

In the name of God Amen I William S. Sweeney of the County Boyle
being sick and weak in body, but of sound mind and disposing memory
(For which I thank God) And calling to mind the uncertainty of human
life, and being desirous to dispose of all such worldly Estate as it has pleased
God to bless me with I kind and bequeath the same in manner and form as
follows (viz) First I desire that all my individual debts be paid
out of the Claims that are now in the hands of different Constables for
Collection of Mercer County for which I hold their receipts, should
that prove insufficient, the remainder to be paid out of my Cash
notes and Store accounts, which are due me individually.
Second, I desire that all the debts I own as the firm of Williams &
Sweeney & John Young, or my part of said debt I wish paid out of the
Goods and proceeds of said firm, after said Claims are settled. The
residue of my interest in said firm I wish disposed of as I shall
hereafter describe, a part of which I desire to be used in the
payment of the balance due on my Store that in Cornishville.
Third, I desire that my House and Lot in Cornishville be sold on
a credit of Five Years with legal interest from the day of Sale; The
proceeds of same to go the benefit Education &c of my two Sons J. S.
Sweeney & William S. Sweeney & Infant daughter.
Fourth, I desire after my death that all my property of every kind
which was not given to my wife by her Father be sold and the proceeds
put out on interest for the support of my wife two Sons & infant
daughter, so long as she remains my widow in case of her marriage
it is my wish that her interest should cease, and the money kept
on interest for the benefit of my Children equally as they respectively
arrive to the age of twenty one year.
Fifth, I hold a title bond for an interest in a tract of Land
my brother Green S. Sweeney now lives on in the County of Pulaskie Ky
I do hereby constitute and appoint my brother William S. Sweeney
my true and lawful attorney to obtain a deed for and to sell
and convey the same for the best price he can get on a credit of five
years, the proceeds of the to be appropriated, for the use and benefit of
my two Sons and infant daughter equally.
Sixth, I desire that my wife Eliza Ann Sweeney keep in her possession
all the property, which her father gave her & so long as she remains my widow
to have a full interest with my children, in case of her marriage then
her interest to cease.
Seventh Lastly, I hereby constitute and appoint my wife Eliza
Ann Sweeney my Exor and my worthy friend R. W. Belling my Exor to this
my last will & Testament (without being bound to give security in the
Administration Bond) fully authorizing them to see convey &c and
to carry all its provisions into effect. In testimony whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed my seal this the 26th day of August 1852
Witness
W. S. Sweeney
James H. Belling.

State of Kentucky }
Boyle County }
I John B. Atkin clerk of the Boyle County Court, do certify that
this instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and Testament of
W. S. Sweeney deceased was this day produced in open Court, and proved by
the oath of G. S. Keaswell a subscribing witness thereto to be the last will
and Testament of the said W. S. Sweeney dec'd and also the hand writing
of James H. Belling and other subscribing witness thereto was proved to
be genuine by said Keaswell, and ordered to be recorded, which is done
accordingly in my office; Given under my hand this the 18th day
of October 1852
John B. Atkin clk

I Mary Walter of the County of Boyle and State of Kentucky do hereby make
my last will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say
I desire that all the perishable part of my estate be immediately sold
after my decease and out of the money arising therefrom, all my Just debts
and funeral expenses (together with a Tomb Stone) be paid
After the payment of my Just debts and funeral expenses, I give to my
Daughter Cynthia Tadlock the tract or parcel of land containing about seven
teen acres it being the land I purchased from C. Rains, said land lying in the
County of Boyle and State of Ky, to have and to hold during her natural
life, and after her death said land is to be sold & the proceeds equally
divided between her seven Children, to be enjoyed by them forever, I also give
to my Daughter Cynthia Tadlock my clock.
3rd I give to my great grand Daughter, Mary J. Walter, my Bedstead
Furniture, and also my Bureau,
4th I give to my Daughter Margaret Tadlock Fulkerson one Dollar,
5th I give to my Daughter Betsey Pick one Dollar.
6th My wish and desire is that the proceeds of my estate, ^{both} real & personal
+ mixed, together with two hundred Dollars, Willed to me by my late
husband Philip Walter dec'd and all other money or estate which may be in
my hands be equally divided between the seven Children of my Daughter
Cynthia Tadlock, and the six children of my Daughter Malinda
Tadlock dec'd. And lastly, I do hereby nominate and appoint my
friend J. L. Belling my executor to this my last will and Testament,
hereby revoking all other or former wills or Testaments by me heretofore
made, in witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
seal this 23rd day of July 1852
attest
D. W. Roeker
Harriet W. Webb
Mary J. Walter
marks

State of Kentucky }
Boyle County }
I John B. Atkin clerk of the County Court
for the County aforesaid do certify that the foregoing instrument of