

estate until each child herein named has received that sum  
Item 3<sup>rd</sup> It is my will & desire that James N. Reed and Samuel D. Reed each of whom have received nothing shall receive from my estate four hundred dollars viz James four hundred dollars & Samuel four hundred dollars

Item 4<sup>th</sup> It is my will & desire that Susan D. Woods shall receive from my estate two hundred & fifty dollars having already received One hundred & fifty dollars

Item 5<sup>th</sup> Should any estate remain after distribution as above & before directed it is my will & desire that each child child shall have an equal part of such remainder so as to make each child equal

Item 6<sup>th</sup> It is my will & desire that Alfred B. Reed & Hugh Ullen shall sell what estate I leave, real personal & mixed and distribute the proceeds in conformity with the foregoing items

Given under my hand this the date just above written  
Witness Thomas P. Rodgers & Andrew B. Reed  
I do H. Sanders

State of Kentucky Is  
Franklin County Court Aug 6<sup>th</sup> 1864

A writing purporting to be the last will & testament of Andrew B. Reed dec<sup>d</sup> was produced in Court & was proved by the oaths of Thomas P. Rodgers & H. Sanders, witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. Whereupon said will is truly recorded in my office  
A. H. Rannick cfo

Mullen

I, John Mullen of Franklin County Kentucky do make this my will and testament, revoking all wills by me heretofore made

- 1 I desire that all my just debts be promptly paid
- 2 I give and bequeath to Bridget M. Gowen my cousin five hundred dollars to be paid to her by my Executors as soon after my death as is convenient
- 3 I devise to my mother Mary Mullen all the rest and residue of my property and estate of every description for and during her natural life
- 4 After the death of my mother it is my desire that my executors shall take possession of said estate so devoted to her for her lifetime and that they have my farm cultivated using my slaves thereon and that they make said estate as profitable as possible up to the time that the youngest of my nephews & nieces viz the children

of my sisters Mary Ann Cane & Lucy Lillis arrives at the age of twenty one years. My executors are directed to pay over to such of the children of my two said sisters as they think proper such part of the profits arising from my estate after my mother's death as they shall have in their hands charging each of them with what they receive. When the youngest of said children of my sisters arrive at 21 years of age my Executors shall sell all my said estate (Should my mother be then dead) and when the proceeds thereof have been collected my Executors are directed to make division thereof between all of said children equally charging therewith those who have received any of said profits the object being to make them all equal

I do hereby appoint my friends Wm Knight and J. P. Williams my Executors and they will carry this will into effect. I desire that they nor either of them shall not be required to give security as executors in the Franklin County Court

In Witness whereof I have set my hand this 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 1863  
John Mullen  
R. C. Steele  
H. Rodman  
H. Rodman

State of Kentucky  
Franklin County Court March 1<sup>st</sup> 1865

A writing purporting to be the last will & testament of John Mullen dec<sup>d</sup> was produced in Court & was proved by the oaths of R. C. Steele & Hugh Rodman two of the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. Whereupon the same is truly recorded in my office  
A. H. Rannick cfo

Prayer

In the name of God amen, I make and ordain the following as my last will & testament in manner and form following to wit

- Item 1 I wish my sons Abram Cook and Joseph Cook & Joshua Cook and my little grand-son Wm Price Hood to have one of my beds each
- Item 2 I bequeath to my little grand-son Wm P. Hood my little neg<sup>r</sup> my chest
- Item 3 I wish the balance of my negroes equally divided between my sons Joshua Cook Abram Cook and Joseph Cook
- Item 4 I bequeath to Susan Cook my son's