

In the name of God Amen I Isaac Smith of Barren County Kentucky being aged but of sound mind and memory thanks be to God for his mercies and calling to mind the mortality of my body, and that it is appointed for man once to die do make this my last Will and Testament, first, I recommend my soul to ^{God} Almighty God and my body to be buried in decent manner, at the discretion of my beloved wife and children, nothing doubting but I shall receive it again at the last day at the Resurrection of the dead, and as touching my worldly Estate such as it hath pleased God to bless me with I devise and dispose of in the following manner;

I give I lend unto my beloved Wife Martha Smith, the use of one Room of my dwelling house, and one third part of the cleared land and timber to support on, and one work beast and a surfishanty, of better sheep and hogs to maintain her, also kitchen and household furniture, for the convenience to keep house with during her Natural life also one feather bed, and furniture to dispose of as she ~~shall~~ think proper.

I give I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter, Caroline M. Smith, more Caroline M. Smith one dollar

I give I give and bequeath my beloved daughter Mary Smith one fourth part of the property, I am yet to receive at the death of my Mother, also one dollar.

I give I give and bequeath to my beloved Grand Daughter Rebecca Moore one dollar

I give I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Lucy Smith one fourth part of my father's Estate, that will be coming to me at the death of my Mother

I give I give and bequeath unto my beloved son David R. Smith one dollar

I give I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Diana Smith one fourth part of what is coming to me ought of my father's Estate at the death of my Mother also one dollar

I give I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Isaac Smith one dollar

I give I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Robert Smith thirty dollars

I give I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Susan Smith one fourth part of what is coming to me ought of my Father's Estate.

I give I give and bequeath unto my son Pomeroy Smith, one half of the tract of land on whereon I now live having respect unto timber and soil

I give I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Silas Smith one half of the land whereon I now live agreeable to timber and soil,

My Will and desire is that my two last named sons, shall have the stock of every kind together with the household, and kitchen furniture, at the death of my wife that they shall fully perceive, except the bed and furniture, that I have given my beloved Wife

I give I appoint my beloved son David R. Smith my Executor, and my beloved Wife Martha Smith, my Executrix to this my last will and Testament this 8th day of July 1822.

Signed and acknowledged in presence of us

Waddy Thompson } John Fulkner
Wm. G. Walden } Charles J. Edgar
Nathaniel Bradsher }

405 Kentucky Barren County Court, February County Court 1827.

The within and foregoing writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Isaac Smith deceased was produced in Court and proved by the Oaths of Waddy Thompson and John Fulkner, subscribing Witnesses thereupon this said Writing was ordered to be recorded as the true last Will and Testament of the said Isaac Smith deceased whereupon the said Will and this Certificate hath been duly recorded accordingly Teste Magistrate

Know all men by these presents, that I Daniel Black member of the Kentucky Conference of Methodists, Preachers, do appoint this to be my last Will and Testament, I give my horse saddle, and saddle ^{bag} with my watch and books, except the two Volumes of Clarke Notes to G. M. Taylor, he Trust to be sold, and the money to be divided among the preachers of said Conference the two Volumes of Clarke notes I give to my friend Thomas Davidson of Barren County Kentucky, the Cash which is left, after I am decently buried I give to the same, together with my clothes, I appoint G. M. Taylor to be Executor of this my last Will and Testament, as Witness my hand and seal this 15th day of February 1827.

Daniel Black

Witness

Anthony J. Davis, Washington Davidson

Kentucky Barren County Court, April County Court 1827.

The within and foregoing writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Daniel Black deceased was produced in Court and proved by the Oaths of Anthony Davis and Washington Davidson subscribing Witnesses thereupon the said writing was ordered to be recorded as the true last Will and Testament of the said Daniel Black deceased whereupon the aforesaid Will and this Certificate hath been duly recorded accordingly Teste Magistrate

In the name of God Amen I John L. Morehead, of the County of Warren and State of Kentucky being weak in body yet, blessed by God of a sound understanding and memory, to make this my last Will and Testament, as followeth, I wish first of all I desire that all my lawful bills and funeral charges be paid—Secondly I give unto my dear loving Wife Elizabeth Morehead all my Estate Real and personal forever, for her to dispose of in her lifetime and at her death at her own discretion—Thirdly I do appoint my wife Elizabeth Morehead, Executrix, and John Martin Executor, of this my last Will and Testament, In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and seal, this 16th day of November the year of our Lord 1826. Signed sealed and delivered in presence of

John Martin, James Ruff, Benj. Martin.

