

Devery
Thomas
Will

Thomas Devery of Southampton County in Virginia being
sick and weak of body but in perfect sense and memory and calling
to mind the uncertainty of this life and that it is appointed for
all mankind once to die do think proper to make constitute and
ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form
following

I do give and bequeath to my wife Elizabeth Devery during
her widowhood all my whole estate after the debts is paid and to
be equally divided amongst all my children

And lastly I appoint my wife Elizabeth Devery to be my
Executrix to this my last will and testament disavowing and dis
allowing other wills and testament by me made allowing
this only to be my last will and testament as witness my hand
and Seal this 9th day of April 1777

John Davis
Jacob & Jeyner
Robt. Thasby

Thomas Devery
Mark

A Court held for the County of Southampton
the 11th day Septemr 1777. The Will was presented in Court
by Elizabeth Devery the Exor therein named and proved by the oath
of John Davis and Jacob Jeyner two of the witnesses thereto and
of John Davis and on the motion of the S^r C^{ler} who made
oath according to law certificate is granted him for obtaining
a probat thereof in due form giving security Whereupon R^d
Sam Rellatt

R^d Avery
Exor & App

An Inventory and appraisement of the estate of Richard Avery
decd taken the 16th Feby 1776
12 Cattle £11.10. 2 Sows & Pigg £3.12.6 1 Horse £10 1 Mare £7.1.53.2.6
4 Sheep 50th Cent 400000 301 Headstone 10th A Sheds 24 6 Hoes 6.17.
Widges 416. 1 Pan 216. 2 Casks 716. Saddle 20th 12th 716 4 Axes 15th 6.17.
Womans Ath 10th Hames 13. 1 Plow hoes 5th 3.1.3
Satt 113th Bed 123th Pottle 13. 1 Gun 12th 6. Dutch oven 8th 13. 3. 9.3
Pott 10th 3 Pugs 716. 6 Ath 8th Pott 413. 1 Ath 2.6. Sword & Cth 72th 1.17.4
Pth 216. Pth 13th Coffee Pott & Tea Kettle 12th 6. 6 Pugs 8th Spice Mortar 1.14.
Tweed Lumber 5th 6. Hand saws 5th hoes & 5 Hops 3th 6. 2 Pongs 216. 9. 1
3 Pth Cards 216. Steel haps. 12th 6. Shaws 216. 11 Hammers & 3 Batters 1.13.6
Sundry Lumber 10th
Drawing Knife 216. 12 doz Knives & forks 819. 2 doz Spoon 2th 12 doz 1.12.3
Plates 12th 1 Dish 716. 2 Sundry bottles in Lumber 47th 10th books 3.5.8.3
a Quantity of Pewter 8019. 2 Sundry bottles in Lumber 47th 10th books 3.5.8.3
Hans Platt Bag & Shot 2 Sifters & Tray 719. Pale Sows & Cows 14.
August Chapp 9 Hoes 5 Hoes & Table 9th 6. Saws 216. 7. 1. 9.10
Wheel & Spindle 716. Walnut Table 10th Desk 10th Chest 10th 11th 76.2
Wearing Cloaths & Sheet 216. 4th 4th Cloth 10th 1 Bed 54. 2 Beds 28. 9.10.6
Wearers Ath 3216. Lamb hoes 110. 1 Flat Brake 1th 14.7
Bridles Leather Compases Funnell, Metal, bag Plain 11th 13.1
4th the Tallow 2th 12th 2th 11th 1216. 10th Bacon 28. 6.8. 18th Beef 4.67. 8.8
3 Reap hoes 3th
Corn at 25.14.10 Cotton at 45.6th 8.11
£113.1.3

Pursuant to an order Court directing the subscribers to be first sworn, we
have appraised in current money all the estate of Richard Avery decd that
was presented to our view

Jacob Turner

A Court held for the County of South
the 11th day of Sept 1777. This inventory and app^r
of the estate of Richard Avery was this day returned David
and ordered to be recorded

Sam Rellatt