

do hereby nominate and appoint Joshua Barber and James Barber, as Executors to this my last will, and do direct that no security be required of them as Executors —

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this thirteenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen

In presence of us
Subscribing Witnesses
C. C. Cowan
Wm. Van Rie

Richard H. Gaines

Mercer County ^{Seal} Court 1814
February

The preceding Will of Richard H. Gaines Deced. was produced to the Court and ordered to be Recorded

Attest Tho. Allen Clk

Thomas
Jas. Wm

In the name of God amen. I John Thomas of the County of Mercer and State of Penn. lucky being weak of Body but of a sound mind & perfect Minded, do make and Ordain this to be my last will and Testament revoking all Others in premises —

Item I give to my beloved wife Elizabeth Thomas in trust for herself and my Children, all my Estate both real and personal & mixed, during her life or widow hood to be disposed of to my Children in such a way as she may think proper, provided however that my said wife should think proper to get Married, in that Case her power over my Estate shall cease, and then

my Estate ~~my~~ shall be equally divided between my wife & my Children giving my wife a Child's part & no more. As to any Negroes which may belong to my Estate I do hereby vest my said wife with full power and Authority to set them free in Case she may think proper to do; but this power is with her Discretionary. — Lastly I constitute & appoint my beloved wife whole and sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament with full power & Authority to appoint such Attorney or Attorneys in fact as she may think proper In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th Day of February 1814. —

In presence of
Sam. Daviss
Jaquet Harris
Jane Harris

In^o Thomas ^(Seal)

Mercer County ^{Seal} Court 1814
April

The foregoing Will & last Testament of John Thomas Deced. was produced to the Court and ordered to be made of Record

Attest Tho. Allen Clk

Produced
last will

In the name of God Amen. I Abiel Caldwell being in a low state of health, but of sound mind & Memory, do make and Ordain this my last will and Testament. — First I give my Daughter Margaret Richardson to my Grandsons George C. Cowan & David Cowan Eighteen Negroes here named viz. Seven, Lucy, Nelson, Dany, Charles

Moses, Elsy, Frederick, Sarah, Temp, Rose Mary
Lewis, Tolbert, Nerous, Adam, Rose patty, all
of them to be sold to the highest bidder & divided
as follows. Viz. half the price arising from the sale
to be given to my daughter Margaret Richardson
the other half to be equally divided ~~as~~ between
George Cowan and David Cowan my Grandsons
also my stock I may be possessed of at my
Death is to be sold & divided as my Negroes are
to the same persons. All my household furniture
I give to my son Davis Caldwell. I also give
I bequeath to my Daughter Margaret Rich-
ardson & my Grand sons George Cowan and
David Cowan ^{to them and their heirs forever} six hundred dollars half to my
daughter Margaret, the other half to be equally
divided between my two Grandsons above named

I also give to my Brother James Davis five hundred
dollars to be taken out of what I have herein given
and in proportion from each person as to what is
given them Viz. my Daughter & two grandsons -

I also appoint my son Davis Caldwell & John Cowan
Executors to this my last will and testament -

Given under my hand and seal this Eighth
Day of February One Thousand eight hundred and
thirteen

signed sealed & delivered

Subt. Caldwell Seal
mark

In presence of us

Jn. Cowan

Wm. Blooke

Wm. Hines

4 Mercer County ^{to} April Court 1814

The foregoing Will & last Testaments of Subt. Caldwell
Deceased. Was this day produced to the Court and
ordered to be made of record

attest Thos. Allen Clk

In the name of God Amen. Vincent Trapnall
of Mercer County Kentucky do make this my Will
last will and Testament in manner and form fol-
lowing (To wit) I Give and bequeath to my son
Philip Trapnall all that part of the tract of land
whereon I have purchased of Joseph Davis which
lies North of Azusa River, to him and his heirs
forever

I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Sarah
Bosley and her heirs forever all that tract of
land I purchased of Isaac Huff on Salt River
I Give and bequeath to my three grand children
Philip Dismitt, Margann Dismitt and Walter
Dismitt all the residue of the land I purchased
of Davis lying on the south side of Azusa River
to be equally divided between them, to them & their
heirs forever

My Will is that after the payment of my just
Debt the residue of my Estate shall be equally di-
vided into three parts One third of which I Give
to my son Philip Trapnall & his heirs forever - One
third I Give to my Daughter Sarah Bosley & her
heirs forever and the other One third I Give to my
aforesaid three grand children and to their heirs forever