

at such time as he may deem most proper,
but at farthest for them not exceed fifteen
years of age which is not to be charged to them
in discount of any part of their legacies to-
gether with and for my said son Joseph of
equal value to that now claimed by himself
when he arrives to the age of twenty one
years lastly appoint said son John Thornton
my Executor to this my last Will and Testam-
ent declaring all other Wills by me made
void in Witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand this 28th Day of February 1814

Attest

Myriah Doby
Mary Ford
marks

John Thornton
marks

Carroll County, Va.

April County Court 1814

Sheweth certified that this last Will and Testam-
ent of John Thornton Decd was produced in
the court aforesaid and proved by the
Oaths of Myriah Doby Mary Ford and
Ordered to be recorded and the same is truly
admitted to record

Test

Benj. Litcher Clk. &c.

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I Henry Pauling of the County of Harrison
and state of Kentucky not being in a perfect
state of health but sound in mind and of good
memory do make and Ordain this my last
Will and Testament in manner and form
following to-wit: Now it is my will and
desire that my body be buried in a Christian
like manner my funeral charges and all
my just debts paid Now 2nd Now unto
my wife Elizabeth Pauling during her natural
life the land and plantation formerly in the
Occupancy of Thomas Buford adjoining
Westly of the River of Lancaster together with
all the timbered land adjoining said plan-
tation lying South of the same as far as such
in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
this 15th day of March 1814
ly in no part than the fence said now stands
reserving to my said wife the free use of Water
from the Big Spring on my other land I also
leave unto my said wife Elizabeth during
her natural life the following Neg^r slave
(female) named Lucy and at her death
to be disposed of as herein after mentioned

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New Slave and give unto Eleanor
Watkins twenty acres of land during her
natural life to include the place and spring
where Thomas Hatchel now resides.

New 5th I give and bequeath to Polly W. the
sum of ^{£100} of ^{the} bounty and estate of aforesaid all the
the residue of my estate both real and person-
al and at the death of my said wife Elizabeth
I give and bequeath to the said Polly the land
and slave ^{Elizabeth} before mentioned and I give
to my wife, to her and her heirs forever with the
following exceptions in case the said Polly
Watkins should depart this life without being law-
fully married it is then my desire that the whole
of my estate as heretofore bequeathed to the said
Polly Watkins shall be given or appropriated
for the relief and education of poor children
my will and desire is that my personal estate
be sold and the money arising therefrom be
put at interest & until the within named Polly
Watkins shall arrive at lawful age or get married
and that then the said Polly receive the said
sum or sum of money with the interest &

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things due, provided the said Polly Watkins should
should depart this life before she arrives of lawful age
or gets married, & then my desire that said money
should be applied for the purpose of educating poor
children, it is my will that my lands and plan-
tations except where Thomas Buford formerly
lived and where Thomas Hatchel now lives shall
be leased out not exceeding the minority of said
Polly Watkins taking care to have the plantations
kept in as good repair as circumstances will
admit of and the money arising therefrom to be
applied towards educating and maintaining
said Polly Watkins and the surplus if any to be
paid to said Polly Watkins when she arrives of
lawful age or gets married in case however
said Polly Watkins shall depart this life before
she arrives of lawful age or gets married it is
then my desire that my estate shall be disposed
of as above mentioned having the land and places
then I named to Eleanor Watkins her mother
where Thomas Hatchel now lives is to return to
said Polly Watkins and her heirs forever that is
after her mother's death New 5th and last

I constitute my friend John Bayle and James
 Champman & Anne. W. Ke of Garrard County
 & State aforesaid Executors to this my last
 Will and Testament hereby revoking all Wills
 heretofore by me made Witnes whereof I have
 hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal
 this 9th Day of March. Eighteen hundred
 and twelve

Hen. Pauling

Witnes

John Alderson
 Joshua Jacoby
 Jas. L. Pauling
 Noah Brannon
 Benjamin Alderson
 Wm. Dunn
 Wm. Sampson
 James Johnson
 A. Jennings

