

in due form of Law by the Oaths of Lewis Perkins &
Wm. P. Estes subscribing witnesses thereto, whereupon the
same was ordered to be recorded as the true Last & Testament
of said Polly, to wit: as de.

at Davis Lockwell 13th 1856

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J. F. H. H.

In the name of almighty God and in the year of our Lord
One thousand eight hundred and fifty six, Whereas
my natural life which has always been preserved by the
care of almighty God is now threatening a speedy dissolution
but yet retaining my natural senses and feeling a deep inter-
est in the welfare of my wife and children and feeling
an anxious desire to do justice to each I make this my
Last will and testament that in consideration that some
of my children are married and left one, and have as yet
to be raised I desire first that three of my children
who have yet to be raised tant Sarah Jane Elizabeth
Martha Lewis Elvira Margaret Dominica Green
Minnie Helen and Charles William Taylor shall be raised
and educated equal with the others in my Estate and
then to receive as much as will make them equal with
Lavinia Hise and Anna Smith, and my youngest and
only son Charles William Taylor shall have a house and
and above the rest of my children, and after the raising
of the above named children and the house specified
to my son the remainder of my Estate shall be equally
divided between all of my children. It is also my will
that my wife shall be made whole that is she shall
have every thing that she brought with her, this being
my Last will and testament I order my name and
Seal to be annexed this 4th day of September 1856
that Lavinia Hise and Anna Smith have each
of them receive as much as twenty five Dollars

Teste

Wm. H. Hardy
S. B. Shufflett

William Board

John F. H. H.
L. F. H. H.

Seal

Barren County Set. October Call Term 1856

The foregoing writing purporting to be the Last will & Testament of
John F. H. H. was produced in Court & Proven in due form

of Law by the Oaths of J. B. Shufflett & Wm. Board
subscribing witnesses thereto, whereupon the same was or-
dered to be recorded as the true Last will & Testament
of said John F. H. H. de.
at Davis Lockwell 13th 1856

J. P. H. H.
will

I Thompson Pedum of the County of Barren & State of
Kentucky do make this my last will & testament in the
form & manner following to wit: I desire that my wife
Sarah Pedum shall have my farm on which I now
live during her natural life, also my two negro
women Sarah & Nancy three Cows & Calves all my
sheep & Hens two head of hogs my wagon & harness
one third of my present crop my clock one table
all of my farming utensils also my horse held &
Kitchen furniture and two head of horses

2nd I desire that all of my Just debts and general
expenses be paid, and that enough of my personal
property be sold such as my wife shall think proper
to pay all of my debts, and at the death of my
wife Sarah Pedum I desire that all of my property
real & personal be sold and equally divided between my
several children that is to say Martha Harriet Lucy
Fisher & S. Pedum William Pedum and Indent A
Scott J. P. Pedum & Sarah S. Pedum heirs

3rd I further desire that B. S. Pedum & J. S. Scott be
appointed Executors of this my last will and testament to
settle and wind up all of my business after my death
and to keep contribute and improve them with all powers
necessary to carry this my last will & testament into eff-
ect Signed & Sealed this 10th day of Feb 1856

at Davis

J. S. Scott

B. S. Pedum

Thompson Pedum

Barren County Set. December Term 1856
The foregoing writing purporting to be the Last will & Testament
of Thompson Pedum de. was produced in Court & Proven
in due form of Law by the Oaths of J. S. Scott & B. S.
Pedum subscribing witnesses thereto, whereupon the same

was ordered to be recorded as the true last will & testament of said Thompson. Signed at
all Travis Lockwell Clerk

Ja^s. Wood's
will.

In the name God amen I James Wood doth bequeath the following property as follows that I do give to James. I Wood Widow and children the landary of land on which they now reside lying between 40 or 50 acres lying South Stage Creek and some house hold property and some hogs at and for their benefit I James Wood holding the rightfull ownership my natural lifetime In case the Widow Rebecca Wood Marries between this and my decease she forfeits her right and ownership to said land and other property.

I do bequeath to James. M. Black and America black my daughter the following property that. one cow one calf and wear and one bed and bed clothes and what money I hold at this time and my cash notes. my debts to be satisfied first and then the balance of any to James. M. Black and my daughter America be wife and their heirs and assigns forever I holding the rightfull ownership my natural lifetime until my wife give to the said heirs and assigns my family Bible and Song Book to my daughter America black in witness whereof we have set our hands and seal this 3^d day of December 1856

attest
John Ford
Mr. R. R. Ford
John P. Harris

James Wood Seal
in mark

Barren County Oct. December Term 1856
The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will & testament of James Wood dec^d was produced in Court & Read in due form of Law by the Oaths of Mr. R. R. Ford & John P. Harris subscribing witnesses thereto whereupon the same was ordered to be recorded as the true last will & testament of said James Wood dec^d
all Travis Lockwell Clerk

Ja^s. King's
will

The last will and testament of James King of Barren County Kentucky

I James King considering the uncertainty of this mortal life and being of sound mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say 1st I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary A. King all my landed Estate together with all the appurtenances thereto belonging to have and to hold without return during her life and at her death if possessed of said landed Estate it is to be divided equally among my children as she may dispose of said Landed Estate as she may think best for herself and family

2nd I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary A King all my stock consisting of Horses Cattle Hogs for her use and the use of the family

3rd I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary A King all my household and kitchen furniture 4th I hereby appoint my beloved wife Mary A King my executrix of this my last will and testament and the Court shall not demand of her any security

In testimony whereof I have set my hand and seal this 8th day of October 1856

attest
Michael Huffaker
J. C. Davis

James King

Barren County Oct. December Term 1856
The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will & testament of James King dec^d was produced in Court & given in due form of Law by the Oaths of Michael Huffaker & J. C. Davis subscribing witnesses thereto whereupon the same was ordered to be recorded as the true last will & testament of said James King dec^d
all

Travis Lockwell Clerk