

Will
of
E. Harley

I, Enoch Harley, of Boyle County, State of Kentucky, do make this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all others and former Wills by me made.

1st I will and desire that all of my just debts of every kind be paid out of my personal estate.

2^d I will and desire that my beloved wife Emily shall have the mansion house in which I now reside, and one hundred acres of land immediately around the same; also two slaves, Dalton and Emily; two choice horses, three cows, my rockaway, so much of the household and kitchen furniture and farming utensils as she desires, and enough provision of all kinds to last her for one year.

3^d I will and desire that my daughter Sarah Harley, shall have a horse, saddle and bridle, and one cow; and my son Henry Harrison Harley shall have a new saddle and a cow - to make them equal with my other children.

4th I will and desire that the remainder of my land and negroes after my wife gets as above directed, shall be equally divided among my children, viz: Matilda Moore, Jordan Harley, Susan Pittman, Williamson Harley, Sarah Harley, and Henry Harrison Harley. - the above division to be made by commissioners appointed by the Boyle County Court, but in making said division of the land the commissioners will lay off the portion for Henry H. Harley next to his mother's - said commissioners will take into consideration quantity, quality, water and timber.

5th I will and desire that all the balance of my estate, undisposed of above, shall be sold at such time as my executor shall think best, and the proceeds, together with any money that may be left, after paying the debts, shall be equally divided among my children above named, and at the death of my wife, I desire my exec^r to sell all the property she may have, and the land and negroes hereby willed to her, during her life, and divide the proceeds equally among my children above named. Should any of my children die, leaving children, such children shall have the portion herein willed to their parent - and the portion herein willed to Matilda Moore and Susan Pittman is willed them and their bodily heirs.

6. I nominate and appoint James S. Hopkins my executor of this my last will and testament, and invest him with full power to carry out all its provisions.

Given under my hand, this 28th day of August, 1857.
Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of
Lincoln Moore + D. W. Dunn.

L. M. Moore.

D. W. Dunn.

State of Kentucky

Boyle County Court. November Term 1858

J. J. Zimmerman, clerk of the County Court aforesaid, do

certify that the foregoing instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Enoch Harley, deceased, was produced to the Court at its above Term, and fully proven by the oaths of J. D. Moore and D. W. Dunn, the subscribing witnesses thereto, who testified that said will was signed and acknowledged before them by the testator, and that they witnessed the same and the presence of the testator, and at his instance and request. That the said testator at the time was of sound and disposing mind and memory. Whereupon said instrument of writing was adjudged by the Court to be the true last will and testament of Enoch Harley, dec'd and as such was ordered to be recorded. Which hath been truly done in my office. Given under my hand, this 16th day of November, 1858
J. J. Zimmerman, C. C. C.

Will
of
E. A. Smith

I, Ephraim A. Smith, of the County of Boyle and State of Kentucky, do make this my last Will and Testament.

1st It is my will that all the personal property of which I am possessed at my death, be sold, and all my debts paid, the residue there to be added to my other money, to be disposed of as hereinafter directed.

2^d I hereby will and devise to the children of my sister, Susan Warren, one hundred and sixty acres of land, lying in Sullivan County, Missouri.

3rd I have in the hands of my brother, Silas Smith, of Texas, One Thousand Dollars, a loan I made to him some years ago, without interest, it is my will that he still have the use of the same without interest as long as he may choose to retain it; but should he die without lawful issue, and his estate at his death be worth as much, it is my will that the aforesaid, One Thousand Dollars, or as much as may be collected and added to the other funds of my estate; and my executors are directed to obtain from him an acknowledgment of the debt, subject to the aforesaid provisions.

