

Wholy I appoint James Taylor, my Executor, of this Will, and hope he will see its provisions carried into effect.

Wholy I wish my just debts I may owe, to be paid by my Executor out of the proceeds of my personal estate or that part of the proceeds of the land willed to George.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 23rd of August, 1854

Benj. F. Moore, J. E. Moore

State of Kentucky

Boyle County

John Hall, his mark, Seal

Sec.

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 John Hall, deceased, was this day produced in open Court, and proved by the oath of Mrs. J. E. Moore, a subscribing witness thereto to have been duly executed by said decedent. She further testified that the signature of Benj. F. Moore, the other subscribing witness thereto, was genuine, that she was present & saw him sign it &c. Whereupon said Will was ordered to be recorded. And the same, together with this certificate hath been duly recorded in my office. Witness my signature as Clerk aforesaid this 19th day of February, 1855.

R. R. Bolling, Clerk.

Samuel Hocker's Will

I, Samuel Hocker, of the County of Boyle and State of Kentucky do hereby make and ordain this writing my last Will and Testament.

Item 1st I will to my wife, Francis Hocker One Thousand (\$1000) dollars, to be paid by my Executors in twelve months from the day of sale of my property.

Item 2nd My Will is that if I should die between the date of this will and the 1st day September next, that the tract of land on which I at present reside, and the two tracts of Knob land, amounting to near Two Hundred and sixty acres all my stock, crop, household and kitchen furniture, be sold by my Executors, to be hereafter named, on a credit of Twelve months, but the sale not to be sooner than the 15th of September next.

Item 3rd My will is, that Daniel M. Hocker have my negro boy, Bobb, at the price of Eight Hundred dollars, Sarah Jane Holloway

have my negro boy Nancy Durham, have my negro boy John, at the price at the price of Eight Hundred dollars, Sarah Jane Holloway, have my negro girl Mary, at the price of Four Hundred, Margaret Hocker have my negro girl Charlotte and her child, about two months old at the price of Eight Hundred dollars, and that each of those that get negroes are to account for the price of them as a portion of their part of the estate, and the two negro women, Margaret and Sally Sucky are to be sold with the other property belonging to the estate and I wish some one of my children would buy them if they think proper to do so.

Item 4th my will is that my children Sylvania Biscoe, Margaret Hocker, Sarah Jane Holloway, Nancy Durham, and Daniel M. Hocker shall each have an equal portion of my estate, but that portion of my daughter, Sarah Jane Holloway shall be under her own control, and not subject to the claim of any other person, unless by her consent.

Item 5th I hereby appoint John Harlan and Moses Foster Executors of this my last will and testament. Witness my hand and seal. Dec. 12th 1854.

attest
R. H. Harlan
Paulina A. Lobb

Samuel Hocker, Seal

State of Kentucky
County of Boyle

Sec.

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 Samuel Hocker, deceased, was this day produced in open Court, and proved to have been duly executed by said Samuel Hocker, by the oath of Robert H. Harlan, who also testified on oath to the genuineness of the signature of Paulina A. Lobb, another subscribing witness thereto. Said Will was then ordered to be recorded, whereupon the same, together with this certificate hath been duly recorded in my office. Witness my signature as Clerk aforesaid this 19th day of March 1855.

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