

I George Proctor of Tappan County and State of Kentucky being in a low State of health but of sound mind and memory do make and confirm this to be my last Will and Testament. To wit

That my just debts and funeral expenses be paid by my Executors As my wife Elizabeth Proctor is at present not in good health I deem it impossible for her to manage my negroes and farm with advantage for her self My estate as north east and Campfort do herse. I therefore order that she have the foundation of which I have begun be finished and other necessary buildings be put up near there for her residence so long as her health permits or she may incline to do a parcel of ground must be attached to the said buildings judged sufficient for her to have large by my said wife and my Executors for good and garden house that my wife retain out of my goods and chattels what she may judge to be sufficient for her to keep house with I order that the remainder of my goods and chattels be sold my negroes hired to my farm rented out in the way which may be judged best by my Executors and the proceeds are to be appropriated for the decent and comfortable subsistence for my said wife and Children I recommend to my Executors to have a strict regard to economy and propriety if any thing remains of those proceeds after the yearly expediture I order that it be expended in the way judged to be most productive by my Executors if there should in any year be a deficiency I leave them to supply it in the way judged best by them I order that my sons at proper ages be put heaven decent and profitable houses which I allow my executors to select unless it should be observed by them that some other course would be more to their advantage and more suitable to their inclination I order that my children have as good education as the proceeds of my estate will afford I can neither order nor recommend any thing more on this subject but that my executors stand the course of their education and attend to it with the same feeling and promptitude that they would have others to exercise towards if they think fit may sell my negroman Tidy but should they sell him the money arising from the sale

must be laid out in the purchase of another negroman my Executors may if they think it best (and also having the agent of my said wife sell my farm in the best market which can be known to them and lay the money out arising therefrom in the purchase of good negro boys to be laid out and the proceeds used as if provided in the case of my other negroes but the desire allowed in the two last cases not to be exercised by any but the Executors herein expressly named It is here provided that if contrary to my expectation my wife should be again married that unless her husband shall relinquish by deed acknowledged and entered of record his right to charge any of my Children for boarding washing to dressing schooling & schooling & otherwise other than in case of such failure or refusal my children are to be provided for by my Executors in the way which they may judge best not contrary to the foregoing and touching them I order that when my children are arrived at the age of twenty one years they do put in possession of their equal part of two thirds of my estate of one third thereof be sufficient for the maintenance of my wife but if should not be sufficient and unequal provision must be left for her and the remaining part be the dividend among my said children I order that my executors establish at the august court in each year an account of of their receipts and expenditures made under this will I order that my children Columbus Washington Montgomery & Mich in the final distribution of my estate have equal portions I hereby appoint Thomas Proctor John Perry and Elijah Bell Executors of this my last Will and Testament In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand & seal the 24 day of February 1820

Teste John Perry
James L Dunmire
Elijah Bell

George M. Proctor

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 The foregoing Writing was this day
 produced in court and proven by the oaths of
 John Perry and Elijah Bibb to be the last
 will and testament of George Proctor, Decd and
 was thereupon ordered to be recorded

Attest Daniel Bruce Clerk
 Do it Remembered that I John Gordon of
 Sepamino County & State of Kentucky being of
 full sound & perfect mind but weak of body and
 ch² Considering the uncertainty of human events and
 desiring to dispose of what worldly goods and
 all things that I possess so make this instrument
 of writing last will and testament hereby revoking
 all others heretofore by me made I promise &
 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 Betsy 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 Ewings children my Brothers
 children & my nephews and nieces whose names
 that may be alive & in case any of the legal
 above named should die before they become of

75 age or marry their portions are to be divided between
 the Survivors only 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
 civil & desire that none of them excepting those
 named by James Ewings children my niece Eliza
 & Shanklin my nephews Gordon Shanklin my sister
 & children shall enjoy any portion of my estate
 & Testimony whereof I have set my hand & seal
 & subscribed my name this 29th day of April 1820
 Signed sealed and John Gordon
 acknowledged in presence of
 E. Bruce
 J. Young
 J. Mark
 J. Jeffers

Sepamino County Set 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 J. 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 Bruce Clerk
 Lexington May 8th 1818
 We the undersigned Commissioners appointed by an
 order of the Sepamino County Court at their
 November Term 1817 to examine the accounts of
 J. L. Martin Pursuing Executor of Gabriel Harrison
 Decd. Report that the accounts appear to have been
 examined and settled by the heirs with the said
 J. L. Martin upto 20th December 1817 & that the balance
 produced correspond with the subsequent charges
 amounting to Fifty Seven Dollars leaving a balance
 due the Estate of Ten cents Signed Deputies
 Adam J. Baskin
 Robert J. Barr