Kentucky Barren County Court, May County Court 1827.

The within and foregoing writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John L. Morehead deceased, was produced in Court and proved by the Oaths of James Ruff and Benjamin Martin subscribing Witnesses thereupon the said writing was ordered to be recorded as the true last Will and Testament of the said John L. Morehead deceased whereupon the aforesaid Will and this Certificate hath been duly recorded accordingly Teste Magistrate

Having been sworn according to Law have promised to take and adjust the accounts of any Real Estate of John Pool Dec'd administrator of Abraham Baugant dec'd and do make return of the same as above stated this 10th day of November 1827

James P. Stockton
Joseph B. Stockton
Wm. Cooper

Barren County Court, & Vanderburg County Court 1827

The foregoing Settlement of the Estate of A. Baugant Deceased was returned to Court and ordered to be Recorded & sent Wm. Cooper Clerk

Barren County J.C. Joseph B. Stockton James P. Stockton & Wm. Cooper appointed Commissioners to take with any Real Estate of John Pool dec'd come by or me a Justice of the peace for said County and took the oath prescribed by Law & were under my hand this 10th day of November 1827

Wm. Cooper J.P.

Inventory of the Estate of Melis W. Black Dec'd June 8th 1827

Inventory 11 hogs \$12.00 12 sheep \$12.00 one horse \$60	\$ 84 00
10 black One Saddle of Blacks 5 milk cows	60 00
One drawing Knife \$1.00 200 pounds of Bacon 12.50	13 50
One Cow and calf \$3 mine 2 years \$2.25	10 25
One Bureau \$15 one bed and furniture 22.50 cents	37 50
One Table \$2.50 Cup board ware \$1.40 0	16 50
One Bedstead \$40 One Rifle Gun \$75.50	15 00
Shoe makers Tools 50 cents 6 Chairs \$3.00	3 50
One Pig Wheel \$2.00 2 Cows & Calf & hocks \$6.00	8 50
James Traces & single trees \$3.25 1 Grind Stone 2.00	6 25
One axe and hoe \$1.00 One Looking Glass 2 dollars	3 50
3 Pails \$1.00 2 Tubs and 2 logs 1 dollar	2 50
One Tray and Sifter 50 cents	0 50
4 Salt Barrels and one Bushel of Salt	2 00
3 Fats and one hand vice	1 50
1 Saddle of Three Brakes 50. 1 pr of Cotton cores 25 cents	0 75
1 Saddle and Bridle \$2.00 1 Shovel 75 cents	3 75
	261 25

We the under signed Commissioners appointed by the County Court of Barren met on the 8th day of June at the house of Melis W. Black Deceased to appraise the Estate of the said black Deceased we hereby Certify that we appraised the of said estate agreeably to our order issued by the Clerk of the Court the within Inventory is the amount of the estate Given under our hands this 10th day of July 1827

William D. Harlow
Richard Locke
David Locke

Barren County Court
This day William D. Harlow Richard Locke and David Locke personally came before me and the undersigned one of the Commissioners and was qualified to be within inventory Given under my hand this 10th day of July 1827

L. Shockley J.C.

Barren County Court July County Court 1827

The foregoing Inventory of the Estate of Melis W. Black Dec'd was returned to Court and ordered to be Recorded & sent Wm. Cooper Clerk

August 18th 1827 We the under signed Commissioners being appointed Inventory by the County Court of Barren to appraise the personal estate of John C. Ball having been duly sworn agreeably to Law return to the County Court the following report Court

1 Bay horse \$45.00 1 Book 50 cents	\$ 45 50
One note on Morris Munnay payable in tobacco for 1821 for	5 00
1 note on Thomas Huggins payable in tobacco for 1821 for	5 00
note on John Martin on demand for	25 00
Cash in Martins hands	259 00 452 70

