

Examined

On the 23rd day of May 1849 John Haddock of Bowling-green Buckenridge County State of Kentucky being sick of the sickness whereof he died on the next day at his dwelling house County and State above mentioned did make and declare his last will and testament nuncupative in these or words of the like substance that is to say

First that I desire all my just debts paid out of my Estate

Secondly after my debts are paid I give and bequeath unto my wife Parmelia Haddock with the request that she give my ^{Children} liberal Education all of my Estate debts and account to do by and with as she may see proper until the youngest of our Children becomes of age, except a judgement in my favor in the state of Mississippi and that I want to be appropiated to my Childrens benefit equally and when the youngest child becomes of age I want all the balance of their portion of the Estate equally divided among them

These words or to the like effect the said John Haddock declared in the presence of the subscribers with intention that the same should be his last will and testament whereof he desired them to bear testimony Which we reduce to writing, this twenty fifth day of May in the year Eighteen Hundred and forty nine

John C. Adams

Benjamin C. Drury

Kentucky Buckenridge County Set

County Court Monday August 20th 1849

The within writing, purporting, to be the nuncupative will of John Haddock decd was produced in Court and fully proven by the Oaths of James C. Adams & Benjamin C. Drury subscribing, Witnesses thereto who severally swore that they ^{were} with the said John Haddock in his last illness and that they were called upon by him to take notice that such was his will or words of like import whereupon the same is ordered by the Court to be Recorded as the nuncupative will of said decedent

Att Gilbert L. Drury Secy

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I Samuel H Bates of the County of Buckenridge and State of Kentucky do hereby make and publish the following as my last will and testament revoking all others heretofore made

Whereas each of my four Children has had an allotment of Land heretofore made to them and I now hold none except the small tract on which I live Containing about 50 Acres. It is my will that my beloved wife Nancy Bates shall possess and enjoy the said Land and appurtenances being the home place during her life. Also that she have possession and enjoy all my personal Estate after the payment of my just debts during her life with the exceptions herein after made

It is my will that my three sons ^{equally} Wm. S. Bates John S. Bates and Benjamin Bates have to be equally divided between them all my Tools & my Linn. It is my will that after the death of my wife my daughter Mary Bates shall have my home place being the same willed to my wife during her life as before provided to herself her heirs or forever And also all my personal property remaining after the death of my wife

It is my will and I hereby appoint my wife Nancy Bates my Executor of this my last will and testament with the provision

unpaid and undistributed are to be raised and education equal to those that are raised
 free of charge. Item 3. in order that there shall be no misunderstanding hereafter
 I will state what I have given to some of my children. My son Jacob has had
 four hundred dollars in land and one hundred dollars in property and he is to
 have no more until at the test is made equal to that amount. Item 4. My son
 John has had four hundred dollars in land and one hundred in property and is
 to have no more until at the test is that amount. Item 5. My son Nelson has had
 one hundred and fifty four dollars in land and one hundred dollars in property
 and is to be made equal with Jacob and John is to have no more until at the
 test is made equal. Item 6. My son Jonathan has had one hundred dollars in
 property and is to have one hundred acres of land where he now lives at four
 hundred dollars and is to have no more until at the test of the land rising up
 to that amount it is to be understood that there is 200 acres of land in the
 tract where my son Jonathan lives he is to have 200 of the 200 acres in
 100 acres by paying back to the estate three hundred dollars in several payments
 Item 7. and lastly I appoint Jacob and John my Executors in testimony
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 23 day of January 1849.

A. W. I consider that Mary White
 and Polly Ann Blyden have passed

Adam Barr (Seal)

each which is to be accounted for in the
 division after the death of my wife
 Let Jonathan O. Brownman for

Arch Barr

The following words are in testament to wit "after 20 years" in the first line "my"
 in the first line "until at the test is made equal" in the 5th line and the word
 "after" in the 1st B.

State of Kentucky
 Bucklemyer County

County Court Monday May 21st 1849

The foregoing writing purporting to be the last Will and testament of Adam
 Barr Jr. deceased, was produced in Court and duly proven by the Oath of
 Jonathan O. Brownman and Arch Barr subscribing thereto and
 to be the last Will and testament of A. Adam Barr Jr. who made with the
 said testator was of Sane mind and memory at the time of publishing the
 same and that he published the same in their presence as and for his last
 Will and testament and that they signed the same as witnesses in his presence
 and at his request whereupon the same is duly admitted to be recorded

Attest J. M. Jones County Clerk
 L. J. Allen Secy. to Clerk

however that she shall not be required to give security or to make out any Inventory of the Estate, The testimony of which I have herewith set my hand and seal this 10th day of April 1836

Signed sealed and declared

Samuel H. Bates (Seal)

in the presence of

David R. Murray

Ezekiel Fisher

Robt S. Clark

Kentucky Breckenridge County Set

County Court Monday May 15th 1849

The above and within writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Samuel H. Bates decd was exhibited in Court and proven by David R. Murray who made oath that the said Bates was of sound mind and memory at the time of publishing the same and that the same was published by the said Samuel H. Bates as and for his last will and testament and that he signed his name as a witness thereto in the testators presence & at his request And laid over for further proof And at a County Court began & held at the Courthouse in Hardinsburg for the County & State aforesaid on the 17th day of September 1849 the same was fully proven by the Oath of Ezekiel Fisher & Ordered to be Recorded

Wm Gilbert L. Drury D.C. & C.

Examiners

On the fifth day of September in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty eight being in my right mind and in possession of all my senses, knowing, true and knowing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death and being afflicted in body at this time I feel it my duty to make such a disposition of my ~~as~~ property as seems to me right

I will and bequeath to Nathaniel Shewsbury my nephew and Sister son all that I may possess at my decease after the payment of my just and lawful debts, and also all that may be due me from any and every source to have to hold and to keep or dispose of as he may think proper and further I appoint the said Nathaniel Shewsbury my lawful executor and this Breckenridge to be my last will and testament in witness whereof I have here set my hand and affixed my seal this day and year above mentioned

John Sammarway

Wm H. Sampson

Wayman ^{the} Sinkler (Seal)

Kentucky Breckenridge County Set

County Court Monday September 17th 1849

The within writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Wayman Sinkler decd was exhibited in Court and duly proven by the Oaths of John Sammarway and Walker J. Sampson two subscribing witnesses thereto who made oath that said Testator Wayman Sinkler was of sound mind and memory at the time of making the same and that he published the same as and for his last will and testament and that they signed the same as witnesses thereto in his presence and at his request Whereupon the same is ordered by the Court to be Recorded

Wm Gilbert L. Drury D.C. & C.