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I Mary Mapie do hereby make and establish this as my last will & testament. In the first place I give and bequeath to my Brother David Massie of St. Louis Missouri the sum of one hundred dollars which shall be loaned out at interest for his use and in the event of sickness or inability to attend to business the said one hundred dollars shall be used by the said David Massie for his support and support. Secondly I give and bequeath to my Niece Mary McHenry the residue of my estate consisting of four hundred dollars in the hands of my Brother Henry Massie with about four years interest on the same and the residue in the hands of Mr Samuel Hanes of Daviess County Kentucky. And I hereby constitute and appoint my friend Benjamin Hanes my Executor to carry my said will into effect. Witness my hand & seal the 1st day of March in the year of our Lord 1848.

Witness

R M Chapman

W L Thompson.

Kentucky Daviess County Court do

January Term 1849.

The above foregoing writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary D. Massie was produced in Court and proved by the oath of W L Thompson one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. Given under my hand this 8th day of January 1849.

William B. Hale Clk

By Finley W. Hale D.C.

State of Kentucky

Daviess County Court

3rd Term 1867

The Book containing the foregoing will having been destroyed it is ordered that the same be re-recorded. Witness my hand this 10th June 1867.

J. C. Jones Clk

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I Susan Johnson being of sound mind and knowing the uncertainty of life do hereby make this my last will and testament hereby revoking any and all other will or testament made by me. First I give and bequeath to my brother John Johnson one negro boy David. Second I give and bequeath to Susan R. Davis one negro girl Ruth and in the event that she should die without an heir, that said Ruth & her increase shall revert back to her brother and sister when living also one bed one sheet one white Counterpane figured one bed quilt one coverlet one Cherry bedstead also one spotted mare. Third I give and bequeath to my brother Archer one negro boy Anderson during his life then to be Alexander A Davis also one negro girl Marissa during his life then her and her increase to Julius A Davis and his sister Amelia J Davis also to my brother Archer two bedsteads beds and clothing and at his death one of the above named beds to Alexander A Davis and the other to Julius A Davis also to Archer my arms axon and cross and chains also one span mares and my part of the present crop also my Cooking Eutawick and gun and all of my farming Eutawick and all of my cupboard ware and chairs and forwarding leaf table and at his death the table to go to Hannah Johnson also my saddle to Hannah Johnson the wife of Samuel Johnson R. Fourth I give and bequeath to my brother Samuel & Archer jointly my stock of sheep to be equally divided also to Samuel one white figured Counterpane. Fifth I wish Emeline sold with the privilege of choosing her master on a six & twelve month trial and the proceeds of said sale to be divided among my relatives as follows. First one hundred dollars to Rachel J Thomason and wife also one hundred dollars to be left in the hands of Rachel J Thomason for the purpose of clothing of Nancy L Davis. Second I bequeath to Martha A Davis the sum of fifty dollars. Third the balance of the proceeds of said sale I bequeath to my brother Archer after paying all of my just debts also one big trunk and little one to Archer. Fourth I bequeath to Alexander Davis one shot gun and Waffer. Fifth I bequeath to Elizabeth A Davis one chest and band box. Sixth I bequeath to Joseph the privilege of choosing either of my brother or sister for his master. Seventh it is my wish that Ruth shall not be hired out. Eighth I appoint my brother Samuel the executor of this my will in testimony whereof I have hereunto signed