An amendment to my last Will and
 Testament Signed. It is my Will and desire
 that in admitting the above named Polly
 Matkins die or Depart this life before she arrives
 at

of lawful age or gets married then it is my wish
 and desire that my estate ^{be disposed} of as mentioned in the
 above Will, that is, It is my request that the County
 Court of Garrard and Commonwealth aforesaid
 shall make it their duty to call ~~on~~ my execu-
 tors to an account annually and see what
 amount of money and Interest they have in
 their hands belonging to the estate of Henry Paul-
 ling and how they have disposed of the same
 and it is to be understood that if the abovesaid
 Polly Matkins should die or depart this life before
 she arrives of lawful age or gets married then it is
 my desire that my estate be disposed of as form-
 ally mentioned with this condition that is
 It is ~~only~~ to be disposed only for the education
 and relief of the poor children of Garrard
 County and the County Court of Garrard is
 hereby requested to take particular Notice, that
 if, suppose said heir should die or depart this
 life before she arrives of lawful age or gets
 married then it is the duty of said County Court
 to see how and where and to what such
 money were applied. Witness

I constitute my friend John Boyle and James
 Thompson & Amos W. Lee of Garrard County
 & State at Large Executors to this my last
 Will and Testament hereby revoking all Wills
 heretofore by me made Witnes whereof I have
 hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal
 this 9th Day of March Eighteen hundred
 and twelve

Geo. Pauling

- Witnes
- J. Alderson
 - Joshua Jacoby
 - Amos W. Lee
 - Noah Brannon
 - Benjamin Alderson
 - Wm. Dunn
 - Wm. Sampson
 - James Johnson
 - A. Jennings

An amendment to my last Will and
 Testament (Said). It is my Will and desire
 that in admitting the above named Polly
 Watkins die or Depart this life before she arrives
 of

of lawful age or gets married then it is my wish
 and desire that my estate ^{be disposed} of as mentioned in the
 above Will, that is, it is my request that the County
 Court of Garrard and Commonwealth aforesaid
 shall make it their duty to call ~~on~~ my execu-
 tors to an account annually and see what
 amount of money and interest they have in
 their hands belonging to the estate of Harry Paul-
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 and it is to be understood that if the above named
 Polly Watkins should die or depart this life before
 she arrives of lawful age or gets married then it is
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 it is ~~only~~ to be disposed only for the education
 and relief of the poor children of Garrard
 County and the County Court of Garrard is
 hereby requested to take particular Notice, that
 if, suppose said heir should die or depart this
 life before she arrives of lawful age or gets
 married then it is the duty of said County Court
 to see how and where and to whom such
 money were applied Witnes whereof I have

hereto set my hand and affixed my
seal this Nineteenth Day of March in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and twelve

Hen. Pauling

Witness

J. Alderson

J. Lusk

Benjamin Alderson

A. Jennings

Carara Campbell

Spice Bunchy Case 1814

Sheweth that this last Will and Testa-
ment of Henry Pauling Decd was produced
at the court of record and proved by the
Oath of William Sampson Sam Johnson
and William Dunn and ordered to be
recorded, and the codicil thereto was
produced at the same time and proved
by the Oath of John Alderson and Au-
gustine Jennings and ordered to be
recorded and the same are truly and
truly admitted to record

Benjamin Litchell

Return of the Price of the negroes and rent
belonging to the legacies of Jesse Garch (Decr^d) for
the following years made by the executor this 15th
Day of November 1807

P. B.

For the year 1805

Plot belonging to Mary hired to Isaac W. Cammack	30
Race belonging to Lucinda hired to John Hyatt	50-50
Chloe belonging to Martha hired to Cashy Scott	15
Plot belonging to Susanna hired to John Bryant	7
Plot belonging to Susanna rent this year	15
Amount	\$ 97-50

For the year 1806

Plot belonging to Mary hired to William Cusley	30
Race belonging to Lucinda hired to John Hyatt	50-50
Chloe belonging to Martha hired to Stephen Brown	35-50
Plot belonging to Susanna hired to William Atkins	6
The old place belonging to Susanna rent this year	12
Amount	\$ 103

For the year 1807

Plot belonging to Mary hired to Thomas Clark	30
Race belonging to Lucinda hired to John Hyatt	15
Chloe belonging to Martha hired to Wenden	30
Plot belonging to Susanna hired to Henry Brown	6
The old place belonging to Susanna rent this year	12
Amount	\$ 85

Henry Cusley
John Bryant
Spence Cusley } Executors