | 4 | 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Jesse Fishback | one lot of do at 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ pr bu 20 bu | - | 6 | 30 |
| Sale Commenced at half past 10 o'clock - also ten of "agricably" | | | 2725 | 11 $\frac{3}{4}$ |
| to advertisement | | | - | - |

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| Geo F Martin | one lot cast hinges &c | \$ 0.56 1/4 |
| L. H Reynolds | Two clivises &c | 0.31 1/2 |
| Afred Preston | one trunk | 1.31 1/4 |
| L. H. Reynolds | one square table | 0.81 1/4 |
| James F Taylor | one large old trunk | 1.50 |
| Geo M Preston | one Rattan washing Crane | 4.00 |
| L. H Reynolds | one sp. spurs | 12 1/2 |
| Geo M Preston | one old trunk | 37 1/2 |
| | Ant Bit over | 2734.11 1/2 |
| Geo M Preston | one large silver Ladle | 10.00 |
| do | one side Board | 30.00 |
| L Preston | one bed bedstead & furnt | 10.00 |
| do | one Cupboard | 4.75 |
| A. M Preston | one old trunk | 12 1/2 |
| L. F Taylor | one smooth bored gun | 6.00 |
| Ben McCann | one lot of hames chains, collars buckles & back Bands | 3.00 |
| Lise Fishback | Two good boxes | .62 1/2 |
| L. H Reynolds | one large Crane | .06 1/4 |
| Lise Fishback | one large pitchfork | .18 3/4 |
| Lise Fishback | Two black handspike handles | .12 1/2 |
| L. H Reynolds | Two boxes & chest | .81 1/4 |
| L Preston | 4 milk stone pans | .68 1/4 |
| A. M Preston | 7 1/2 bus Flax seed at 30 ct per bus | 2.25 |

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| at Mr Preston | part of a barrel of old bounce | 2.00 |
| L H Reynolds | one jug of linsed oil | 1.56 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| Robert V Bush | one large hoggshead | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Ben McCarroll | 10 barrels of old corn at \$1.56 $\frac{1}{4}$ pr. b ^l | 15.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Jesse Fishback | one lot of fodder next W. Spencer & Willson at 14 $\frac{1}{4}$ pr. stacks 60 stacks | 8.55 |
| do | one lot of do next the house at 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ pr. do ^{36 stacks} | 2.97 |
| L A Spencer | one Brush | 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Sold privately | | \$2839.63 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| L & B Talbot | 60 fat hogs | 313.62 |
| Retained by Latitia Preston at the appraised value | | |
| Sundry articles | | 1223.00 |
| | Am't Brought up | 4376.25 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| Add for 10 1 st choice sheep on 7 th page charge to Mr L Preston not included in addition at \$1.50 pr. head | | 15.00 |

Alex M Preston
Latitia Preston.

Clacko County April Court 1835
This amount of the sales of the estate of Walter Preston dec'd.
was produced in Court examined allowed & ordered to be rec'd.
Lester
James B Bullock

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Excerpts from Minutes of the Friendship

Baptist Church, Winchester, Ky.

March 8th 1823 -- Recd for Baptism Richard Thompson and Amey McClure

Octob^r. 10th 1824 -- The Church Met at the Meeting house according to adjournment and after prayer proceeded to business as follows

1st -- The Church took up the business respecting the ordination of deacons and brethren Corbin and Dudley failing to attend the Church agrees to lay over till next Church Meeting

2nd -- ~~Rich~~ Richard Thompson lays in a grevance against Sister Abigal Mills and br. Samuel McCluar the Church took it up and Called on them to answer the Complaint after investigating the Subject the Church Voted dissatisfyed with them laid it over till next Church Meeting and appoint a Committee of Seven to labour with the brother and Sister for satisfaction Nicholas Jones Gustavus Elgin John Jones Lewis Berry Leonard Beall Matthias Gossett and Samuel Christy adjourned till Church Meeting in Course

Attest Robt. Didlake Clk

Wm. Rash jn^r Mod^r

Nov. 13th 1824 -- The Church Met at the MEeting house according to adjournment and after prayer proceeded to business as follows

1st -- The Complaint against Sister Abigal Mills Taken up and She Called on to answer the Church and She acknowleged that from the information She had recv^d. that She had accused Sister Thompson with taken part of Mrs. L. Hickmans Cloth which accusation is fals as She beleavs and the Church Voted Satisfyed with her acknowledgment.

3rd. -- The Complaint agst br. Saml McCluar again taken up and refurdd till Church MEeting in Course, adjourned till Church Meeting in Course

Attest Robt. Didlake CLk

Wm. Rash jn^r Mod^r

Date (?)

