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I Austin Hunter of Buckenidge County being of sound mind and disposing Memory but weak in body and believing that I shall shortly depart this life do make and establish this my last Will and Testament Thus I do my Will and desire that after my death that my body shall be decently buried and funeral expenses paid and all just debts paid Thus I do my Will and desire after the payment of my funeral expenses and debts that my dearly beloved wife Elizabeth Hunter have and receive all the balance of my estate both real and personal I further Will and desire to my said wife my entire interest in and to the estate coming to me from the estate of my Grand Father Jonathan Mattingly late of Marion County Ky All that is now due or may be coming to me an account of property now in possession of my said Grand Father Widow Thom I thereby nominate and appoint my Brother in law Charles A Walker Executor of this my last Will and Testament so Witness hand

I seal this 5th June 1854

Attest Nathan Brand

Lucetta Mary

Austin Hunter
mark

State of Kentucky Buckenidge County Court

County Court Monday June 19th 1854

The within Writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Austin Hunter deceased Was proved by the oath of Nathan Brand a Witness thereto who came into Court Thence that Austin Hunter signed and published the within Writing as and for his last will and Testament that at the time of doing so he believed the testator was of sound mind and disposing memory that he together with Lucetta Mary the other Witness signed their names Witness thereto in the presence of the testator and in the presence of each other and Charles A Walker the executor therein named made thereto in due form and therefore the same is ordered to be Recorded

Attest

So Allen C. B. C. C.

Chesapeake January 2nd 1854

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I Obadiah Newman being of sound mind & body but believing it necessary that I should make a Will do hereby constitute and make & ordain in this instrument of Writing my last Will & Testament (Wt) I after my just debts funeral expenses are paid I give to my wife Frances Newman the dollar which we now reside in of mine & her agreeable to the chart of - Town with all its appurtenances also my negro man Bob and Jack the above named Estate is given during her natural life I give to her Martha and her eldest girl named Abeline to do as she may please with I also give the house hold furniture after setting out a Bed for my son Thomas & Obadiah the remainder here to do as she please with I give to my son Thomas my negro boy James at \$550.00 I give my negro boy Eliza to my son Obadiah valued at \$550.00 I give saddle & Bridle to be worth \$100.00 the horse to be charged at the same rate of the balance of the children If any accident should happen so that the above named Negroes do not fall in the hands of Thomas & Obadiah they are to receive the the amount in other Negroes I keep a book marked family account wherein I have the accounts of my children registered which is to be allowed without alteration which is to constitute a part of my Will I am aware that more than others but I wish it distinctly understood I wish an Equal division of my property with one exception I have given to my Daughter Sarah Abeline a negro boy named John free of charge which was her mother's request The remainder of my Estate I wish sold at my very death the negroes to make choice of them modern It is my wish that the Court appoint my Executor but side of my entire family Expenses has taught that is the safest plan

Obadiah Newman

This Book contains the charge against the children which is to be allowed in the settlement of my estate and will constitute a part of my Est Sarah Ebelus Newman Daughter of Newman Examined is to have a full share with the Balance of the children. She is to have a Negro boy John which is not to be charged which was the request of her mother

The children is to have an equal share with an Exception provisionally Name the Sarah Ebelus Newman

14th August 1855
 Mary Haynes
 Negro Boy \$375
 Good 1. Bedding 43,00
 Hens 35,00
 Cow & Calf 12,00
 465
 1 Set W. Chair 5
 470,00

January the 1st 1841
 Martha Roberts Dr
 1 Negro girl Frances \$325,00
 1 Bed and Furniture 47,00
 1 Cow & Calf 14,00
 1 Set Chair 5,00
 \$391,00
 19,12 1/2
 Luther M Roberts Dr
 To 25 Bushels Corn at 2/3
 Note \$24 24,00
 1843 May 27 Paid M & Pate \$240
 430,63
 Black But \$30,00

Martha Roberts by Cash \$200. Which is to bear Interest from this date Sept 30 1860

January the 1 1846
 Jane A Cooper Dr
 To negro girl Mariah \$350,00
 Bed & Furniture 45,00
 1 Set Chair 4,00
 1 Cow 10,00
 1 Small Calf 30,00
 439,00

To 42 1/2 Acre Land at \$6,00 deeded to J A Cooper amounting 212,50
 the negro girl Mariah is given to the land to Jane and the Use of her body

January 4 1848
 William M Newman Dr
 To negro Boy Tom 375,00
 Bed and Furniture 45,00
 Hens \$50 50,00
 Land \$200 200,00
 1 Set Chair 4,00

1 Cow & calf 8 10

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January 1st 1852

Eliza M. Conistock	
To negro girl Frances	\$450.00
Bed & furniture	50.00
1 set Chair	6.00
1 Dinner Cdt	50.00
1 Cow & calf	12.00

March 10th 1852

Sarah E. Christian	
To negro girl Mary	450.00
Bed & furniture	50.00
Spited to 2 nd	50.00

John is given to Sarah & Christian which is an extra gift agreeable to her Mother's request

State of Kentucky Buchanan County Court

County Court Monday September 11th 1854

The above foregoing Writing purporting to be the last Will & Testament of Abdiash Newman do^u now exhibited in Court and thereupon David M. Murray Ezekiel Fisher John E. Martin John W. Raith & Robert L. Newsum came into Court and and solemnly swore that they were well acquainted with the hand Writing of Abdiash Newman and that they had frequently saw him write and that they truly believed that the whole of the writing signature & all was in the hand Writing of the said Abdiash Newman deceased before that testimony the Will is ordered by the Court to be Recorded with the above will there is a small account book filed said to be the one referred to in the will the accounts in that book are correctly copied below the Will in the Record book

Attest Allen C. B. B.

In the name of God Amen I Abner Sharp are in sound mind and memory do make this my last Will & Testament (first) I give my Soul to God who gave it (second) I give my wife Mary my household of Land Conistock some 250 acres of land off 500 Dollars in money & all the household goods & kitchen furniture & two of the best Horses & two Horse Waggons & good Cows & calf & 12 Sheep 20 Choise of Hogs & as many of the plow wares & hoes as is necessary for to tend the farm & my wife is to have all of the above as long as she is my Widow & should she marry she is to take the third of which what is left of what I have give to her & and the ballance of the Backlog farm that I own is to be either Rented or sold which my Executor think best if sold it is to be sold to one of my Children and all the ballance of my estate both Real & personal to be sold & as my Children becoms of age & marry each one is to have \$200 Except my son John W & William Offmann John W to have \$100 & William Offs - all of my Children that is married has Received their \$200 & is to have no more of my Estate until all of my Children that is not married gets their \$200 & should there be any more money left it is to be Equally Divided amongst all of my Children & Except my son William & he is only to have his \$1 - as above & should there arise any Dispute among my Children in selling my Estate the person Disputed is to pick one man & my Executor an other man & should them two not agree then to pick another man & them two & then to settle the Dispute & as to Law about my Estate I appoint my wife Mary & my son James