

may live in possession of my wife which may be in existence at the time of her death to be equally divided among all my children (C) It is my will and desire that my executors pay all my just debts and that they pay over to my Grand Children John St Joseph M. Mariah J. Permonore, A. David A and Franklin the children of my son Allen Hooker the sum of two hundred dollars to be paid over to them or the survivors of them by my executors in any and they shall qualify as executors and their bond is to be equally divided between them that may be living at the time I have and that I like and for the purpose of raising a fund for the payment of my debts and this legacy it is my desire that my executor sell such portions of my personal property as my wife may not need in the same and that she be not so sufficient. It is my wish that they sell the property by auction to any one of the heirs who will pay the most for him and apply the money to the payment of the debt & legacy aforesaid and that the balance be equally divided among my children now living. 7th It is my particular desire and will that my slave be treated humanely and that sold out of my family and in serving them it is my desire that they be sent to Great Britain and my executors and at liberty to hire them either privately or publicly as they may deem best. 8th I appoint my son Charles Ward Permonore brother my executor of this my last will and testament and as it is my wish and

desire that all my debts be justly and honestly paid I authorize them to pay any claims against my estate which they believe to be just whether the claimants can make the necessary legal proof or not. In Witness whereof I have hereunto my hand and seal the 29 day of September 1837 Philip Hooker (S)
Signed in the presence of
H. D. Darnall
W. D. Taylor

This County Court Set December term 1837 The last will and testament of Philip Hooker decd was produced in Court and proved by the oaths of W. D. Taylor and H. D. Darnall subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded and thereupon Charles W. Hooker and Permonore Hooker the executor thereof Agreed came into Court and being duly sworn signed into and acknowledged and to the Commonwealth in the presence of J. D. Darnall according to their verbal James P. P. Oliver Hooker their Securities Attest Wm. Darnall Secy. of the Court

This Nonexecuted will Committed to us & the undersigned by Stephen Phillips his atty. my personal expenses and all just debts are paid and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary Phillips all my Estate real and personal (except fifty dollars I will and bequeath to my beloved daughter Caroline Phillips) to be disposed of as she may think best during her life at her death to be divided among

This I will do of my children Equally in accordance with my registered or vacant. That I now hold against them so that there be an equal division of my estate among them. I leave my beloved wife Mary Philips and my beloved son James Philips executors of my last will and testament.

Attest Stephen Philips De

J. S. Kelly
Wm. Whitingfield November 12th 1857
William B. Bury

This County Court Sat December Term 1857
The last will and testament of Stephen Philips was produced in Court and proved by the oath of J. S. Kelly and Wm. Whitingfield Subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded and the said James Philips and James Philips the Exors and Exors thereof named in said will were called upon and entered into Court and took the said oath required by law and entered into and acknowledged that to the Commonwealth in the penalty of \$1000 Conditional according to law with J. S. Kelly and Wm. Whitingfield their Securities Attest Wm. B. Bury De
By J. J. Henderson De

This 1st day of September 4th 1858
I Thomas B. Brown make this last request that Robert Brown which is my father to pay all of my just debts with my property and of the proceeds of the said and that the amount if any be given to my wife Sally Ann Brown and Child Samuel

C. Brown both now and former
Test Amos A. Brown
Robert Brown De

This County Court Sat November Term 1857
A writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Thomas B. Brown deceased was this day produced in Court for probate and proved by J. B. Brown and Robert Brown being sworn as witnesses testified that they were present at the last illness of said deceased that he died within less than six months past at his residence in this County and that they being called on by said Court to take notice or bear testimony that such will or records of like import as those contained in said writing were to be recorded as the Honorable will of said deceased Attest Chas. Henderson De
By J. J. Henderson De

I, Abraham Foreman do make & constitute this my last will and testament.
First, I desire my debts & funeral expenses to be paid & to this end I wish my executors to sell such of my personal estate as they think best for this purpose.
Second, I desire to my wife Elizabeth the sum of land on which I live during her life & then as hereinafter directed to my children - I wish my wife also to have my household & kitchen & farming utensils which my executors do not sell & send them of my personal estate after paying debts.
Third, I desire to my daughter Catherine