

not refused to and devised in the above first and second items I desire to be devised into four equal parts to each of my daughters Melly Bradford and Elizabeth Ishbuck Square and bequeath each one fourth of them one fourth to my Grand daughter Martha M Coleman her deceased Mother having Coleman's share and one fourth of them to my Grand children Elizabeth Perkins Martha Boston R D Boston and John M Boston their mother Sally Boston dead, share But in case the one fourth part of the Slaves devised by this the 3rd item of this my will shall be of greater value than the fourth part devised above to my Son John E Hobday at the time of my death then it is my will and desire and bequest that the said fourth part of the Slaves hereby, by this third item of my will devise should be appraised and the value of said fourth part of said Slaves be made equal to one fifth of the value of the entire value of both farm and Slaves together. It is further my will and desire that should my daughter Elizabeth Ishbuck or my Grand daughter Martha M Coleman die without lawful heirs of their body begotten that such share as is by this item devised to them respectively shall revert back to my family and pass to the residue of the devise in this item herein and in the farm and manner as is in this item ~~now~~ devised making my Sons portion devised him equal that is to say if the land devised to him is of less value than one portion of the Slaves the difference is to be made equal or good out of the Slaves.

Item 4th all the rest and residue of my property both real and personal (excepting Slaves which are to pass as above devised), I desire and bequeath to be sold and after payment of my just debts to be divided into five equal parts one fifth to go to my Son John E Hobday one fifth to my daughter Melly Bradford one fifth to my daughter Elizabeth Ishbuck one fifth to my Grand daughter Martha M Coleman and one fifth to the children of my deceased daughter Sally Boston.

Item 5th I hereby nominate constitute and appoint my beloved Son John E Hobday my executor to this my last will and Testament with power to convey my real estate not herein specifically devised,

In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my Seal and set my hand this 20th day of May 1831
 Attested and Subscribed } John Hobday Secy
 in the presence of the Testator }
 J M Hunsick
 James W. Brown
 Lemuel Maylor

Commonwealth of Kentucky } August Term
 County of Pendleton } August 4th 1837
 I Matthew Mullins clerk of the County Court for the County aforesaid do certify that the foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of John Hobday died, was produced in Court on the day and year aforesaid and proven by the oaths of J M Hunsick and James W. Brown two of the subscribing witnesses thereto whereupon the said writing was established as and for the last will and testament of John Hobday died, and ordered to be recorded, which is according to law as above.
 All M Mullins clerk

In the name of God Amen I John B. Hensythe of the County of Pendleton and State of Kentucky being of sound mind and last will memory and considering the uncertainty of this frail and mortal life do therefore make or here declare and publish this to be my last will and Testament that is to say first that after all my lawful debts are paid and discharged the residue of my estate shall be personal I give and bequeath and dispose of as follows: I give and bequeath to my two Brothers Peter S. Hensythe and Benjamin S. Hensythe all the real and personal property I own now seized and possessed together with a cash account of five hundred and twenty five dollars now in the possession of my Brother Peter Hensythe for safe keeping together with a note on State Bank amounting fifty dollars also accounts due and on various individuals in which I will make or cause to be made out the several amounts and the names of the of the several individuals so indebted and to be collected and returned by them as part of my estate I also bequeath to them as all my estate being in the County and State aforesaid and

88 not thinking it necessary to partition between my children in amount or partless off to each but for these notes could and divide my estate as they may so chose to do to share equally between them

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my Seal the twenty third day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and fifty seven

J B Forsythe

The above written instrument was subscribed by John B Forsythe in our presence and acknowledged by him to each of us and he at the same time published & declared the above instrument so subscribed to be his last will and testament and we at the testators request and in his presence signed our names as witnesses thereto and written opposite to our names our places of residence.

James M Holmes Pendleton Co Ky

Geo Colvin Pendleton Co Ky

William H Barker Pendleton County Ky

Commonwealth of Kentucky June June June 1st 1857
Pendleton County Court

I Matthew Mullins Clerk of the County Court for the County aforesaid do certify that the foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of John B Forsythe was produced in Court on the day and hour aforesaid and proven by the oaths of Geo Colvin and Geo Barker two of the subscribing witnesses who also proved the attestation of James M Holmes another subscribing witness thereto whereupon the said writing was established as and for the last will and testament of John B Forsythe died and ordered to be recorded which is accordingly done as above

Mat M Mullins clk

Last Will The last will and testament of John B Forsythe being full & testament of body but of sound and disposing mind do make & constitute of his last will and testament

I am first it is my will and desire that all of my last debt and funeral expenses be first paid
I am 2nd it is my wish and desire that my wife Delinda Whiting shall live all my and singular both real & personal

my estate during her widowhood and maintain and support her & her children until they become of age and that she give to my three youngest sons John, Robert and Joseph Taylor each of these three hundred and fifty dollars at the age of twenty one years and in the event of my wife marrying again she shall have the one third of the remaining portion of my estate
I am 3rd I constitute and appoint my wife Delinda Whiting an executrix to this my will and testament

Given under my hand this 31st day of December

1856

John

W Stowers

Robt Dugan

Samuel Henry

John B Forsythe

Commonwealth of Kentucky January June
Pendleton County Court 3 January 3rd 1857

I Matthew Mullins Clerk of the County Court for said County do certify that the foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of John B Forsythe was produced in Court on the day and hour aforesaid and proven by the oaths of W Stowers, Robt Dugan and Samuel Henry the subscribing witnesses thereto whereupon the said writing was established as and for the last will and testament of John B Forsythe died and ordered to be recorded which is accordingly done as above
(M Mullins clk)

Sarah Know all men by these presents that whereas my late husband Nathaniel Dougherty executed what purports to be his last will & testament the establishment of which as his last will & testament is now in contest in the Pendleton County Court this certificate that I the undersigned Sarah Dougherty his widow do hereby release and relinquish and release whatever is given me by the aforesaid instrument purporting to be his will and if he it should be proved such will of my said husband I hereby release and relinquish all and whatever is devised to me by said will for the purpose and with the intent of claiming my dower in his lands and distributable share of his estate as his widow and next of kin

Sarah Dougherty Seal