

\$30 per acre for my ^{land} in hand the rest in 182 Years
My Executors may close the trade & convey the same to
him on those terms

Witness
Charles Henderson
Jos Weisinger
Jos Parbour

Abraham Irvin

State of Kentucky

Boyle County Court 3rd set

I Thomas B. Nichols Clerk of the
County Court for the County aforesaid, do certify that this
last Will & testament together with the Codicil thereto annexed
of Abram Lyle Irvin, was produced in open court to said
Court at the September term 1845 and proved to have been
duly executed by the said Abram Lyle Irvin as and
for his last Will & testament by the oaths of Charles Henderson
& Joseph Weisinger subscribing ~~Witnesses~~ ^{to both} Will
& Codicil and ordered ~~entered~~ to be Recorded - Whereupon
said Will & Codicil together with the foregoing certificate have
been duly admitted to Record in my office - Given un-
der my hand this 15th day of September 1845 -

Tho B Nichols CLK

Jeremiah Laws, Will

I Jeremiah Laws of the County of Boyle and
State of Kentucky do make and ordain this my last Will
and Testament First. My will and desire is that all my
just debts and liabilities be paid by my Executors herein
after named as soon as practicable after my decease out of the
first money that comes to their hands from the proceeds of my
estate. Second I will and bequeath to my wife Susanna
for and during her natural life one equal third in value
of the tract of land on which I now reside to be allotted
her by Commissioners who may be appointed by the Boyle
County Court for that purpose. I also will and be-
queath to my said wife one equal third part of ^{all} my
personal Estate that may remain after the payment of
my debts and the expenses of administering my estate to be
held by her absolutely and to be subject to her disposal
finally Third. I will and desire that as soon as conve-
nient after my decease my Executors make sale of the

whole of my ^{Estate} real and personal upon such terms and credits
as my Executors may in their discretion deem most con-
ducive to the interest of my children. The land to be sold
subject to the dower interest of my wife and the proceeds
of said sale after the payment and the expenses of admin-
istering my Estate to be distributed as follows. I will that it
first be divided into Eleven equal shares And to my son in
law Jacob Busey I give one share. To my son in law James
Long I give one share, To my son in law Amos Hill I give
one share. To my son in law George McCastlin I give one
share, To my son in law Gabriel Rice I give one share. To
my son Jeremiah Laws I give one share to be held by my
Executors in trust for the use of his wife and children and
to be applied and appropriated for that purpose as my said Ex-
ecutors may in their ^{discretion} think fit. To my daughter Matilda Wilkin-
son I give one share for the ^{exclusive} use of herself & her children. To
my daughter Priscilla Wright I give one share for the exclusive
use of herself & her children. To my daughter Frances Rufus
I give one share for the exclusive use of herself & her chil-
dren. To my son Jeremiah Laws I give one share. To Frances Laws
daughter of my son John Laws. Elvira Laws daughter of my
son James M. Laws. And James M. L. Whoberry legitimate son
of my said son James M. Laws I give the Eleventh share to
be divided among the three as follows James M. L. Whoberry to
have half and the other half to be equally divided between the said
Frances and Elvira. And if either or all of the three last men-
tioned devisees should die unmarried and childless my will
is that their portion herein bequeathed to them shall return to ^{my} wife
and be equally divided among the whole of them excluding
my son James M. Laws. I also will and ~~desire~~ that the portion
of my Estate received by Amos Hill under this will shall at the
death of his wife who is my daughter Sarah return to my children
to be equally divided between them excluding my said son
James M. Laws. Fourth And Lastly I nominate and ap-
point my son Jeremiah Laws and my son-in-law Jacob
Busey the Executors of this my last will and testament
hereby vesting them with full power and authority to exe-
cute & deliver to the purchaser or purchasers of my land
proper deeds of conveyance whenever they are satisfied with
the payment therefor. In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed my seal this 4th day of August
1842

Witness
J. P. Mitchell
J. D. Mitchell

Jeremiah Laws Seal

State of Kentucky

Boyle County Court 3rd Inst

I Thomas B Nichols Clerk of the County Court for the County aforesaid do certify that this last will and testament of Jeremiah Laws was produced in open court to the court at the October term 1845 and proved to have been duly executed by the said Jeremiah Laws as and for his last will & testament by the oaths of J. P. Mitchell & A. D. Mitchell subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded - Whereupon said last will & testament, together with the foregoing certificate hath been duly admitted to Record in my office - Given under my hand this 20th day of March 1845 -

Tho B Nichols Clerk

Sarah Hammer's Will

I Sarah Hammer of the County of Boyle and State of Kentucky do make and ordain this my last will and testament - I give and bequeath to William Edmund Hammer & Sarah Hammer the four youngest children of my son William the sum of twenty dollars each. I also and bequeath to the children of my daughter Lucy Clarkson deceased the sum of one hundred and sixty dollars to be equally divided among them, if all are living at my decease but if any of them should be dead leaving children, such child or children are to have the share of the parent - The residue of my Estate my will is that it pass to my children & grand children according to the law of Descents in force in this Commonwealth - I sign my hand and seal this 14th day of March 1844

Witness

B Williams

J L Bolling

Sarah Hammer
Sarah Hammer

State of Kentucky

Boyle County Court 3rd Inst

I Thos B Nichols Clerk of the County Court for the County aforesaid do certify that this last will and testament of Sarah Hammer dec'd was produced in open court to said court at the October term 1845 and proved to have been duly executed by the said Sarah -

Hammer as and for her last will & testament by the oaths of B. J. Williams and J. L. Bolling, subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be Recorded - Whereupon the said last will & testament together with the foregoing certificate hath been duly admitted to Record in my office - Given under my hand this 20th day of March 1845 -

Tho B Nichols Clerk

Gabriel Lackey's Will

The last will and testament of
Gabriel Lackey

I desire that my wife Paulina Lackey shall have one third of my whole estate real & personal during her life & at her death to be equally divided among my children - I also wish her to have the privilege of choosing two negroes which will be held as a part of her portion - I further desire that each of my by my last wife shall have one thousand dollars worth of my property more than Martha Grimes. as she owns some land descended from her mother. My daughters Martha Grimes & Paulina Lackey their portion of land & negroes I will to them during their life time & then to their heirs, except my knot land & some land lying on Licking river, which I want sold & one third of the proceeds to go to my wife & the balance to be equally divided among my children I appoint Samuel O Middleton & Harry Prostley as my executors

Gab. Lackey

October 25th 1845

Test
Wm Pauling
A. McCormick
Wm D. Kerr

State of Kentucky

Boyle County Court 3rd Inst

I Thomas B Nichols Clerk of the County Court for the County aforesaid do certify that this last will and testament of Gabriel Lackey dec'd was produced in open