R. J. Shockley
James P. Stockton
David Perkins

Barren County Court & August County Court 1827. We Commissioners The foregoing Inventory of the Estate of John C. Ball was returned to Court and ordered to be Recorded & sent Wm. Cooper Clerk

Pursuant to an order of the honorable the County Court of Barren County Inventory we Benjamin Martin Deceased Morris & Nathan Martin and Armistead Butler being duly sworn have appraised the Estate of John C. Ball Deceased and find the amount of said estate to be as followeth \$ etc

1 Old Kettle and Spoon	50 75
One Bed and furniture and Bedstead	20 00
One Do — Do — Do a Lot of Bed clothes small things	32 00
One wheel Cords & reel and Cloth shoes	6 00
plow gear 1 axe & hoe \$12.00 6 chains water wheel & 8 tent chain	17 00
2 men and woman Saddle Bricks Bags &c	15 00
1 pot 2 Cows 1 Shovel 1 axe and 1 hammer	8 00
1 Table and Cupboard furniture \$12.00 5 Books \$3	15 00
Cupboard furniture razors and a Cloth Brush	6 00
1 Bureau and Looking Glass	14 00
1 Chest 30 1 Small horse \$45.00 1 Small mare \$60	103 00
1 Cow and calf \$7.00 1 Cow 2 years bearing \$12	19 00
1 Negro Boy named Pick	350 00
1 negro woman named Liddy	300 00

Amount Brought Over

a Negro girl named Ellenish \$ 250.00
a Negro named Tola 100.00
One account on Peter Throatall Commemorative paper 20.00
Specie in hand 4.75
a Short Brites Receipt for notes to Collect 12.50
a Note on Hugh. & Co. Merchants for Specie 10.00
a Note on Thompson & Berry for Specie 100.00
a Note on John S. Goddard for Specie 10.00
a Short Brights Receipt for notes to Collect amounting to 100 Dollars with a Credit on it of 41 Dollars & 25 Cents the Balance Due on it 58.75
James Gillocks Receipt for notes to Collect 41.93
Some Corn the quantity not known at 12 Dollars per Bushel now ascertained & Borne 4.60
One Book & one watch 13 Borne and one 20 35.32
Witness and hands and seals this 25th day of May 1827

Benjamin Martin (Seal)
John Martin (Seal)
Nathan Martin (Seal)
Thomas Butler (Seal)

Barren County Ct

This day personally appeared Benjamin Martin John Martin Nathan Martin and Thomas Butler before me one of the Commonwealtts Justices of the peace for said County and made oath that the foregoing Inventory contains a true and perfect account of all and singular the property belonging to John S. Merchants Decedent as ordered to them for valuation by the proper office given under my hands this the 25th day of May 1827

Samuel B. Rhodes Clerk

Barren County Court July County Court 1827

The foregoing Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of John S. Merchants Decedent was returned to Court and ordered to be Recorded

John S. Merchants Clerk

Inventory part of the Inventory, and accounts of Belonging to the Estate of John S. Merchants

William Barnett
Due January 2nd 1826 for — — — — \$ 246.40
Thomas Evans Receipt for 62.20
Benjamin Smith for 1.85 310.45
The above is Commemorative Bank
Ignatius Madden account for land in Silver \$ 96.00
James Cummings account for land rent 35
a Negro Slave named Jerry appraised to 500.00

Amount Brought Over

a Negro Slave named Mary appraised to \$ 400.00

James Cummings administrator for John S. Merchants

Barren County Court April County Court 1827
The foregoing Inventory of the Estate of Edward Gill & Decedent was returned to Court and ordered to be Recorded

