

and Testament, In Testimony whereof I
have hereunto set my hand and seal 17th
day of June 1817 —

Witness

Courtney Dye

Thomas Howland x

Thomas Crawford Junr. x

Joseph Allin

Mercer County Jee. August County Court 1822

The foregoing last will & Testament of
Courtney Dye Dec. was this day produced
into Court & proven by the oaths of Thomas
Howland, & Thomas Crawford Junr., & ~~Joseph~~
~~Allin~~ ^{two} subscribing witnesses, &
& ordered to be recorded —

Attest Thomas Allin Clk.

Darnaby
Edu.
Wife

In the name of God Amen — I Edward
Darnaby the County of Mercer and Common-
wealth of Kentucky being of sound mind &
judgment, do hereby dispose of my property,
both real and personal in the following man-
ner, viz. I wish all my just debts and
liabilities paid: 2nd I bequeath unto my wife
Elizabeth Darnaby, One hundred and twenty
five acres of Land, on which I now live, be the
same more or less, with all its appurtenances,
also I give and bequeath unto my said wife
Elizabeth Darnaby, Eight negro my name

Cambridge, Richmond, Spring with her
five Children, Pepney (Saw. Wells, Burtis
and Louis also — I give and bequeath unto my
said wife Elizabeth Darnaby, as many of the
Stock of Horses, Cattle, Sheep & Pigs, of the
household & Kitchen Furniture and farming
utensils as she in her judgment may deem
necessary for her use & benefit during her
natural life — It is my will then that after
such reserve be made by my wife the said
Elizabeth Darnaby that the residue of said
property of them to any, be sold at twelve
months credit, & the monies arising therefrom
be equally divided among the legatee, herein
hereafter named. Item, I give and be-
queath unto my Daughter Lucy Thomas
five dollars; unto her four children, El-
ding, Mahala, Eliza, and Lucinda, three
negroes, viz. Tamar and her two youngest
Children, Malinda Phil, but provided
my daughter Lucy Thomas, should become a
Whore or be legally divorced from her husband
Joseph Thomas it is my will she shall
have the entire use & benefit of said neg-
roes, during her natural life or widowhood
and at her death, for the said negroes to
go to her four children above mentioned

Helming, Mahala, Eliza & Lucinda & them
 and their increase forever. Item, I give unto
 my daughter, Nancy Night, two Negroes, viz.
 Sam^r & America whom she has now in pos-
 session, also one boy more and sell them
 their increase to her and her children
 Item I give unto my daughter, Elizabeth
 Pope one Negro Woman named Eddy and
 her four Children, namely, Maria, Toby,
 Cardine and Luce, ^{whom} she has now in posses-
 sion, also one bond maid sell them and
 their increase to her and her children
 forever. Item I give and bequeath unto my
 daughter Susanna Munday, five dollars
 but unto her four Children Elizabeth, Sam-
 ford, William, Talifero, also one now an
 infant without a name three Negroes viz.
 Letitia and her youngest Child, Eleanor
 with a boy named James, but should
 my said daughter Susanna Munday
 become a widow it is my will that the
 said Negroes last mentioned should
 become hers during her natural life
 or Widowhood, and at her death for the
 said Negroes to go to her Children, them
 their increase forever. Item I give

and bequeath unto my son Cornelius War-
 naby, One hundred & Sixty of land, the same
 being the land which he sold to Martha
 Thurman, and on which she now lives, also
 one Negro boy named Chasmon whom she now
 has in possession, also one short Colt. to him
 and his heirs forever. But should my son
 Cornelius Waraby ever come to obtain more
 of my Estate than is herein specified he shall
 not be entitled to one farthing more than is
 herein specially named for him, otherwise
 he shall be entitled to an equal share of
 the residue of property with my other Children.
 Item I give unto my daughter Ann Miller
 Gordon two Negroes viz, Zacharia &
 Preecy and one boy more to her & hers to
 her and her Children, them and their in-
 crease forever. Item I give and bequeath
 unto my daughter Sally Maper two neg-
 roes viz, Will and Lucy whom she has
 in possession. Though should my daugh-
 ter Sally Maper die without a lawful
 heir together of her body then what I
 have left her shall be equally divided
 amongst the ^{other} Legatees. After the decease
 of my wife Elizabeth Waraby it is my will
 that the land left her during her natural

life, to be sold at twelve months credit, and the monies arising therefrom equally divided among my Children hereafter named, reserving the equal parts of my daughters Lucy Thomas and Lurana Monday, to be equally divided amongst their Children as hereafter named. It is likewise my will & desire that the residue of the property be in a like manner sold and the money arising therefrom equally divided as aforesaid. I now do hereby appoint my wife Elizabeth Darnaby Cornelius Darnaby William Gordon and Bernard McEspec^r of this my last will and testament and revoking all others. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this third day of July 1819.

Edw^d Darnaby Esq^r
 W^m Gordon
 Bernard McEspec^r
 Ben^g Darnaby
 William Long

Codicil

I Edward Darnaby of the County State within ~~named~~ mentioned, have deemed it my duty to liberate my servant

Cambridge, for important services, for a series of years, rendered me by said servant. It is therefore my will that at the death of my wife Elizabeth Darnaby, he be set free & no longer than that period, under bondage or in Slavery to any person or persons. It is further my will that at the time of his manumission, he shall have my Grey Breed mare, or the value thereof, and the present of said Cambridge my Ex^rs will have effect as agreeably to the legal form of this Commonwealth. In Testimony whereof I have set my hand & seal this third day of July 1819.

