

Joseph McDowell, decd. - were produced to court at the above term, and the will was proved by the oaths of Wm. L. Anderson, D. H. Irvine and P. T. Boyle to be in the handwriting of the said testator; and the said oaths were fully proved - the first by the oaths of D. H. Irvine and P. T. Boyle - subscribing witnesses thereto - and the second and last was proved by the oaths of W. L. Anderson, D. H. Irvine and P. T. Boyle to be in the handwriting of the said testator; Whereupon, It was adjudged by the court that the same, together with the oaths thereto, be established as the last will and Testament of the said Joseph McDowell, decd.; and the same was ordered to be recorded - which is accordingly done in my office.

Given under my hand, this 5th day of August, 1856,
 Attest: R. R. Bolling, CLK.

Will of Joseph Yager, decd.

In the name of God Amen, I Joseph Yager do make and publish this my last will and Testament as follows - (to wit) In the first place it is my will that all my debts to be paid, Indly - It is my desire that my Estate both real and personal be sold as soon as practicable after my death and divided between my children John Yager, Nicholas Yager Daniel Yager Joseph Yager and Polly Elliott in the following manner to wit: My Daughter Polly Elliott receiving two shares and my sons as above named receiving one share each. That is my Estate be divided in six parts and my Daughter Polly receive two parts and my sons one part each, and it is my will that the share of my daughter be placed in the hands of a trustee for the benefit of her and her children and in no way liable to the claims or disposal of her husband Herman Elliott and it is my desire that my daughter shall select a Trustee who shall have full power to vest her part of my Estate in whatever property she may wish and and surrender full possession to her at his discretion - My reason for giving my daughter a greater share of my Estate than my sons is in consideration of the services she has rendered the family in raising her crippled sister for a considerable time then her mother for years and lastly her kindness and attention to me in my infirmity - Whereas I have heretofore made advancements of Property and money to my before named children it is not my intention that they be charged with any of such advancements heretofore named.

And I do hereby empower who may be selected by my children to carry out this will, to sell at public auction all my

Estate and convey the same and divide the proceeds according to the provisions herein made. In Testimony of which I have hereto subscribed my name this 20th Decr 1850

Witnesses
 Wm. H. Bryan
 Thomas Robinson
 Lewis Street
 D. P. Fisher

Joseph Yager
 his X Mark

State of Kentucky - Boyle County Court -
 July Term 1856, July 21, 1856

The foregoing Testament of writing was produced in Open Court at the above term, and proved by the oaths of Wm. H. Bryan and Thomas Robinson, subscribing witnesses thereto; Whereupon, it was adjudged by the court that the same be established as the last will and Testament of Joseph Yager, deceased; and the same was ordered to be recorded - which is accordingly done in my office, this 5th day of August, 1856.

Attest: R. R. Bolling, CLK.

The Will of Thomas G. Harrison - now residing in Boyle County, Ky. -

In consequence of circumstances which have recently occurred - I Thomas G. Harrison now revoke any will I now have & make & publish this as my last will & Testament -

I devise to my Daughter Julia Ann Read wife of John P. Read, the following four slaves - will, Dick, Phil & George, together with whatever estate I may own at my death - of every description whatever.

In Testimony whereof I have signed & sealed this my last will & Testament, this 25th Nov 1854.

Signed by us as attesting witnesses
 in the presence of Thomas G. Harrison
 Geo. L. Spears
 Joshua G. Bell

Thos G. Harrison

State of Kentucky - Boyle County Court,
 May Term 1856, May 19, 1856

The foregoing instrument of writing was produced to Court at the April Term 1856, and its admission to probate being contested, the same was continued to the May Term, 1856, at which term, the proof being fully presented and heard, the same was adjudged and ordered to be established as the last will

(upon the proof of George Spear and Richard B. Bell - subscribing witnesses thereto,) and Testament of Thomas G. Harris on, deceased, and ordered to be recorded - which is accordingly and truly done in my Office, this August 5, 1856,

Att: R. R. Bolling, Clerk

Will of Mary Laurence - decd

I, Mary Laurence do make this my last will and testament. I have heretofore let my son James have three hundred and seventy dollars in money, and in horses worth seventy five dollars. Also in addition to the above he owes me two hundred dollars which he collected of mine. He has also had possession of my land, and lived at my house two or three years and owes me for the rent. James has an account against me for things furnished me in the time he had the place rented. I furnished him money to pay my accounts, Doctors bills &c. My will is that James shall have all that may be in his hands, and that my executor consider all accounts between James & myself settled - and that no money be collected from James unless he attempt to claim his account. I will to my daughter Martha Potts my negro girl Sally aged about fifteen years, to own and use the said Negro during her natural life, and to her children should she have any, but should she die without heirs of her body - said negro Sally to revert to my son James & Thomas, together with her share of she has any. I have given to my daughter Martha a horse worth fifty five dollars which I confirmed to her. I will that my son Thomas shall have the proceeds of the sale of my property on hand at my death, and the money due me. I will that my executor shall pay to Jeremiah Field whatever money may be going to Thomas whom I constitute trustee for Thomas - to hold said money, or whatever other property may be going to Thomas of my estate, paying him the interest annually. I will that whatever may be coming to me at my Mother's death shall be equally divided between my three children, James, Martha & Thomas - Thomas' part to be paid to J. Field as trustee above. Any debts to be paid out of any money on hand or money collected. I nominate & appoint J. S. Hopkins executor of this my last will & testament. Given under my hand and seal this 31st July 1856

Mary Laurence

Witness John R. Ford
E. P. Humphrey

fee 9 cents

State of Kentucky - Boyle County Court.

August Term, August 18, 1856.

The foregoing Instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary Laurence, decd, was produced to the Court at the above term, and time, and proved by the oath of John R. Ford, subscribing witness thereto, who also proved the signature of E. P. Humphrey - witness thereto, and was established as such, and ordered to be recorded - which is truly & accordingly done in my Office.

Att: R. R. Bolling, Clerk
Boyle County Court

Will of Patrick Kerr

I, Patrick Kerr, a free man of color residing in the town of Danville, Kentucky - do hereby make my last will and testament in manner and form following (that is to say): After the payment of my debts and funeral expenses, I give my wife Priscilla the whole of my estate - real, personal and mixed - to hold as her own property for her own use, forever. I do hereby revoke all other or former wills or testaments by me heretofore made. In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand & seal, this 14th day of January, 1848.

Patrick Kerr (his mark)

Thos B. Nicholls
Will A. Bridges

State of Kentucky - Boyle County Court.

August Term, August 18, 1856.

The foregoing Instrument of writing purporting to be the last will & testament of Patrick Kerr, decd, was produced to the Court at the above term and time, and proved by the oath of Will A. Bridges, a subscribing witness thereto - who also proved the signature of Thos B. Nicholls - a subscribing witness thereto; and the same was adjudged by the Court to be the true last will and testament of said Patrick Kerr, and ordered to be recorded - which is accordingly & truly done in my Office.

Att: R. R. Bolling, Clerk
Boyle County Court