

held by them as Trustees for the sole use and benefit of her the said Martha Isabella Hopkins - But my said Executors in their discretion with the consent & approbation of the said Martha Isabella Hopkins may sell and dispose of the said Negro boy Anthony, and invest the proceeds of the sale in other property such as they may deem best for the interest of my said grand daughter Martha Isabella Hopkins, which property when so purchased, I wish my Executors to convey & secure to the said Martha Isabella Hopkins for her sole use & benefit during her life, with remainder in fee simple, to the heirs of her body. But in the event of her dying without issue, to descend to my grand daughter & to their heirs generally forever - Thirdly I hereby emancipate my negro woman Betia, and bequeath to her, during her life the house & lot which she now occupies, that is to say, about 35 feet of ground in the town of Henderson, being part of lot No 95 & conveyed to me by Mr. H. Ingram & George Atkinson by deeds of record in the Henderson County Court: and at her death I devise the same to my grand daughter Martha Isabella Hopkins in like manner as before mentioned. - Fourthly I also give and bequeath unto my said grand daughter Martha Isabella Hopkins my bed and all my house hold furniture - Fifthly - I give and bequeath unto my Executors, in Trust for Caroline B. Burdow my negro man Sam, for her sole use and benefit during the term of her natural life, and never to be sold or disposed of in any manner, but at her death to vest in her children forever. Should she die without issue, then, and in such event, I bequeath my said Negro Sam to my other grand daughters and to their heirs generally forever. Sixthly - I have given to my grand daughter Elizabeth B. Burdow or to a Trustee for her benefit a negro woman named Rosanna and her increase. It is my will and desire, that should any of my legacies or devisees, attempt in any manner to claim or interfere with the said gift by asserting claim to the said Negro woman, he or she so doing, shall for ever lose all the bequests, devisees and legacies herein devised or bequeathed to him or her. Seventhly - I hereby nominate and appoint Thomas Bowles Esq., Asa Abbott Esq., Thomas Bowles Jr and William D. Allison Executors of this my last Will and Testament - In Testimony whereof I hath ariue I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, done in the town of Henderson Kentucky on the 8th day of December 1842.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged
in presence of - & published -

Witnesses
J. C. Allison
Henry Delano
Ira. Delano

State of Kentucky, 3^d April County Court 1843
Henderson County

This last Will and Testament of Catharine Perre dec^d was produced in Court, and proved in open Court according to law, by the oaths of Young & Allison and Henry Delano subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Attest Will D. Allison clk

(See Order Book 2 page 21)

D. M. Clure
Will

David M. Clure's Last Will and Testament - I do in ^{BOOK C PAGE 45} the first place bequeath my soul to god, and my body to the dust from whence it came. As it has been the will of god to call from me my wife and two infant children which is all I have left except Perry & my eldest, Nicholas P. and D. Jerome which is all the remaining heirs I have left to survive after me, as respecting my property, I wish in the first place, that all my just and lawful debts I should be paid, and then all the balance of my Estate Consisting of Horses, Cattle and Hogs and one House hold furniture, and diverse other articles to be equally divided between my three named heirs, the two negro Boys Gabriel and James I have previous to my aucton sale sold and conveyed them to my two sons Perry & D. Jerome M. Clure, I wish my three sons to attend and in Collecting and getting together all my property, And this Willing that Mr. Powell should be my executor to aid the Boys in disposing of, and settling my Estate - In Testimony whereof I do hereunto set my hand and seal this the 2^d day of May 1843

2^d James M. Powell
M. M. Powell

David M. Clure

State of Kentucky, 3^d July County Court 1843
Henderson County

This last Will and Testament of David M. Clure dec^d was produced in Court, and proved in open Court according to law, by the oath of James M. Powell, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and who also proved the hand writing of M. Clure by M. Powell the other subscribing witnesses thereto, (said M. Clure being dead) And said Will was thereupon ordered to be recorded.
(See Order Book 2 page 134)

Attest Will D. Allison clk

Nancy Jerry
Will

In the Name of God Amen. I Nancy Jerry of the town and County of Henderson, in the State of Kentucky, being weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind and memory, taking into Consideration the uncertainty of human life, and the certainty of death, do make, publish and declare my last will and Testament in manner and form following That is to say - My will and desire is that all my just debts be first paid I give unto my son Nathaniel D. Jerry my home and lot in the town of Henderson upon which I now reside, until my grand son Robert D. Burbanks arrives at the age of twenty one years, and in Consideration of the use and occupation of the said House and lot, it is my will and desire, that he my said son Nathaniel support my niece Isabella freed until she marries and that she shall have a home with him -

I give and bequeath unto James H. Hicks in Trust for the sole use and benefit of my niece Isabella freed One Negro girl slave named Matilda, One Horse and Saddle, One of my best beds and a full set of furniture - I give and bequeath to my grand daughter Sarah H. Glap One negro girl slave named Mary to her and her heirs forever. I give and bequeath to my grand son Robert H. Glap, One negro boy slave named John (son of Rachel) I give and devise to my grand son Robert D. Burbanks who