

94 Sepamone County 20th May Court 1820
The foregoing writing was this day
produced in court and proven by the oaths of
John Perry and Elijah Bells to be the last
will and testament of George Proctor, Decd and
was thereupon ordered to be recorded

Attest Daniel Price Clerk
Do it Remembred that I John Gordon of
Sepamone County & State of Kentucky being of
sound & perfect mind but weak of body and
considering the uncertainty of human events and
desiring to dispose of what worldly goods and
all things that I possess do make this instrument
of writing last will and testament hereby revoking
all others heretofore by me made I presume &
desire that what property of whatever species
whether lands personal chattles or monies owing to
me to be equally divided between the children
of James Ewing my niece Boley Shanklin daughter
of my sister Grace Shanklin Decd & seven children
of my deceased Brother Thomas Gordon and my
Nephew Gordon Shanklin son of my said deceased
sister Grace Shanklin It is also my will that my
executor to be hereafter named so soon after my decease
as practicable shall proceed to the collection of all
debts that may be owing me and so soon as
any of the children that may become of age or
marry shall receive their portion & those that
may be of age or married shall receive
their portion so soon as the whole shall
have been collected that is owing me and
in case any who are now of age or have
married shall be dead or die before there can
be a distribution their portions shall go to the
legal representatives & if they have none to be
divided among said Ewing's children my Brothers
children & my nephews and niece above named
that may be alive & in case any of the legal
above named should die before they become of

95 age or marry their portions are to be divided between
the Survivors equally I now having disposed of my
worldly affairs I commend my spirit to God who
gave it & lastly I appoint my friend James Ewing
Executor of this my last will & testament who I
desire to deliver unto my nephew Thomas Shanklin
his note for fifty dollars which I hold which is to be
in full of all claims that he may have as one of my
my legates having a number of relations to I
give & desire that none of them excepting those
named by James Ewing's children my niece Eliza
to Shanklin my nephew Gordon Shanklin my brother
Charles shall enjoy any portion of my estate
I Testimony whereof I have set my hand & seal
& subscribed my name this 29th day of April 1820
signed sealed and acknowledged in presence of
John Gordon

Attest
Young
Mark
Sepamone County 20th May Court 1820
The foregoing writing was this day
produced in court by James Ewing the executor
therein named and proven by the oaths of M. Bruce
and Young two of the subscribing witnesses
hereto to be the last will and testament of
John Gordon Decd whereupon the same was
ordered to be recorded

Attest Daniel Price Clerk
Lexington May 8th 1818
We the undersigned Commissioners appointed by
order of the Sepamone County Court at their
November Term 1817 to examine the accounts of
J. L. Martin Treasurer & Executor of James Ewing
Decd. Report that the accounts appear to have been
examined and settled by the Court with the said
J. L. Martin upto and December 1817 & that the vouchers
produced correspond with the subsequent charges
amounting to Fifty Seven Dollars leaving a balance
and the State of Ten cents Signed Respectfully
John J. Bacon,
Robert S. Barr,
Joseph Fowler

Seppamine County Feb May Court 1820
 The foregoing Settlement with
 John L. Martin surviving executor of Henry
 Gabriel ~~Martin~~ dec. was this day read
 in court examined & ordered to record

At the Court House etc
 In the name of god Amen I Henry King of
 Seppamine County being in Health and sound
 mind and memory But considering the uncertainty
 of this Transitory life to make public & declare my
 my last Will and Testament in manner and
 form following (to wit) First I desire that all my
 just debts be paid but of any property that can be
 best spared out of what I leave which must be
 necessary with my Executors hereafter mentioned
 secondly as I have given and Expended on my three
 eldest Sons William Henry and Perry at least
 \$1000 Each it is my will and desire that they
 or either of them Receive no more of my Estate
 until the whole Remainder of my Children that
 I now have on my hands Receive a like sum Independ
 and learn and English Education it is my desire
 that my son James should study Physick and
 surgery but that all Expence attending the same
 except a common English Education such as his
 eldest brother he taken out of his dividend of
 my estate as I have but two Daughters I give and
 bequeath to them as follows which bequest is not
 to have them from of full share as of final adjustment
 out as I mean it special and not to be counted as
 part of my Estate that is to say I give & bequeath
 to my Daughter Catharine one Negro girl, Violet
 Charlotte Harriet also another of Violet's Children a
 girl called Sally I give and bequeath to my daughter
 Julian to them and their Legal Representatives
 James It is further my will and desire that all
 my property after paying my just debts should
 be kept together and the profits thereof so far as
 necessary to be applied to the support of my
 wife and Minor Children for education &c But it
 is also my desire whenever any of my Children arrives
 at full age many (except the three eldest as before

mentioned) they may have a part of their probable
 dividend of my Estate not to impair the same
 The foregoing is by no means to prevent my wife
 from her Right of Dower at any time she may
 may think proper to demand it It is further my
 will and desire that all my surviving Children at
 my death except Wm Henry & Perry have an Equal
 Share of my Estate as to the amt. of \$1000 Each if there
 should Remain a Surplus it is my desire that Wm
 Henry & Perry should have a just proportion of said
 Surplus with my other Children if I should not
 dispose of my Wholly Land before my decease it is
 my desire that my son William dispose of the same
 the best advantage he can and Reserve to himself the
 Costs attending the sale and also one hundred and
 eighty Dollars the Balance he must give in for satis
 faction Lastly I nominate and appoint my dear
 beloved wife Executrix and my brothers Stephen
 King with my son Alexr King Executors of this
 my last will & Testament In Witness whereof I have
 hereunto set my hand & seal this fourth day of March
 1817 Signed sealed and
 acknowledged in presence of us
 James Burk } Seppamine County Feb May Court 1820
 Sally Burk }
 John Burk } The foregoing last will and
 Testament of Henry King dec. was
 this day produced in Court and proven by the oaths
 of James Burk and Sally Burk to have been pub
 lish and declared by the said King to be his last
 will & Testament whereupon the same was ordered
 to be entered of record

Teste
 Daniel ~~King~~ Clerk