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Newman of Lafayette and one to Shivers of Greensburg and after she has paid & debts and all other lawful debts that may come against my estate she my wife Eliza S. Herren shall have the following as her own property namely, All of my household and kitchen furniture, all of my horses, hogs, all of my Cattle and all of my farming utensils, together with what corn, oats and other provisions now in my possession also one bond on Richmond Robinson, one note on Joseph Miller, one note on James C. Laid, and one note on Joseph D. Bolden, the above property I give to my wife to have and to hold free from all claims after she has paid off my debts as above directed. And lastly I give unto my wife Eliza S. Herren the tract of land on which I now live, containing by survey, one hundred and thirty acres including my dwelling house for her to have and to hold during her natural life and at her death the same tract or 130 acres of land, I give unto my three children by name Mary Ann Herren, George R. Herren and Marion W. Herren to have and to hold forever or they my & above named children at the death of my wife may dispose of the said tract of land as they may think proper. In testimony whereof I have set my hand and affixed my seal.

William McCandlish

Marion W. Miller

John Brockman

Barren County Set April Term 1840

The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will of Washington Herren dec'd was produced in Court and proven in due form of law by the oath of John Brockman and William W. Candlish witnesses thereto. Whereupon the same was ordered to be recorded as the true last will of said Washington Herren dec'd.

All Tho. S. Herren exec

I P. Burch know all men by these presents that I Stapleton Burch of the State of Kentucky and County Barren being of sound mind and memory do make and publish the following my last will -

Statement. Revoking all other wills - I in the first place I will to my daughter Martha Burch one negro boy, Charles and one negro girl Mariab. bed and furniture, horse, bridle and saddle which she now claims. Also to my daughter Catherine W. Burch one negro boy Abraham bed and furniture horse bridle and saddle which she now claims. Also to my daughter Lucy A. Burch one negro boy Henry and one hundred dollars

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in cash, bed and furniture, horse bridle and saddle, equal to the other two. All the balance of my property both real and personal to be sold to the highest bidder, and the money put to interest until two of my daughter Mary or die and the interest arising therefrom, I will shall be for the support of my three single daughters, until two of them marry or die, as before, then the whole of the principal shall be equally ^{divided among my living} ~~shared~~ or their heirs, I hereby appoint my son-in-law James Wilson and my son James P. Burch Executors to my will, giving them full power to divide the estate and close the same as they may think proper without any security as I have full confidence in their integrity. It is my will and desire that that part of the principal shall be spent until a division of as directed. ~~Witnessed~~ sealed and published this 24th February 1840

in the presence of us

John St. Lewis

Jesse Pulliam

Capt. J. Freeman

Barren County Set May Term 1840

The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will of Stapleton Burch dec'd was produced in Court and proven in due form of law by the oath of John St. Lewis, Jesse Pulliam and Capt. Freeman witnesses thereto. Whereupon the same was ordered to be recorded as the true last will of said Stapleton Burch dec'd.

All Tho. S. Herren exec

C. With

Will

In the name of God Amen I Charles With of the County of Barren and State of Kentucky being in my right mind and memory and knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time do make and constitute this my last will and testament as follows: 1st My will and desire is that my body be buried in a Christian like manner and that my worldly goods be disposed of as follows: 2nd It is my will and desire that my daughter Jane Shirley have one hundred and fifty dollars. 3rd It is my will and desire that my daughter Nancy Laid also have one hundred and fifty dollars. 4th It is my will that my daughters Polly & Sarah have one half of my lands, divided according to quantity & quality, so as to include the dwelling house on their part, also all my household & kitchen furniture except two beds & furniture, also all my stock & farming utensils and in case one of them should marry the household & kitchen furniture all the stock & farming utensils shall fall back to the one that remains single. 5th It is my will and desire that my son Charles have