John S. Merchants Clerk

Settlement James Dadds Estate

Settlement of James Dadds Estate
had and with James Dadds Esq
1820 January 8th To Cash paid Nathaniel Dadds per \$ 60.00
1820 To Cash paid Allen Dadds per Rec 60.00
1820 Jan 17th To Do per Hayden Dadds per Rec 100.00
January 21st To Cash paid Jerry Dadds 50.00
May 1st To Do paid John Clayton 50.00
1820 January 1st To Do per Do Do 62.25
July 15th To Do per Do Do 25.00
16th To Do per Do Do 100.00
July 15th To Do per Do Do 200.00
18th To Do per Do Do 70.00 360.25
To Cash paid Expenses to Bowditch per 4.50
To Cash paid Logans per for taking Registry 2.00
more of Claims from the different Legateds undated 2.00
June 24th To Cash paid Thos. H. Neal per Rec 9.00
To Cash paid Clark & Thacker 2.57
To Cash paid for 1822 1.20
To Cash paid for 1825 2.34
To Cash paid for 1824 2.93
To Cash paid Clark & Warren 75
To Do per Do Do 99
To Cash paid Com Logans Ticket 3.78
To Cash paid J. Ray for this sum per James Dadds 20 Dollars and 25 Cents per his and appraisement of James Dadds 20.00 592.76
To balance due to what the Court allow the Dadds Estate for his services 1431.66
To balance due the Estate \$ 535.68
1822 To
November 15th By amount of salary paid in 12 months 388.12
By amount of Bonds and interest due thereunto the date which Bonds was executed to James Dadds 920.31
1827

(605) We do Certify that the foregoing appraisement was truly and
and lawfully made of the personal property of Joseph Willis Deed
which was produced to us by his Administrator to the list
of our Judgement all of which we respectfully Report to the
Barren County Court Given under our hands this 22 day of
August 1828

Appraisers

James H. Gofaway
Reuben Dab

Barren County Tel

John Glenn James H. Gofaway & Reuben Dab who were appointed
by the Barren County Court to view & appraise the personal estate of
Joseph Willis Willis Deed personally appeared before me the Subscribes
a Justice of the peace for sd. County & were sworn to view and
appraise sd. property lawfully & truly Given under my hand this 22
day of August 1828

Wm. Young JP

Barren County Court February County Court 1829

The foregoing Inventory of the Estate of Joseph Willis Deed was
returned for Court and ordered to be Recorded Into the Record

Sales of a Part of property sold By the Administrator of Joseph Henry Deed on
Estate the 2nd of December 1828

John Henry Esq. Henry to one Loan at \$3.00	3 00
Robert Lohd to one of Hens \$2.00	2 10
Eliza Beck to one do do	2 00
James Franklin to one of Hens at	0 68t
Joseph Buryon to one of Hens at 58 cents	0 58
Isaac Henry to one of Hens	0 55
James Lawrence one of Hens	0 97t
Isaac Henry to one of Hens	1 55
one of Hens to Lucy	0 25
Wm. Henry to one of Hens	0 75
E Beck to one of Hens at	0 68t
Mich. Brantner to one of Hens	3 05
Wm. Henry to one of Hens	5 80
" " to one of Hens	2 04
S. Franklin to one of Hens	1 45
James Henry 1 Lot of Hens	0 50
John Henry to 1 of Hens	9 10
" " to 1 of Hens	40
S. Franklin to one of Hens	1 30
" " one of Hens at	30
at Hens in Hens to Lucy Henry at	50

Barren County Court April County Court 1829

The foregoing Sales of the Estate of Joseph Henry Deed was returned to Court
and ordered to be Recorded Into the Record

John Henry Clerk

(606)

John S. Monroes Estate In acts with John Martin Executor
Settlement of To Cash paid James M. Monroes amt of
Monroes Dues & Interest " 1813 372

To Cash paid John Fishback apt	" 2	8 "
To Ditto paid Clark Tickets Barren	" 3	3 28t
1827 To Ditto paid Taxes for the year 1827	" 4	1 50
Suma " property Delivered to Elizabeth Monroes	3	237 85
for Rest	1815	
" Ditto " do " do in negroes for Rest	6	100 00
13 " Ditto paid Benjamin Martin for his	3	
one for Rest	1819	15 00
Pay " Ditto paid Elizabeth Monroes for Rest	8	40 00
Sept 30 " Do " do " do " do	9	35 37t
" " Do " do " do " do	10	18 12t
Ditto paid Albert Bright for Rest	11	10 00
" for black Alan Tickets	12	1 36
Oct 27 " for Elizabeth Monroes	13	16 00
1827 " for Kiram Pats for Rest	14	6 54
Ag 20 " for James Gillen Tickets	15	37t
" for Samuel B. Rader City Tickets	16	1 00
March 7 " for Albert Bright for a day	17	3 00
June 1 " for Franklin Suttle for amt	18	17 21t
" on error in inventory of Hens & Goldspine		5 00
" John Martin for amt of Bond	3	14 66t
& Interest due him	1813	60 00
" John Martin for his services as Executor		102.31

