

to my son William - one seventh to my son John, one seventh to the heirs of my daughter Patsy Priest dead and the remaining four sevenths to remain in the hands of my executors for the use and benefit of my other children and to be employed as follows. I will & desire that my executors put the remaining four sevenths out at interest ~~to~~ and one fourth of the interest accruing upon the amount thus put out at interest to be paid annually to my daughter Harriet C. Dunning during her life, and upon her death the interest & principal which may have accrued since the last yearly installment and upon said one fourth to be divided equally among her children that may be living at the time of her death by her second marriage to Henry Combs, or their issue if any should be living - one fourth of the interest of said four sevenths to be annually paid to my daughter Mary Ann during her life - and upon her death the Principal interest which may have accrued since the last yearly installment to go to her children by her first marriage who may be living at the time of her death or their issue if any - one fourth of the interest of said four sevenths to be annually paid to my daughter Patsy Combs during her life and at her death the Principal & interest which may have accrued since the payment of the last installment to go to her children and the remaining one fourth of the interest of said four sevenths to be paid annually to my son Thomas to aid in supporting him and such portion of the Principal, as in the opinion of my executors they may deem proper for that purpose during his life and after his death whatever may be remaining in the hands of the executors of the said Thomas Lumpkins portion shall be given to such of my children or grand children as he shall desire by will - I further will & desire that at the sale of the negroes - any of my children shall be permitted to purchase and the amount of the purchase which they may make shall be deducted from their divisible interest - and shall be used by them during their lives and after their deaths go as the money which the negroes represent as herein before directed to pass.

And lastly I will and desire that Dennis McCrory & Henry Dugan, or either of them act as executor of this my last will & testament or carry out the provisions thereof - and if both

do not qualify the acts of either one of them who may qualify, whether in the sale of the land negroes or otherwise shall be as valid as if both were acting. Given under my hand and seal the 27th day of March 1842

Wm. Lumpkins (S)

Witnesses
H. W. Haines
J. G. Taylor
C. W. Haines

Kentucky Davie County Court
August Term 1842

The within writing purporting to be the last will & testament of William Lumpkins died in conformity to the mandate of the Davie County Court was ordered to be recorded as after the last will & testament of William Lumpkins died. Whereupon the same has been duly recorded in the Davie County Court. Attest John S. McFarland Ck

State of Kentucky June Term 1867
Davie County The book containing the foregoing will having been destroyed, it is ordered that the same be re-recorded.
Witness my hand this 15th day of June
J. C. Jones Ck

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I William Combs of the County of Davie and State of Kentucky being of sound mind and memory and knowing that agreeable to Human nature that my life is fast drawing to a close and that it is necessary to make some disposition of my small estate; And I do hereby make this my last will and testament.

I give devise and bequeath to my wife Rachel Combs the Plantation whereon I now live including all the timbered land except what I may hereinafter bequeath otherwise during her widowhood. I also bequeath to her all of my household & kitchen furniture horses hogs cows & sheep & farming utensils for her use during her widowhood & then to be disposed of as will hereinafter be mentioned. I bequeath to my daughter Freney Wallace eighty dollars to be paid in the name hereinafter described. I bequeath to my son Charles Combs a negro girl named Ellen aged about eight years after his mother's widowhood also one lot of

Grants in the form of Quarters known & designated
in the plat of said Town by No 52. I bequeath
to my daughter Mary Margaret Cornes one
hundred dollars to be paid by my executor that I
will hereafter appoint. I bequeath to my daughter
Elizabeth Cornes Eighty dollars to be paid by
my executor. I bequeath to my son Felix Cornes
all lot of Grants in the Town of Owensboro known
& designated in the plat of said Town by No 80
also a negro girl named Elizabeth aged about 24
years the negro he is to have after his mother's
Widowhood. I bequeath to my son Benedict Cornes
Twenty acres of timbered land to be laid off (of the
tract of Land I now live) in its most southern end,
to be as square as possible. I bequeath to my son
William Peter the home plantation including all
its improvements & all the balance of the tract of Land
except that part I bequeathed to my son Benedict after
his mother's Widowhood. I do hereby appoint my son
Felix Cornes my executor & take charge & manage
my estate & require that the County Court of the County
aforesaid will not require him to give security for his
performances and I desire that my son Felix shall
take charge of my estate such as lands notes & accounts
& that he shall sell a negro Woman named Ann & sell
her for the best Price he can and the amount of money
that he may collect & for the sale of 2d Negro Ann
my ex. executor to first discharge all my just debts & to
pay to my daughter Susan Wallace Eighty dollars
in small sums as she may require it also to pay to my
daughter Mary Margaret Cornes Eighty dollars as
bequeathed to her also to my daughter Elizabeth Cornes
Eighty dollars as bequeathed to her and should there be
a surplus of money in ex. hands he and is
to be divided between all my sons and should there be a
deficit of money to all the aforesaid requisitions the balance
thereof is to be made up by my son equally & at the end
of my Wife's Widowhood all my personal estate is to be
sold by my ex. that is bequeathed to her during her
Widowhood and the proceeds thereof is to be divided between
my sons Charles Felix, Benedict & William Peter Cornes
As witness my hand this 8th day of May 1834
Wm Cornes Sr

Henry A Read
Benjamin J. Read

Kentucky Davis County Court
June Term 1844
The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will
& Testament of William Cornes deceased was
produced in Court & proved by the oaths of Henry A
Read & Benjamin J. Read two subscribing witnesses
there to be the act & deed of the sd Wm Cornes deceased
and ordered to record. Whereupon the same together
with this Certificate hath been duly admitted & recorded
in my office

John S. McFarland Clk
By Miss McFarland D.C.

Kentucky Davis County Court
June Term 1867

The book containing the foregoing
will having been destroyed, it is ordered that
the same be re-recorded

Witness my hand this 11th June 1867
J. C. Jones Clk