

I Henry Massie of the County of Jefferson and State of Kentucky
do hereby make and ordain this my last will and testament.
First. I devise to my wife Helen Massie the farm on which I
reside with all the buildings and appurtenances thereto be-
longing, together the household and kitchen furniture and like
with all the stock of every description on said farm at the time
of my decease. I also devise to her all my slaves of every description
and their increase together with all moneys on hand and debts
due me in the State of Kentucky at the time of my decease,
Also all my stock in the Shelbyville and Louisville Turnpike
Road. Also three thousand dollars and the security for the same
owing to me, but payable some years hence by the Corporation of
Richmond in the State of Ohio. To hold the aforesaid farm of four
hundred and thirty four acres together with all the other
property consisting of slaves &c herein before mentioned to her
my said wife and her heirs forever in fee simple, it being my
intention to leave all my property of every description, which
I may leave at the time of my death in the State of Kentucky
to my wife and that none of it shall be subject to my debts.
Secondly. I devise to my wife all the rest and residue of my
estate, real personal and mixed in the State of Ohio and
to be by her disposed of as follows I wit: Out of the
proceeds thereof my debt owing to the U S Branch Bank at
Shelbyville and all other debts which I may owe to be first
paid, if so much remains after payment of my debts, fourteen

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Road, Also three thousand dollars and the security for the same
owing to me, but payable some years hence by the Corporation of
Cynthiana in the State of Ohio. To hold the aforesaid farms of four
hundred and thirty four acres together with all the other
property consisting of slaves &c herein before mentioned to her
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intention to leave all my property of every description, which
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elsewhere to be by her disposed of as follows To wit: Out of the
proceeds thereof my debt owing to the U S Branch Bank at
Cynthiana and all other debts which I may owe to be first
paid, if so much remains after payment of my debts, fourteen
hundred dollars to be by my wife loaned out and the interest
annually paid to my brother Thomas Massie during his natural
life for his support and maintenance and at his death
the principal to be paid to my said brother Thomas Massie

and his heirs absolutely. I do hereby pay out of my debt and the
fourteen hundred dollars aforesaid, if the whole amount of the pro-
ceeds of my lands devised to be sold for the purpose of discharging
my debt and legacies, the sum of three thousand dollars shall
be paid over to my niece Constance Mason and the same amount
to my niece Elizabeth Thompson and the remainders of such
proceeds to be equally divided between my nephew Nathaniel Jones
Miller of the Town of Louisville, my nephew Nathaniel Mason
of Ohio, son of my dear brother Nathaniel, Henry Bullitt son of
Quincy Bullitt and Alexander G. Bullitt son of William
C. Bullitt; but if the residue to be divided between the last four
mentioned legatees, should exceed the sum of three thousand
dollars to each, then such excess shall be equally divided between
them and Constance Mason, Elizabeth Thompson and my niece
Fanny Hawes. All the foregoing legacies and devises (except that of
my brother Thomas) contained in this second clause of my will,
may be paid over by my wife to all or any of my legatees in money
or in the property left by me at her option. And if paid in property
the valuation to be affixed by her. And in either case my wife shall
not be bound to pay a legacy until security is given her to refund
the same, if it should afterwards become necessary for payment
of debts, each legatee being bound to refund the whole legacy, if
a debt to that amount should appear against my estate.
I do hereby. It is my intention to vest in my wife an absolute fee simple
title in my whole real estate so as to enable her to perfect the
titles by procuring patents or doing any other acts which I could

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title in my whole real estate so as to enable her to perfect the
titles by procuring patents or doing any other acts which I could
myself do. It is clearly understood that the property de-
scribed to my wife is not to be subject to the payment of any of
my debts, that my wife shall employ the necessary agents for
selling and disposing of my Ohio property and all expenses
arising out of the management of my estate shall be defrayed
out of my Ohio lands or the proceeds thereof. And she may
appoint agents with full power to sell and convey by general
warranty or other description of deed any or all the property
in Ohio or elsewhere, subject to payment of my debts legat-
ary. Fourthly. I appoint my wife sole Executrix of this my will
and request that no security shall be required of her, nor
shall any accounts be required to be kept by her, nor rendered
to the Court, nor any of the legatees. Signed, Sealed, published
as my last will and testament. This sixth day of February
eighteen hundred and thirty

Test W. C. Galt
A. Bullitt
Edw. Johnson

St. Massie

Commenced in Kentucky. At a County Court held for

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M. Massie

Commonwealth of Kentucky. At a County Court held for
Jefferson County at the Court house in the City of Louisville
on the first day of March One thousand eight hundred
and thirty. Within and foregoing last will and tes-
tament of M. Massie deceased of this County
duces in proof and approved by the Court that
and that Bullitt Clerk of the Court.

last will and testament of the said John Wheeler and is
to be recorded and on the motion of Christiana Wheeler widow
the said John Wheeler died who made oath according to law
administration of the estate of the said Wheeler with the will
now is granted her. Whereupon she gave bond in the penalty of
four thousand dollars with Richard Applegate her security con-
firmed according to law. Whereupon said will is truly recorded
my Office as Clerk of said Court Test
Horden Pope Clerk

In the name of God Amen. I James Erickson of the County
of Jefferson and State of Kentucky do make, constitute and
this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former
by me heretofore made.
I give and bequeath to my son James Erickson
two negroes which I have long since put him in possession
to wit: Ester and Ned, them and their future increase to
and his heirs forever.
I give to my son Peregrine Erickson the two negroes
he now has in his possession, by name Parrott and William
also a negro boy named Abraham, together with their future
increase to him and his heirs forever.
I give to my daughter Rebecca Stewart three negroes by
name of Mary, Sarah and William with their future increase to her

and then upon the same was established to be the last will and testament of said Maessie and ordered to be recorded.
And on the motion of William Maessie executrix named in the last will and testament of the said Maessie, who made oath according to law, execution of the said will is granted her without giving security, the same having been directed in and by said will.

Test
Warden Pope Clk

I Give to my brother Stephen Ramsby all my estate both real and personal, knowing that he will make a proper use of it, requiring no security and making him my sole executor

April the 13th 1830

Test Coleman Rogers
E. F. Anderson
E. Crow

S. B. Ramsby

State of Kentucky

At a County Court held for Jefferson County at the Court house in the City of Louisville on the third day of May One thousand eight hundred and thirty.

The above and foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Peter B. Ramsby deceased was produced in Court and proved by the oaths of Coleman Rogers and Edward Crow subscribing witnesses thereto to

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April the third 1830

Geo Coleman Rogers
Geo H Anderson
Ed Crow

P B Normby

State of Kentucky

At a County Court held for Jefferson County
at the Court house in the City of Louisville on the third day of
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The above and foregoing instrument of writing purporting
to be the last will and testament of Peter B Normby deceased
was produced in Court and proved by the oaths of Coleman
Rogers and Edward Crow subscribing witnesses thereto to
be the last will and testament of the said Peter B Normby
and established as such by the said Court and ordered to be
recorded and is recorded

And on the motion of Stephen Normby the
executor named in the said will, who made oath according
to law, execution of said will was granted him without
giving security it being so ordered by the said will

Geo

Warden Pope clk