4th It is my will that the remainder of my estate, consisting of cash notes, together with any residue from the sale of my personal effects, and the one thousand dollars depending upon the contingencies mentioned in Section 3rd be collected, and with the money I have at my death loaned at lawful interest, which interest alone shall be appropriated for the benefit and support of my sister Mary M. Smith, until her death; and upon that event, it is my will that all that remains, both principal and interest, shall be divided and appropriated as follows: - One Hundred dollars to the Southern Baptist

convention for their African Missions, and One Hundred Dollars to the same convention, for their Indian Missions; Two Hundred Dollars to the American Christian Missionary Society; and the remainder to be equally divided between the American Bible Union, and the American Colonization Society.

5th Should my sister Mary M. Smith, for whose benefit my estate is to be an interest, as expressed in Section 4th, prefer the investment of a portion of the principal in a dwelling-house, it is my will that my executor, or my trustee, as the case may be, purchase such a property as she may desire, provided it shall not cost more than two thousand dollars, which property shall be held by my trustee for her benefit, with power also to dispose of the same, and at her death the proceeds thereof shall be subject to the provisions of Section 4th.

6th I appoint my friends Jos. Joseph Smith and Saml. Ayres of Danville, Ky., my Executors under this Will, for the settlement of the affairs of my estate; + I appoint my friend Saml. Ayres trustee + charitable agent, with power to appoint his successor, to carry out my will as expressed in the 4th Section.

Nov. 14th 1858.

Ephraim A. Smith

Witness

John Geiser
D. W. Givens

State of Kentucky

Boyle County Court - December Term 1858

I, J. H. Zimmerman, clerk of the County Court aforesaid do certify that the foregoing instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Ephraim A. Smith, dec'd, was produced to the Court at its above Term, and proved by the oath of D. W. Givens, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and the signature of John Geiser, the other subscribing witness, also proved by the oath of said Givens, who testified that said writing was signed and acknowledged by the testator in their presence; and that they witnessed the same in the presence of each other, and in the presence of the testator, and at the instance and request of the latter; and that the testator at the time was of sound mind and disposing memory. Whereupon it was adjudged by the Court, that said instrument of writing is the true last Will and Testament of Ephraim A. Smith, dec'd, and as such it was ordered to be recorded, which hath been truly done in my office.

this 22nd day of December 1858.

J. H. Zimmerman, clerk. P. b. b.

I. Sevier.

State of Kentucky - Boyle County
The last will and Testament of Isaac Sevier of the State and County aforesaid.

I, Isaac Sevier; considering the uncertainty of this mortal life, and being of sound mind and memory, do make and publish this my last will and testament, in manner and form following, that is to say. Item first "I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Agness D. Sevier all my land and all the rest residue and remainder of my personal estate goods and chattels, of what kind and nature soever, I give and bequeath the same to my said beloved wife Agness D. Sevier to hold and to have the same during her natural life at her death I will that the land be sold together with all the goods and chattels belonging thereto and divided between my children and grand children as follows. I will that all my just debts be paid. I will that John D. Sevier my son have one-third that Agness D. Sevier my daughter have one-third that Elizabeth C. Durham and Isaac J. Durham have one-third of the money arising from said sale.

I hereby appoint and will that Sherod P. Burton, John B. Tadlock, and John D. Sevier sole executor of this my last Will and Testament, I will that John D. Sevier live with my wife, and I hereby revoke all former wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 15th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

Isaac Sevier

The above instrument consisting of one sheet was now here subscribed by Isaac Sevier, the testator, in the presence of each of us and was at the same time declared by him to be his last will and testament and we at his request sign our names hereto as attesting witnesses.

John B. Tadlock
Harvey H. Mitchell

State of Kentucky

Boyle County Court - March Term 1859

I, J. H. Zimmerman, clerk of the Boyle County Court do certify that the foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and Testament of Isaac Sevier, deceased, was produced to said Court at its above named Term, and proved by the oaths of John B. Tadlock and Harvey H. Mitchell, the subscribing witnesses thereto, who testified that said testator signed and declared the same in their presence, and that they witnessed the same in the presence of each other and in the presence of the testator, and at the instance and request of the latter - and that said testator was at the time of sound mind and disposing memory. Whereupon said instrument