

266. should marry before the death of my wife and in that case I
give and bequeath unto her my daughter's dowered forty eight
acres of Land to be laid off on that end of the midland road
and eighty four acres adjoining my said third upper line in a
parallel direction thereto without touching of the improvements
of my dwell place but if my daughter does not marry in the
life time of my wife the whole of the above mentioned land is
my wife until her death and after the death of my wife the
above named forty eight acres of Land to be laid off as above said
I give and bequeath unto my daughter Sonnia Ritchie and to her
heirs forever and likewise after the death of my wife the residue of
my Land including my dwelling house and farm containing within
and about thirty six and a half acres I give and bequeath unto my
beloved son William Ritchie his heirs forever And I give and
bequeath unto my beloved wife one negro man named Mott and
also four feather bed and furnished with all and singular my
household appurtenances all my house cattle hogs sheep guns and fowls
with all my farming utensils in a word all my whole moveable estate
to be disposed of in life and at her death as she may see cause so long
I do constitute and appoint my beloved wife and my beloved son
Benjamin Ritchie my Executors and Administrators of this my last will and
Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this nineteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one Thousand

Eight hundred and fourteen

John Ritchie (Seal)

signed sealed and delivered
in the presence of us
James Mather Senior
David Sutherland
William Sutherland

At a County Court held for Nelson County on Monday the 15th day of
August 1814 This Last will and Testament of John Ritchie aforesaid
was proved by the oaths of David Sutherland and William Sutherland

one of the undersigned witnesses thereto and a witness to be named -

Test. Ben. Sutherland

60 In the name of God Amen I Peter King of the County of Nelson and State
of Kentucky being in reasonable State of Health in body and sound mind
and memory calling to mind the mortality of my body and that it is appoi-
nted to all men once to die do make appoint constitute and ordain this
my last will and Testament that is to say principally and first of
all I recommend my soul to God who gives it and my body to the earth
to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner at the direction of
my Executors not doubting but I shall rise the same again at the
resurrection by the mighty power of God and for such worldly goods and has
pleased God the Lord to bless me with after paying my just debts and
funeral charges I give bequeath and dispose of in the following manner
and manner To my eldest son Benjamin I give and bequeath one sort
of my wearing apparel at his own choice and to my daughter Mary
Westfield one horse biter to be provided by my Executors for her I give and
bequeath to my son John two horses and one other property which he has now
from me already I give and bequeath to my son Jacob the one half of my
plantation which I now have and the other half of said plantation
plantation I give and bequeath to my two daughters Anne and Samuel
in the following manner viz that said half is to be appraised to its value
in other property and then my son Jacob to pay that property to his two
sisters Anne and Samuel within the term of four years and after such
payment is made by said Jacob he to have the whole of the plantation
and all my moveable property with my bills and bonds to be appraised
and to be equally divided between my son Jacob and my daugh-
ters Anne and Samuel and I have to William Sutherland senior that
slope of Land running along his line as far as his land extends and
the remainder part of said slope of Land I have to my son Benjamin
King as far as it extends along his line and the sugar camp road