Or

By amt of Inventory of the estate
amt of Interest due & Paid for the Estate 40.00 1575 30
Balance due from John Martin as Executor 76 77
to John S. Monroes Estate
Wm. Edmunds Isaac Davisson & Franklin Suttle do Certify
that we make the within Report this 20th of April 1829

Wm. Edmunds
Isaac Davisson
Franklin Suttle

This day William Edmunds Isaac Davisson & Franklin Suttle
personally appeared before me a Justice of the peace for the County of
Barren and made oath to the within Report this 20th of April 1829

Ben. Greaves JP

Barren County Court April County Court 1829

The foregoing Settlement of the apt of John S. Monroes Deed was
returned to Court and ordered to be Recorded Into the Record

(605) We do Certify that the foregoing appraisement was truly and
and truly made of the personal property of Joseph Willis Deed
which was produced to us by his Administrator to the list
of our Judgement all of which we respectfully report to the
Barren County Court Given under our hands this 22nd day of
August 1828

Appraisers

James H. Gofaway
Reuben Dale

Barren County Tel

John Glover James H. Gofaway & Reuben Dale who were appointed
by the Barren County Court to view & appraise the personal estate of
Joseph Willis Willis Deed personally appeared before me the Subscriber
a Justice of the Peace for sd. County & were sworn to view and
appraise sd. property truly & truly Given under my hand this 22nd
day of August 1828

Wm. Young JP

Barren County Court February County Court 1829

The foregoing Inventory of the Estate of Joseph Willis Deed was
Returned for Court and Ordered to be Recorded Test M. W. Young Clerk

Sales of a List of property sold by the Administrator of Joseph Willis Deed on
Estate the 2nd of December 1828

John Harvey Esq. Ready to one Loan at \$3.00

3 00

Rev. Robert Lusk to one of years \$2.00

2 10

Chas. Beck to one do do

2 00

Exam. S. Franklin to one of plow at

0 60^{ts}

Joseph Bury to one of plow at 55 cents

0 55

Las. Harvey to one singletree

0 55

James Lawrence one evening hoe

0 75

Las. Harvey to one handle

1 55

one sd. handle to Lucy

0 25

Wm. Harvey to one Sifter

0 75

E. Beck to one Grindstone at

0 60^{ts}

Mich. Brantner to one Lot of plank

3 05

Wm. Harvey to one Saw

5 50

" " to one Bull yearling at

2 04

S. Franklin to one Lot of Barrels

1 45

James Harvey 1 Lot of Still Tub

0 50

John Harvey to 1 Still & Cap

9 10

" " to 1 Barrel

40

S. Franklin to one Lot of Barrels

1 30

" " one Ryebed at

50

Wm. Harvey in Sigs to Lucy Harvey at

50

Barren County Court April County Court 1829

The foregoing Sales of the Estate of Joseph Willis Deed was returned to Court
and ordered to be Recorded Test M. W. Young Clerk

(606)

Additional Appraisement of L. Willis Deed
Amount \$181.25

December 23rd 1828

We the undersigned appraisers proceed to
finish the valuation of the property of J.
Willis Deceased,

6 Do. do.

6 00

1 Washing Tub & Girdle

1.25

cc. Iron

1.00

1 Jointer & other tools

1.00

100 Barrels of corn

100.00

6 Small Sticks of Y. do.

3.00

Supposed to be 5000th slaves

in the house supposed to be worth

76.00

\$125 each per hundred

181.25

J. H. N. Gofaway

Reuben Dale

Apprs