Edw^d Darnaby Esq^r

W^m Gordon

Bernard McEspec^r

Ben^g Darnaby

William Long

A memorandum of property that I have let my Children have out of my Estate and the price paid by me Edw^d Darnaby July 7th 1819
 Lucy Thomas to one Negro ^{woman} and two children
 \$650

289

To one young lay man
Cash paid for schooling to Mr. Egan
To Cash paid to Miss for Schooling
Cash paid to father for Schooling
Lucy Thomas and three children
land for some years I set down a
100 dollars for year and she is to re-
ceive her services out of it and of the
legacies given it to her I have no objection

Wm. Bugh one Negro man by the
name of Sam

One Girl name America

One mare and colt

Delany Porgue one Negro woman
named Cady and four children
which are Meriah, Caroline, Fely
and Susan I set them a

One mare and colt

One young Bay mare

Susanna Mansany one Negro
woman name delia

One Girl name Oliver

One lad by the name of James

One horse

Cornelius Barnaby one hundred
acres of land at 4 dollars per acre

70 00

12 00

2 00

2 50

500 00

300 00

500 00

70 00

80 00

300 00

200 00

400 00

70 00

400 00

290

One Negro lad named Claborn \$400.00

One Slave Colt 100.00

One Girl named Susan

One Negro lad named Jacobish 450.00

One young Girl named Lucency 350.00

One lay man colt 70.00

One Girl named Mary

One lad named Wall 400.00

One Girl named Lucy 350.00

Mercer County Set August County Court 1820

The foregoing to Wm. Edward Barnaby Decord together
with the above Memorandum of Division was produced
into Court and proven by the Oaths of Benjamin
Daniel, Bernard Noel & William Long three Sub-
scribing witnesses to said will and ordered to be
recorded. Attest The Clerk of the Court.

William 1st Lot Julia and Susan \$625

Mary This Lot pay the 2nd \$33.33 1/3

Attest. \$591.66 2/3

Wm. 3rd Lot Town \$100

pay 2nd lot 8.33 1/3

\$591.66 2/3

2nd Lot Phoebe and Frances \$550

Received of 1st \$33.33 1/3

and of Col. H. 3rd \$8.33 1/3

\$591.66 2/3

State of Kentucky
 Mary Wood, of the State aforesaid and County of Mercer being in health of Body and perfect in mind and memory and coming to record this voluntarily of full age as now and establish this to be my last will and Testament. In the first place I do bequeath my soul unto Almightly God who gave it and my body to be buried decently by my Executors to be hereinafter named. Secondly it is my will and desire that the four thousand dollars which my Negro Woman Venus & Child was sold for (one thousand dollars of which money is yet in the hands of the Executors of Andrew Woods dec'd) be divided into eight equal shares viz. Fifty dollars to Thomas Wood fifty dollars to Elizabeth Adams fifty dollars to Margaret Ward fifty dollars to the heirs of Angus Wood dec'd fifty dollars to the heirs of Mary Rayburn dec'd fifty dollars to Archr. Woods fifty dollars to Joseph Woods fifty dollars to the heirs of James Wood dec'd. Thirdly it is my will that the Negroes be divided in the following manner among my Children that is to say the man & woman to the heirs of Angus Wood dec'd the man Thom to Archr. Woods the man Ben to John Woods the boy Sam to Margaret Ward the Girl Liza to Elizabeth Adams the boy & Girl Jim & Esther to Joseph Woods the boy Harry to Thomas Wood I also will the tract of land in Virginia purchased of Slavery to my son John Woods to make him equal with my other Children in share of the fifty dollars they are to get. Fourthly the balance of my other property I allow to be sold at my death and after the funeral expenses is as payed and the cost of administering & sale of the

Money arising from the sale to be equally divided among my eight Grand sons. Namely Archr. baird that is Archr. baird Wood son of John Woods Archr. Woods son of Thomas Woods Archr. Adams Archr. Ward Archr. Woods son of Angus Woods Archr. Rayburn Archr. Woods son of John Woods and Archr. R. Woods Fifthly read Lastly I do hereby appoint my friends David Adams and my son Archr. baird Woods Executors of this my last will and Testament in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Ninth day of October in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred & Eighteen.

Witness my hand
 James Wood
 Joseph Woods
 Mary Partin
 John Woods

Mercer County Oct. 10th County Court 1820
 The above and foregoing last Will and Testament of Mary Wood dec'd. was presented into Court and proven by the Oaths of Mary Partin Joseph Woods and John Woods three subscribing Witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Attest Wm. Allen Clerk

Damages
 Edo
 Incr

In Inventory of the estate of Edward Damages deceased as aforesaid by us the undersigned the 28 day of August 1820

To 1 bush Huckleberry 200
 1/2 barer Char. little Thomas little William 28
 1/2 barer 5 bottles one a decanter 24
 1/2 Small table 12/ dining table 36/ - 88