3rd -- The Complaint agst Br. Saml. McCluar again taken up and he called on to answer the Church and he failing to give Satisfaction is wxcluded for Cerculating a report that Sister Thompson stole a part of Mrs. L Hickmans Cloth and that it was as certain as his McCluars fingers belongs to his hand and that She wove some cloth for him and that a part of the same was missing Says he has no fellowship for Sister Thompson nor never had.

4th -- A Complaint by br. Thompson agst. Sister McCluar for stating that Sister Thompson took part of her Cloth and put it on her Sister Thomps- sons children Taken up and laid over till Church Meeting in Cours

5th -- A Complaint by br. Thompson agst Sister Abigal Mills for telling one of the brethren that they had got Sister Thompson in the Church and that they must make a honest woman of her taken up add laid over till Church Meeting in Cours

6th -- The Church has appointed br. Allen Berry to assist br. Bbooking in raseing the tunes in time ofppublic Worship in the place of S McCluar adjourned till Church Meeting in Cours

Attest Robt. Didlake Clk

Wm. Rash jnr M&F

(Date of following meeting -- Jan. 9, 1825)

FbY 12th 1825 -- The Church met at the Meeting House according to adjournment and after prayer proceeded to business as follows

1st --

2nd -- The Complaint agst Sister McCluar again taken up and She denying

the Charges add br. Thompson failing to prove them the Church has dismissed her

3rd -- On Complaint agst Sister McCluar by br. Thompson 1st for saying if he br. Thompson treated her as he had done her husband in giving him the lie in Open Meeting She would have her brother to give him a whipping the Church took it up but upon her acknowledgement the Church acquitted her Then 2nd for saying that She had no fellowship with Sister Thompson the Church took it up also and after much said on the Subject agreed to lay it over till next Meeting etc.

March 12th 1825

1st --

2nd -- The Complaint against Sister Mc Clure again taken up the Church Condemed the Conduitt but agree to forgive her upon her acknowledgement

3rd -- Bro. Amon Cart Laid Before the Church sundry charges against Br. Richard Thompson which is as followsd

1st For saying that Br. McClure Sister Mc Clure and Abigail ought to be cow hided

2nd For refusing to be called to order and numerous reflection

3rd For refusing add protesting that he would not go agreeable to the Scripture that he was not hurt with Sister McClure but that he was mad and hoped that the Church did not want him to commit Sin in Dealing with her

The 3 taken up seperately and upon his acknowledgement agree to forgive him

4th For given the Church theeby saying that he had proved the charge when the church record he had not

5th For saying that the Charge was not on the Book as he made it and it is well recollected that when the record of the Church was red that he said that it was what he intended

6th For saying on the Streets of Windhester publickly that the Church had not done him justice for that he had proved the Charges & the three last charges taken up in conexion and after much said on the subject and satisfaction not obtained the Church agree to Exclude him

Received for Baptism a free woman of Coulor by name Rachael

The Church then adjourned till meeting in Course

Attes.

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WM. Rash junr Mdr

April 3th 1825

The Church met at the Meeting house according to adjournment and after prayer proceeded to business as follows

1st -- Refferance from last meeting being cald for was taken up and Brother Cast being presant was caaled upon by the CHurch to answer to the Charge and failing to give satisfaction was Excluded from her Communion.

2nd -- Sister Thomson presented a Charge against Sister McClure for Unchristian like conduct which was very hurtful to Sister Thomsons fealings. The Church took up the Charge and called upon Sister McClure (she being presant) and condemed her conduct but upon her acknowledgmt, and satisfaction being given to Sister Thomson the Church freely forgave her.

3rd -- Sister Thomson presented a Charge against Sister Abigal Mills for Unchristian like conduct which was very hurtful to Sister Thomson's fealings. The Church took up the Charge and call'd upon Sister Abigal

(she being presant) and condemed her conduct,,~~but~~ upon her acknowledgmt

and satisfaction being given to Sister Thomson the Church freely forgave
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her and so adjourned until meeting in Course
Test. N. Brooking Clk

W. Rash Modr

March the 14th 1829

The Church met according to adjournment and after Prayer proceeded
to Business as follows

1st -- Received Brother Samuel McClure by acknowledgement then
adjourned till meeting in course

Leonard Beall Clk

Wm. Nash Modr.

Richard Thompson + c to Elijah Crosthwait + c 1813
a plot of ground lying in County of Clark + town of
Winchester being part of Lot # 2 designated in the plat
of the town

Signed
Richard Thompson
Martha "

Cast. Lawrence Thompson chuter
Mar. Bonds - dete? ^{→ + kerjant Hart}

Azarah Thomas Thompson
(Thomas A. Thompson)

Alfred M. Thompson m. Mary Jane Waller

Allen Thompson m. Catherine?

Mary Simpson Thompson m. Percy Lefore