Matthew Dobbins Will for bin

In the name of God Amen I Matthew Dobbin of the County of Boone & State of Kentucky being weak in body But in perfect mind and memory thanks be unto God calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and Testament that is to say principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul unto the hands of Almighty God that gave it and my Body I recommend to the Earth from whence it came and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to Bless me in this life I give demise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form I bequeathe unto my beloved wife Nances all the property bothe Real and personal in any wise belonging to me at this time for her use and profit until her death and after her death I bequeathe unto my two Daughters Ann & Rebecca all the household furniture and my live stock I bequeathe to my two sons William & Samuel and all the property the last two named do make and raise after maintaining the family is to belong to them and after the death of Nances my wife all the land which I own shall be sold by my Executor for cash and Equally divided Between all my beloved heirs (to wit) Ann Dobbin Mary Lancaster William Dobbin Daniel Dobbin Rebecca Dobbin & Hannah Dobbin he is to have an extra sum out of the sales of the land of the sum of Two hundred dollars more than the rest of the heirs ~

I Ordain William Dobbin my son to be my Executor ~

And I do hereby disallow revoke and disannul all other former Testaments wills, legacies Bequests by me in any wise before named ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal ~

April 26th 1838. Matthew Dobbin (Seal)

Signed sealed published pronounced and declared by the said Matthew Dobbin as his last will & Testament in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names.

attested Saml. H. Taylor
William Butts
Henry F. Banister

Boone County. april Court 1839.

This writing purporting to be the last will & Testament of Matthew Dobbin Decd. was this day produced in Court and proven by the oaths of Wm Butts & Henry F. Banister two subscribing witnesses thereto and ord. to be Recorded Which is done

Att. J. J. Hamilton c.c.c.

E. Kirtley & Estate Settled

fee paid

Be it Remembered that Joel H. Kirtley and Elijah Kirtley the Administrators of the Estate of Elijah Kirtley Senr. Decd. this day Called upon us the undersigned Commissioners to state and settle their accounts as administrators as aforesd. and we having Examined all the vouchers in relation thereto make the following Report. ~

The Administrators of said Estate Dr.		
To amount of Sale Bill	$4441	39
" Retained by the widow at the appraised value	564	00
N. of slave valuation holding Cash	3900	00
	7905	39
Contra Cr. By		
Property retained by Widow at the appraised value $564.00		
Slaves Distributed 5400.00	5964	00
	$1941	39
Admr. Dr.		
To their additional Inventory	6596	03
	$8537	42
" Hogs Mules Cattle &c. sold at Publick sale	737	00
" do. do. do. do. do. do.	23	00
	9297	42
" do. do. do. For Sale	178	50
	9475	92
Contra Cr By		
No 1. Louisville Bank rect.	$1245.77	
" 2. E. S. Armstrong do	99.47	
" 3. John Hamilton do	62.50	
" 4. Ephraim Aylor do	10.00	
" 5. Commissioners rect.	4.00	
" 6. Jno. W. Campbell do.	1.00	
" 7. James C. Carter do.	1.62	
" 8. Stariffer & White do.	10.00	
" 9. Aaron Zimmerman do.	36.81	
" 10. Joel Farmer do.	10.00	
" 11. Randal Latimer do.	1.00	
" 12. James M. Preston do.	25.50	
" 13. M. Pherson for S. H. Scott do.	148.96	
" 14. Elijah Rose admr. of Scott do.	181.36	
" 15. do. do. for Moses Scott do.	295.72	
" 16. A. Bopes acct.	25.00	
" 17. H. M. Buckner do.	13.50	
" 18 William Berkshire do.	338.06	
" 19. E. Posey for Make do.	146.25	
" 20. L. Crisler's note	56.65	

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