

98 Executors of Ambrose Burton deceased have
settled the same & ^{present} the accounts as above
stated given under our hands this 27th day of June 1832

Clarke W. W. W. W.
Geo. C. Thompson
John S. Allen

Mercer County & August county court 1832

The foregoing report of the Commission to settle
of the account of Ambrose Burton deceased
and Ordered to be recorded

Attest
In the name of God amen I Benjamin & Volney
the county of Mercer & State of Kentucky being
of body but of a sound & disposing mind I
do make this my last will & Testament as follow
eth (viz) I recommend my soul to God & my body to
the earth to be buried in a decent manner at the
discretion of my Executors in hopes of a glorious
resurrection and eternal life through the merits
and mediation of our Lord Jesus Christ
the only and all sufficient Saviour and as to
the worldly possessions with which it hath pleased
God to bless me. It is my Will that in the first place
my funeral expenses and all the other debts I owe
be paid and I hereby empower my Executors
herein after named constituted & appointed
the survivors of them who shall qualify as such
in as ample a manner as I could do myself if I
in the first place I give and bequeath unto my
Dear and well beloved wife Sarah the tract of
Land wherein I now live together with that part
wherein my son Dudley now lives with all the
appertinances thereto belonging During my
natural life or so long as she shall remain

99 my widow together with one head and portion
ture her choice of all I have one milch cow
& calf her choice one horse or mare & her saddle
beast to be her choice one sow and four shoals
her choice also two ewes and lambs her choice
and one third part of all my Household and
kitchen furniture It is my Will that the
Land above named at the death of my wife
shall be sold and the money arising from
the sale shall be equally divided among my
seven children (viz) Dudley, Burrell, Joel, Thomas
Wells and my two daughters Lucy & Nancy all
and every other part of property that my wife
may dispose of as she may think fit to any one
or more of my Children above named
also my lands granted to me by patent lying in
Christian County in the State of Kentucky
it is my Will that that land be equally divided
according to quality & quantity Between
my five sons above named (viz) Dudley Burrell
Joel Thomas & Wells all the remaining part
of my property that is not above named shall
be sold and appropriated to the payment of
my debts together with all my bonds & accounts
and after paying my debts whatever my re-
main I leave to my wife for her to dispose
of as she may think fit and for the execu-
ting of this my last will I do by these presents
constitute and appoint John Allen, John
C. Thompson & my wife Sarah & Volney
as Executors to this my last will as witness my
hand and seal this seventh day of April Eighteen
hundred and twenty two. Benjamin & Volney

100 Mercer County 1st August County Court
 The foregoing Last will and Testament of
 Benjamin Boel Deceased was produced into
 Court and proven by the oaths of Henry P
 Florine Malcom Worley & David Worley three
 subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be
 Recorded
 Attest Thos. M. Allen

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In the name of God Amen I Robert Voorhes of
 Mercer County and State of Kentucky being just
 and full in body but of sound mind and mem-
 ory (for which blessing I desire to feel thankful
 to Almighty God) and knowing that it is ap-
 pointed unto men once to die, do make make
 ordain this my Last Will and Testament in
 manner and form following viz)

1st I desire that all my just debts be punc-
 tually & promptly paid
 and I give and bequeath to my beloved wife
 Rachel the one third of my plantation in-
 cluding my Dwelling house together with
 my live stock, farming utensils, household
 and Kitchen furniture, for her use and benefit
 during her natural life

3rd I give and devise unto my son John Voorhes my
 plantation where I now live with all my land
 connected with it, counting two hundred and
 sixty acres or be the same more or less with all
 its appurtenances for the sole use of him and
 his heirs forever after the death of my wife Ra-
 chel as aforesaid, and provided also, that my
 Daughter Theodorus have the use and benefit
 of the one fourth of the plantation for her
 support during the time only of her re-
 maining single or unmarried after the
 Death of me & my wife Rachel as aforesaid
 4th To my Daughter Theodorus I give the

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Sum of fifty Dollars in cash also one horse and
 saddle to be worth at least sixty Dollars two cows
 and calves worth ten Dollars each, six bushels of
 sharp shorn chest and one bed and furniture
 already named unto her

5th At the death of my wife Rachel I give to
 my son John the remainder of the household
 together with all my farming utensils - And I
 further desire (when the aforesaid event shall
 happen) that all the household and Kitchen fur-
 niture that may remain be equally divided
 between all my Daughters for the use and
 benefit of them and their heirs forever.

I do appoint my son John Voorhes and William
 Davenport Executors of this my last will and
 Testament hereby revoking and pronouncing
 all others null and void that may have been
 made by me heretofore. In testimony whereof
 I have hereunto set my hand and seal
 this 7th day of July 1820 Robert Voorhes
 Attest

Thos. M. Allen
 Robt M. Allen

Mercer County 1st August County Court 1822
 The foregoing Last will and Testament of Ro-
 bert Voorhes Deceased was produced into Court
 and proven by the oaths of Thos. M. Allen
 and Robt McKamy two subscribing witnesses
 thereto and ordered to be Recorded
 Attest Thos. M. Allen

Appraisement of the personal Estate
 of Robert Voorhes Deceased
 One hundred & twenty five hogs 250
 19 Sheep 95
 18 yearling Cattle & steers & heifers 85 30