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J. P. Lawrence
will

In the Name of God Amen I John P. Lawrence
of the County of Warren & State of Kentucky being
Sick & weak in body, but of sound mind, & of
sober memory, & calling to mind the uncertainty of
human life and being desirous to dispose of such
worldly estate as it has pleased God to bless me with
I give and bequeath the same in the following manner
To wit: After a l. (my first debt) are paid and my
wife Sally Lawrence has all of the property which
I have brought to my house after I married her, but apart
to himself, it then my desire that the remainder
of my estate be equally divided among my wife Sally
Lawrence, Walter Lawrence, Nancy Fernal and
Elisha T. Lawrence, And it is a l. my wish and
desire, If my above named should be deceased, of a
half kin of mine as I expect, and if it times, it is
my wish and intention for it to have and equal share
with my wife & as above named. And lastly
I do hereby constitute and appoint my friend Isaac
Smith Executor of this my last will and
testament hereby revoking all other or former
wills or testaments by me herebefore made. In
testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand &
seal this 10th day of March 1853.
Signed sealed and acknowledged John P. Lawrence Decd
in presence of us
Isaac Smith
E. H. Kinslow

Warren County Feb. 10th 1853
The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will &
testament of John P. Lawrence decd was produced
in open Court & proved in due form of Law by the
oaths of E. H. Kinslow & Isaac Smith subscribing
witnesses thereto, whereupon the same was
read to be recorded as the true last will and
testament of said John P. Lawrence decd.

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Mr. Joseph Sepenberry on the 14th of this
Month being there very Sick but of sound
Mind desired, that the following disposition
should be made of his property to wit:
He gave all his property of every kind
description to his wife Jane Sepenberry
to enable her to buy a little Home for
her Self and Children. August 17th 1853

Jas. P. Bates
W. E. Moller

Warren County Oct. October Term 1853
The following writing purporting to be the
Noncaptured will of Joseph Sepenberry decd was
produced in Court and proven in due form
of Law by the oaths of Jas. P. Bates & W. E. Moller
The Subscribing witnesses thereto whereupon the
same was ordered to be recorded as the
Noncaptured will of said Joseph Sepenberry
decd.

atb Travis Lockhart

W. E. Moller
will

In the Name of God Amen I William Gillock
of the County of Warren and the State of Kentucky
do make and give constitute and declare this
instrument my last will and Testament in manner
and form to wit:
I give with all my debts and funeral expenses paid
I give to my wife Catharine A. Gillock
all of my estate both Real and personal during
natural life or widowhood, but it is to remain in
the hands of my Executors to be managed be
managed for the benefit and support of her and
should she marry she then shall only have one
third of my estate during her natural life but
should she have a lawful heir to me and
it should be to be of lawful age or marry, it
shall be all of my estate agreeable to my will
if she shall have no heir as above named my estate
shall be equally divided between the children

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of my Sister America. I Ratton according
to the directions of my will. I appoint John
Ratton and Robert Strange executors thereof.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal this 24th of September 1852

Witness
Jas. M. Settle
Thomas Ratton

William P. Gillock Seal

Barren County Set October Term 1853.

The following writing purporting to be the last will
& Testament of William P. Gillock dec^d was produced
in Court and proven in our Court of Law by the
oaths of John Ratton & George M. Settle Subscri-
bers witness thereto whereupon the same was
ordered to be recorded as the true last will
and Testament of said William P. Gillock dec^d

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M. Batten
will

I Martin Batten of the County of Barren being
afflicted and weak of body but sound mind
and disposing memory calling to mind the
uncertainty of human life do hereby make my
last will and testament in Manus and from
following after my decease I desire that all my just
debts be paid.

I have given to my Daughter Jane Bush one
Horse Saddle and Bridle. Valued at Seventy five
dollars a Cow & Calf valued at ten dollars one
Cherry Tree valued at twenty five dollars one bed
and furniture valued at twenty five dollars one Negro
woman Eliza valued at three hundred dollars also
Eliza five children to wit Thornton a boy valued at
Eight Hundred dollars Watson a boy valued at four
Hundred dollars also Joseph a boy valued at four
Hundred dollars and two Girls Amanda & Mary
the two valued at Eight Hundred dollars to her
Heirs and assigns forever

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I have given to my Daughter Elizabeth Wheeler one
Horse Saddle & Bridle valued at Seventy five dollars
one Cow & Calf valued at ten dollars one Cherry Tree
valued at Twenty five dollars one Bed & furniture valued
at Twenty five dollars one Negro Boy Bob valued
at Eight Hundred dollars and one Negro woman
Harriet with her several children she has all her im-
mense valued at thirteen Hundred dollars To her
Heirs and assigns forever

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I have given to my Daughter Vergen Mosby one Horse
Saddle & Bridle valued at Seventy five dollars one Cow & Calf
valued at ten dollars one Cherry Tree valued at twenty
five dollars one Bed and furniture valued at twenty
five dollars one Negro woman Sarah and her four children
valued at fourteen Hundred and one Girl Susan valued at
Six Hundred dollars to her Heirs and assigns forever

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I have given to my Daughter Sarah M. Bush one Horse
and Saddle & Bridle valued at Seventy five dollars one
Cow & Calf valued at ten dollars one Cherry Tree valued
at Twenty five dollars one Bed and furniture valued
at Twenty five dollars one Negro Boy Charles and a Girl Anna
the two valued at fourteen Hundred dollars and one boy
Calise valued at Six Hundred to her Heirs and assigns
forever

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I have given to my Son Martin Batten one Horse Saddle
& Bridle valued at Seventy five dollars one Cow and Calf
valued at ten dollars one Cherry Tree valued at Twenty
five dollars one Bed & furniture valued at Twenty five
dollars one Negro Boy John valued at Eight Hundred
and one Boy Mass valued at three Hundred dollars
one Negro man Henry valued at Six Hundred dollars
I give also to my Son Martin Batten one Hundred and
fifty acres of land the Boundary to be laid off so as
to include the place where he now lives valued at Six
dollars to her Heirs and assigns forever

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I have given to my Son George Batten one Horse
Saddle & Bridle valued at Seventy five dollars one
Bed and furniture valued at Twenty five dollars one boy
George valued at Eight Hundred dollars and one