

State of Kentucky  
Boyle County

I, Richard R. Bolling, Clerk of the Boyle County Court, do certify, that the foregoing instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of M<sup>rs</sup> M. C. Lind, was at the August Term 1855 produced in open Court by M<sup>rs</sup> M. C. Lind, the Executrix therein named - and the same was proven by the oaths of John C. Young and C. C. Young, subscribing witnesses thereto, to have been duly executed by the said decedent in their presence, and that they attested same in her presence at her request - Said instrument of writing was thereupon adjudged by the Court to be the last Will and Testament of said M<sup>rs</sup> M. C. Lind, and as such was ordered to be recorded - Thereupon the same, together with this certificate hath been duly recorded in my office this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1855 -

R. R. Bolling Clerk  
B. C. Co. Ct.

### C. B. Wallace Will

I, Caleb B. Wallace, do make and publish this as my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all and every Will by me, heretofore made -

1<sup>st</sup> I will that all my just debts shall be paid  
2<sup>nd</sup> I give, bequeath and devise unto my wife, Magdalene, all my property, both real and personal and mixed - whether in possession, reversion or remainder, including what may descend from, or be devised to me by my Father to be by her used and enjoyed for and during her natural life, or widowhood and at her death, the same is to go, pass to my children by the marriage with my said wife Magdalene -

3<sup>rd</sup> Should my said wife Magdalene, marry after my death, ~~then~~ and in that event, she is to have the one half of all my property of every description as aforesaid, for and during her natural life, and at her death, the same is to go and pass to my children of the marriage with her

4<sup>th</sup> It is my will that my 5<sup>th</sup> wife may at any time make any advancements of the property aforesaid, to my children by the marriage with her, provided she

advances to each equally -

6<sup>th</sup> It is my will and intention, that my real property, slaves, stock, cash and cash notes, which are given, and which my pass to my 5<sup>th</sup> children, are to be used and enjoyed by my said children, but they nor either of them are to have power or authority to sell or dispose of same, or their interest in same, until they are thirty one years old - at which time their title to said property shall be absolute -

7<sup>th</sup> My Executor herein after named, or my administrator with the will annexed shall have the control and management of the 5<sup>th</sup> property given to my said children, until they severally arrive at the age of thirty one years old, when they shall receive their portions in fee -

8<sup>th</sup> My Executor or Adm<sup>r</sup> with my will annexed are authorized and empowered to sell and convey any portion of my estate for the payment of my debts

9<sup>th</sup> I appoint my wife, Magdalene as the Sole Executrix of this my last will, and as Guardian to my children -

It is to be understood, that my said wife is not to be required to give any security, either as Executrix or Guardian aforesaid

10<sup>th</sup> In the event of the marriage of my said wife, then her duties as Executrix and Guardian aforesaid are to cease, and the County Court of is authorized to appoint an Adm<sup>r</sup> with my will annexed and to appoint Guardians to my said children if they are under 14 years of age, and if they are over <sup>that</sup> age they can select their own Guardian -

11<sup>th</sup> So long as my <sup>that</sup> wife remains my widow she is to have complete ownership and management of my property, and is to be the Guardian of my said children - Given under my hand this 7<sup>th</sup> of Aug<sup>t</sup>, 1853

Caleb B. Wallace

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Boyle County

I, Richard R. Bolling, Clerk of the Boyle County Court, do certify, that the foregoing instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of C. B. Wallace, <sup>of said Court</sup> was, at the August Term, 1855, produced in open Court by Mr Magdalene Wallace, the Executrix therein named - and said instrument of writing was proven by the oaths of J. T. Boyle and R. R. Bolling, to be in the handwriting of said Wallace, and that his signature thereto attached was genuine - Said instrument of writing was thereupon adjudged by the Court to be the last Will and Testament of said Caleb B. Wallace, deceased, and as such was ordered to be recorded - Thereupon the same, together with this

Certificate hath been duly recorded in my office -  
Given under my hand this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August A.D. 1855 -

R. R. Bolling,  
Clerk B. C. Ct.

### J. G. Harlan's Will

I, John G. Harlan, of Boyle Co., Ky., do make this my last will and testament -

1<sup>st</sup> That the farm on which I now reside, together with my personally, shall be sold by my Executor - and that one half of the proceeds of said farm shall be applied to the payment of the land purchased of the Commissioners of the Childs & McCann's estate

2<sup>nd</sup> That my wife Jane S. Harlan, shall have one half of my entire estate, after the payment of all my just debts, during her natural life - and that at her death it shall revert to the persons herein after named -

3<sup>rd</sup> That the remaining half of my estate shall be equally divided between the children of my Sister A. B. Harlan, Wellington Harlan, John Harlan, Jr. Minerva S. Harlan E. A. Evans and D. W. R. Evans -

4<sup>th</sup> I appoint E. A. Evans my Executor -

5<sup>th</sup> I direct all other wills of mine made this day shall be destroyed - Sept 11<sup>th</sup> 1855 -

J. M. Myer

W. R. Boice

Ludwell Evans

J. G. Harlan

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I, Richard R. Bolling, Clerk of the Boyle County Court, do certify, that the foregoing instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of J. G. Harlan deceased, was at the September Term, 1855 produced to the Boyle County Court <sup>produced</sup> for record, by the Executor therein mentioned, and proven to be such by the oaths of J. M. Myer, W. R. Boice and Ludwell Evans, subscribing witnesses thereto - thereupon the same was adjudged by the Court to be the last will and testament of said J. G. Harlan, deceased, and as such ordered to record. Whereupon the same, together with this certificate

hath been duly record in my office - Given under my hand this 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1855 -

R. R. Bolling, Clerk B. C. Ct.

### Will of John Durham.

In the name of God, Amen! I, John Durham of Boyle County, being of sound mind but advanced in age do make and publish this my last will and testament.

First: I will and desire that all my just debts shall be paid as soon after my death as may be convenient to my executors. Second. I will and bequeath to my wife during her natural life all that portion of my tract of lands on which I now live, lying East of the following line commencing at a stone in Walkers line, corner to my old tract, thence South or nearly so to a stone near my Spring branch, thence up said branch to a stone, which I have placed for a corner, thence South or nearly so to a stone in Mitcheels line, placed there by me as a corner, said tract to include my dwellinghouse and also the land lately purchased by me from George Proctor, supposed to contain in all about one hundred and fifteen acres. Together with all my farming utensils, my household and kitchen furniture, also two head of horses, six head of cattle, twelve head of sheep, & twenty head of hogs, also a sufficiency of provisions which may be on hand to do her during the remainder of the year after my death. Also her choice of my negro men and my girl Ann - and two hundred dollars in cash.

The balance of my <sup>personal</sup> estate I wish sold and after paying my debts, the balance to be disposed of as I shall hereinafter direct.

Thirdly: I have heretofore given and decided to my daughter Phoebe Arcus, and to my son Jeremiah and to my sons John & Jesse each one hundred and sixty acres of land in the State of Indiana. And I have sold one hundred and sixty acres of land in Indiana which was intended for my daughter, Elizabeth Caldwell, and vested the proceeds in a tract of land in this County for her benefit on which she and her husband now ~~reside~~ live and as I have not decided any to my son Samuel, I do will to him and his heirs one tract of land containing one hundred and sixty acres, lying in the District of Terrehauts in the County of Parks and State of Indiana, being in the North East quarter of Section twenty eight in Township seventeen North range six West.