

In the name of God Amen I Jacob
Myers of the county of Lincoln being in good health
of sound and disposing Memory do make and
ordain this my last will and testament (to wit)
it is my will and desire that all my Just debts
should be paid out of my estate by ^{my} executors
herein after named and the residue thereof
I dispose of in the following manner first I
desire that so much of my land to be sold near
Buttles lick as will purchase two good negro men
for Lewis Myers they are to be his property he oblig-
ing himself to give my brother Christian a
descent Maintenance during life also my four
Islands above the Mouth of Green River and
then to have an equal share with all the rest of
all my Brothers Children as I shall hereafter
mention after all my Just debts are paid all
my lands are to be equally divided among
all my Brothers Children Volentine Peter &
Jacob Myers all their all their Children to have
equal shares only Jacob Myers Daughter Reb-
ekah is to have nothing out of my estate
of the Marie Burke Hughes & others says to have
equal shares with the rest of my Brothers Children

It is understood that if Lewis Myers shall fail
Maintaining said Christian in a decent manner
the negroes are to be sold out for said Christians
use After his death to be the property of said Lewis
I empower Lewis Myers James Thompson both of Lincol-
n county State of Kentucky and David Thacker son
of David Thacker of Frederick county Maryland
my executors to this my last will and testament
and do empower my said executors to cause
proper deeds of conveyance to be made to several persons for
whom I have cleared out lands in the
other who can produce a just claim to any land
that may be surveyed & patented in my name &
also those to whom I have given my obligation
for the conveyance of any particular tracts of
land the several tracts of land and other signs
herein before bequeathed are given to the several
by laws and then hereafter In witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and seal this
first day of October 1798 Jacob Myers (Jat)
Signed sealed published & declared
by the said Jacob Myers to be his last
will testament in presence of us
John Rose
Enoch Binsell
Margaret Ellison

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State of Kentucky Lincoln County et

at a County

Court held for Lincoln County on the 8th day
of November 1802 The last will and testament
of Sarah Myers was exhibited in court and proved
by the within named Enock Birdsell & Margaret
Ellison and ordered to be recorded Witness Thomas
Montgomery Clerk of the Lincoln County Court
Thomas Montgomery

We the Subscribers being appointed by the
County Court of Lincoln to settle the account
of Nathaniel Hart deceased Administrator of the estate
of Nathaniel Hart deceased and having this day
met and examined the Accounts and Corresponding
Vouchers produced to us by the Executor do report as
follows As the Order under which we are directed
to act gave us no specific object for our guide
we took the whole of his accounts into view
and arranged them under different heads first
the debt due against the Estate amounting
to \$427.3.1 Secondly Bequest Legacies
amounting to \$390 Thirdly monies paid
for support of the children including

Boarding Physicians accounts and expenses
for negroes amounting to \$465.10.1/2 fourthly
expenses attending the surveying and securing the
lands Also the fees attending the investigating
of the Claims in prosecuting Suits and defending
others together with the Taxes due thereon Amounting
to \$622.4.1/2 fifthly the expenses charged by
the said Nathaniel Hart as monies paid by him
in settling the business of the estate Generally
amounting to \$96.16.3 Sixthly a sum of monies
paid Geard Bryan for the possession of a tract
of land to the estate of but under peculiar
Circumstances and Recording the same \$60.12.1/2
And lastly Bonds introduced which had been
previously charged to him amounting to \$80.10.4
Amounting in the whole \$2142.17.0.3/4 -

The said Executor accounted to us for monies received
for debts here of estate Sales of land & personal
estate sold to the amount of \$2445.18.3.1/2 leaving a
balance due in his hands of \$303.1.24.
In the presenting of this business we thought it right
to make the arrangement beforementioned first because it
exhibits to the Court a General over view of the account
under different heads so that if it should be adjudged
that either of the heads we have arranged it under
should be improper it may be corrected without interfering
with others Secondly it did not to us that any