

74

Barren County Court May County Court 1839

The within and foregoing Writing purporting to be the Last will and Testament of Cornelius Williams deceased with the Obedience and Deposition of Henry McLean James White and Certificate of Granck White & Henry White the Justices before whom the aforesaid Deposition was taken respecting the acknowledgment of said Williams to said Writing were all produced in Court and by virtue of said evidence the said Writing was ordered to be recorded as the true Last will of the said Cornelius Williams deceased, which said Writing and evidence hath been duly recorded & recorded.

Teste M. Rogers Clerk

William
Duffy
Will

In the name of God Amen I William Duffy of the County of Barren State of Ky being of sound mind and disposing Memory for which I thank God and calling to mind the Uncertainty of human Life and being desirous to dispose of all such Worldly Estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with I declare that all my real and Personal Estate be immediately sold after my decease and out of the Money arising therefrom pay the said debts of my said Estate and what remains unpaid together with my general expenses and the balance of the proceeds of the sale to be divided among my Children in the manner hereinafter named. I have given unto my Daughter Nancy one Negro Woman & I give to said daughter property amounting in all to five hundred and fifty five Dollars. I have given unto my Daughter Elizabeth one negro Woman named Phillis and other property amounting in all to five hundred and thirty five Dollars. I have given unto my son John two hundred and fifty acres of land it being a part of the tract whereon I have two other property amounting in all to seven hundred & eighty five Dollars. I have given unto my son John the use of the money arising from the

75

Sale of part of tract of land lying in the State of Virginia which tract of land belongs to me during my natural life. I have given unto my daughter Nancy one negro woman named Mary & other property amounting in all to five hundred and twenty five Dollars. I have given unto my daughter Sally one negro girl named Nancy & other property amounting in all to four hundred and thirty five Dollars. I have given unto my son John the use of the money arising from the Sale of a part of a tract of land lying in the State of Virginia which tract of land belongs to me during my natural life and other property amounting in all to five hundred and thirty five Dollars. I have given unto my daughter Sally one negro girl and other property amounting in all to three hundred and ninety five Dollars. I have given unto my son Thomas Duffy one negro man named Jack and other property amounting in all to five hundred Dollars. I have given unto my daughter Sarah one negro Woman named Maria and other property amounting in all to three hundred and ninety five Dollars. I have not as yet given my daughter and any part of my Estate and after my decease it is my wish for her to have a house worth about thirty Dollars and a respectable bed & saddle & a good feather bed and furniture and a reasonable amount of money to pay for her board & clothing until she marries exclusive of her equal portion with the rest of my Children but should she not marry before she arrives to the age of twenty one my legatee will not be bound from that time to support her and further to receive into her her part of my estate. I do hereby entail it and her lawfully begotten of her body at her decease should she die without an heir it is my wish that it be equally divided amongst the rest of my Children above named.

76
 Now I give unto my Grand son William Madison
 a house to worth about fifty Dollars and a respectable
 saddle & Bridle and being an equal heir with my
 Legacies mentioned instead of his Mother's share after
 my decease and the sale of all my property should
 the amounts as I have estimated heretofore given
 to my children be made equal one with another
 and after that adjustment is made the balance
 of the proceeds of the sale to be equally divided among
 them all so as to make them equal shares but that
 part of my estate that will hereafter fall in to the
 hands of my Daughters namely Elizabeth Kelly
 I desire particularly for them that their children
 be free from any incumbrance whatever I do hereby
 give my son namely John & John son Colman each
 in addition to what I have given them a slave
 mentioned and lastly I do hereby constitute &
 appoint my sons namely John & John & John
 Executors of this my last Will and Testament
 hereby revoking, rescinding all other former wills & Testaments
 by me heretofore made but those my above named
 sons refuse to act as my Executors. I do hereby
 appoint my two sons in Law William Norton James
 Wyoming in their room & place for that purpose
 & I desire which I have provided for my heirs
 I signed my Seal this 10 day of April in the year of
 our Lord 1833 signed sealed published & delivered as
 for the last will and Testament of the above named
 William Depp in Presence of
 Robert Norton
 Robert Robinson
 The W. W. S. S.
 his
 William Depp (Seal)

Danvers County Joint Newcomb County Court 1834
 The within foregoing writing purporting to be the last will
 & Testament of William Depp dec'd. was produced in Court
 and proved by the oath of John Norton, and at the Newcomb
 Term was proved by John Norton, subscribing
 witnesses thereupon the said writing was ordered to
 be recorded. at the same last Will & Testament
 of the said William Depp dec'd.
 attest 11th day of April

77
 I John Bayly of Danvers County State of Kentucky being
 weak of body but of sound mind and memory and being
 desirous of settling my affairs relative to this world present
 to my friends do hereby constitute and confirm that
 my last will and Testament in manner and form
 following to wit my will and desire is that after my
 decease that all my just debts should be paid by my
 Executors paid by my Executors having after married
 them I have all my State real & personal to my wife
 Mary Matilda Bayly during her life or widowhood
 with the express provision that she may not dispose
 of any part of my estate but she may be provided
 to her husband's property as she can spare to any of our
 children as her judgement may think requires her help
 I do give and bequeath to my son James Bayly
 a negro boy named Jacob which I conceive is worth
 five hundred Dollars to him that he may forever enjoy
 it after the decease of my said wife that my son James
 be entitled to an equal proportion of my estate allowing
 just above five hundred Dollars all of his said portion
 I do give & bequeath to my daughter Eliza & to her
 one negro woman named Charity and her child named Ann
 & Amanda, James & America their heirs to have her
 and her heirs forever. I do the balance of my estate both real
 & personal not above specified at the decease of my
 wife my will and desire is that to be equally
 divided between my four sons Frederick Bayly Walter
 Bayly Richard Bayly Charles Bayly my daughter
 Ann & Rogers and their heirs forever. I desire that
 my will and desire should my son Charles Bayly
 and my daughter Ann & Rogers die without a
 lawful heir of their body that part of my estate
 devised to them should be equally divided among the
 rest of my children herein named and their heirs
 forever and that question may be sent lastly I do
 appoint my Executors as my sons James
 Bayly Frederick Bayly and Walter Bayly Executors
 of this my last will and Testament. at which my
 hand and seal this twenty third day of July in the year
 of our Lord one thousand eight hundred thirty three
 signed in presence of
 Robert Robinson
 Alexander Hunt
 W. W. S. S.
 John Bayly (Seal)