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debts & funeral expenses be paid & give & bequeath all this residue of my money & estate of every kind to my loving wife Elizabeth Tracy to have & to hold during her life time and to dispose of as she in her discretion may think proper - & I desire no administration having all my worldly estate in the hands of my loving wife to transact business for me as she I was here in person, heretofore, revoking all other & former wills or testaments by me heretofore made - In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 27th of March 1830

Amos Dorr

Signet could not be obtained & declared at the Court with & testaments of the above named Amos Dorr in the presence of

his
Erasmus & Tracy, Esq
mark

William Ellis

John Clayton

Barren County, 1st November Term 1840

The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will & testament of Erasmus Tracy, dec'd was produced in Court and proven in due form of law by the oath of William Ellis, a subscriber to the same, and the signature & name of James Clayton another subscribing witness thereto proved by the oath of John H. to Ellis. Whereupon the same was ordered to be recorded as the true last will of said Tracy

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In the name of God Amen I William H. Hinds being low in body but of sound mind and knowing life to be uncertain and death certain make this my last will & testament - I am first & chief and bequeath to my beloved wife Sally Hinds the farm on which I now reside during her natural life, at her death I want said tract of land equally divided between my children Samuel H. Hinds, William H. Hinds, Henry H. Hinds, Thomas H. Hinds, James H. Hinds and Joseph H. Hinds - I am second & I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Sally Hinds two of my choice horses, four of my choice cattle, two peacocks, my linen, my household & kitchen furniture - all the rest of my property I wish my wife to dispose of as she may think best for the benefit of the family - I am third & I wish all my just debts paid - I am fourth & I wish my wife to have a choice best cow & above the above named things four cattle - In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 2nd day of Nov. 1840

Witness John W. Beachamp

George Slatts

William H. Hinds

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Barren County, 1st December Term 1840

The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will & testament of Willis H. Hinds, dec'd was produced in Court and proven in due form of law by the oath of John W. Beachamp and George Slatts subscribing witnesses thereto. Whereupon the same was ordered to be recorded as the true last will of said Hinds

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I David C. Henson being low in body but of sound mind & disposing memory do constitute & declare in my last will and testament to be - I am my wife and desire that after my death my body be interred in a decent manner - It is my desire that my wife Elizabeth select such property to at least one third of all my estate both real & personal as she may desire to keep for her use, and that she & my executor hereunto named or either of them may sell & convey the residue and remainder of my estate upon such terms as they or either of them may think best, and apply the proceeds in such way as may be deemed by them most advisable & best calculated to advance the interest of the estate and the education of my children - I also will that my executor endeavor to give to each of my sons John, Daniel, William and David C. as good an education as the circumstances of my estate will admit, and my executor may think advisable; and that when either of my sons become of age or marries that an equal portion of my estate not willed to my wife be made between my children and that the child which shall have become of age or may have married receive its proportion; and that in each of my other sons becoming of age or may marry that they also receive their equal proportion of my said estate - It is also my will and desire that in the event of my wife dying before either of my children arrive of age or may marry that the child which has become of age or married shall also receive their equal share of the estate willed to my wife; and in the event of my wife dying without all my children becoming of age she is to retain possession of the estate willed to her during her life, and at her death the estate willed to her and which may not have been used for her support and maintenance be equally divided between my sons - It is my will & desire that in the event any of the property retained by my wife not during her life or my executor hereunto named be in thought to sell and dispose of and my executor may with her consent and pleasure - I further witnessed that my executor be at liberty to