

My last will and testament to be recorded and the same shall truly be recorded in my office

Teste Amos Allen deceased etc.

In the name of god Amen Amos Allen of Logan County and State of Kentucky Being of sound mind and disposing memory do make this my last will and testament in form following To wit After my funeral charges and just debts are paid I give to my lawful and lawfull wife Elizabeth Allen during her natural life or widowhood the four negro slaves known by the following names, to wit, anthery and gro man and Mary and Leah two negro women and also named Hubbard together with all my Buildings and household furniture and working tools and also all my Stock of Horses Cattle and hogs likewise some half of all my cleared land and farming when on Snow Hill and also some half of the unimproved Land except the one hundred Acres comprising the tract when on Snow Hill lying north of my settlement being part of tract of Land entered in the name of Mary Davis which last named Land I have sold to my son James Allen Give and bequeath to my son Beland Allen in addition to what I have already given him one of the first born living male children and also one of the first living female children that shall be

Born of either of the aforementioned negro women which I have bequeathed to my said wife I then leave to my son Benjamin Allen one negro Boy named Gilbert and the second female also that shall be born of either the last mentioned negro women I have to my wife and will and desire that my said son Benjamin to have the free use of said negroes during his natural life in addition to what I have already given him and after his death I will and desire that the said negro Boy Gilbert shall descend to William Allen the eldest son of said Benjamin likewise the female herein named and bequeathed to said Benjamin with her increase after his death be equally divided share and share alike Between the two daughters of said Benjamin to wit, Betsey Allen and Sarah Allen

I give and bequeath to my son James Allen one negro man named Harry and after the decease of my said wife I give to him said James Allen one negro Boy named Hubbard and also the tract of Land on which Snow Hill containing four hundred acres be the same more or less reserving as herein mentioned to my wife during her life time the aforementioned plantation with one

hundred acres of land and to enjoy the same
in peace.

Item I give and bequeath to John Keys
whosoever married to my daughter Charity
one Dollar in addition to what I have given
the children of said John and Charity
heretofore that is to say Mollie and Sarah
with their increase which I have for-
merly given by Deed of gift to their said
children and do hereby confirm the same.

Item I have in the possession of my
executors one negro Boy named Solomon
and a negro girl named Annemica for
the use and support of my daughter
Betsey Sale and her children the heirs
of her Body to be equally divided between
her said children I have and share alike
to be their lawful property forever after
the death of my said daughter Betsey Sale.

Item I give and Bequeath to my Daugh-
ter Drusilla one negro woman with her Increase named Becky
which said negro has heretofore been
loaned to my said Daughter Drusilla to
be hers during her natural life and after
her death to be equally divided between her
children the heirs of her Body.

Item I loan to my Daughter Minny

Allen one negro girl by the name of Abby
and a negro Boy by the name of Peter and
one cow and calf and a feather bed and furniture
during her natural life and after her
death to be equally divided share and share
alike among her children the heirs of her
Body and should she die without issue then
said property to be equally divided between
her Brothers and Sisters.

Item I loan to my Daughter Charity
one negro woman named Minny
and a negro girl named Sarah but said
Minny nor her increase is not to be in any
way vested in said Charity till after the death
of my said wife after which they and their
increase to be hers for life and after her
death to be equally divided share and share a
like between her children the heirs of her
Body also I give to my said daughter Charity
a cow and calf and a feather bed and furniture.

Item I will and ordain that at the death
of my said wife that the negroes loaned her
with their increase not her other lands
disposed of together with all my stock work
ing utensils not other real disposed of in
this my last will be sold and the money eq-
ually divided between my Sons and Daughters
here after named to wit Robert Allen James
Allen Benjamin Allen Becky said ~~Minny~~

William Allen and Charity Allen —
 Lastly I nominate and appoint my loving
 wife Elizabeth Allen Executrix and also
 my two sons to wit Roland Allen and John
 es Allen and my Brother Beverly A
 Allen Executors to this my last will
 testament I testify many whereof I
 have hereunto set my hand and seal
 this fifth day of March 1812

In presence of us Ruben Allen

Beverly Allen

James Mitchell

Henry Wells

at a County Court held for Logan County on
 Monday the 17th August the last will and
 Testament of Ruben Allen died was exhib-
 ited in Court and proven by the oath of
 James Mitchell and Henry Wells and ordered
 to be recorded and the same stands truly
 recorded in my office

Jose David Monhead C. C. C.

In the name of God Amen May the 2nd 1812
 I Eli Ely do make this my last will and
 Testament first I resign my soul to God
 who gave it and my Body to the Church
 from whence it was taken to be decently
 Buried according to the Directions of my

Executors My worldly property I leave in the
 following manner (Big) first I require my Execu-
 tors to pay all my Just Debts Secondly I give and
 bequeath to my well beloved wife Prudence
 half of my Land her choice and half of the
 income of my estate during her life I like-
 wise give her two negro Boys named Miran
 & Saml & two negro girls named Ann & Le and
 keep during her life I like wise give her
 all my stock of horses Cattle sheep and hogs
 and all my House hold furniture Except
 what is other wise devised in this my last
 will and Testament during her life I intend
 by give and Bequeath to my sons Edward
 & Elly half of my Land at my Decease and
 the whole thereof at my wife's Decease and
 one negro Boy named Clerk & W. who is only
 entitled to the two Hundred acres of Land
 now live and he is to have half of the in-
 come of that estate and at the Decease of his
 Mother is to have the whole of the estate and
 furniture Lastly I give to my Daughter
 Polly Phelps Ely one negro Boy named

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	Secondary ... at ...	\$ 115	62 1/2
	Archives ... and ...	549	87 1/2
	Part of ...	18	5 1/2
	The amount \$	684	54

Park and R.

307 In Obedience to an order of the County Court of
Lagan after being first sworn the commissioners do
proceed to appraise the Estate of James McNamee dec^d which
is as follows to wit.