

James McFormick

I James McFormick of the County of Burke and State of Virginia being of sound mind and disposing memory and has been the Will and of my friends to bestow upon me at any time but being desirous of disposing of my property while in health do utter and publish this as my Last Will and Testament.

To God who gave do I recommend my Soul and as to disposing my Real Estate now situate in the County of Fallow on the Ohio River being Part of the Military Survey I have heretofore caused to be laid off into Six Lots the first Lot situate at the Mouth of Four Pole Creek I give and bequeath unto my Son John McFormick his Heirs and Assigns forever. The second Lot I have caused to be laid to John and Moses McFormick the third Lot and now in the Possession of my Son Moses I give and bequeath to my Son Moses McFormick his Heirs and Assigns forever containing Eighty Nine Acres.

The fourth Lot and now in the Possession of my Son Levi I give unto my Son Levi during his natural Life and at the Death of the said Levi I give and bequeath the same to my Son John McFormick to him and his Heirs forever but I charge the said Legacy of this Provision to my Son John McFormick with the Payment of Ten Dollars per Annum to be paid by the said John McFormick his Heirs or Assigns to the Son of the said Levi McFormick. This Lot contains Seventy Six Acres.

The fifth Lot containing Twenty Four Acres and now in the Possession of my Son David McFormick I give and bequeath to him the said David McFormick for and during his natural Life and at his Death I give and bequeath the same to my Son George McFormick to him and his Heirs forever but I charge this Provisionary Legacy with the payment of Ten Dollars per Annum which I charge to be paid by my Son George to the Heirs of my Son David McFormick. And the sixth Lot including the Mouth of Twelve Pole containing One Hundred and fifty nine Acres I give to my Son George

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The South Lot and now in the Possession of my Son Levi I give unto my Son Levi during his natural Life and at the Death of the said Levi I give and bequeath the same to my Son John McFormack to him and his Heirs for ever but I charge the said Legacy of the said Levi to my Son John McFormack with the Payment of Ten Dollars Per Annum to be paid by the said John McFormack his Heirs or Assigns to the Sons of the said Levi McFormack. This Lot contains Seventy Six Acres.

The fifth Lot containing twenty four Acres and more in the Township of my Aba-
dieu McFormack I give and bequeath to him the said Abadieu McFormack for and during
his natural life and at his death I give and bequeath the same to my son George
McFormack to him and his heirs for ever, but I charge this revisionary Legacy with
the payment of Ten Dollars per Acre which I charge to be paid by my son George to
the Heirs of my son Abadieu McFormack. And the lower Lot including the fourth of
Twelve Acre containing One Hundred and fifty more Acres I give to my son George
McFormack his Heirs and assigns for ever the Boundaries of these Lots were ascertain-
ed by a correct Survey in June 1835 which changes in some degree the Boundaries and
Quantities of the Lots given to Levi and Abadieu McFormack for their lives as first set apart
in May 1834 by Survey of Jabeel Jouty.

As to the Discharge of my Property I suppose it is as follows - I give and have
given to my wife and her children all the Property of every Description that was
then in the hands of the late Mr. [Name] and I charge the same upon the [Name] and the
Paymaster of the [Name] which my Executors will also pay to my wife and
children in the full discharge of my Estate the sum of my [Name] for my [Name]
by [Name] and according to the [Name] of the [Name] by [Name] of [Name].

Teste
R. B. Little
Benj. F. Adams

Clarke County, La.

At a Court held for the county of Jackson on Monday the 25th Day of January 1841 The Last Will and Testament of James M. Formick was produced in Court and proven by the Oath of R. B. Little and Benj. F. Adams the subscribing Witnesses thereto and was thereupon ordered to be Recorded. And on that Motion of John McFormick one of the Executors named in the said Will who made Oath and together with the said Benj. F. Adams James M. Formick and Oliver McFormick his Executors entered into an Acknowledgment of Bond in the Penalty of Ten Thousand Dollars conditioned as the Law directs for a grant of Letters for obtaining Probate of said Will in due form.

Ordered that John McFormick, James M. Formick, Benj. F. Adams, Oliver McFormick and James M. Formick any three of whom having been first duly sworn to act as appraisers the Slaves of any and other Personal Estate of the said James M. Formick do and make Report to this Court.

Teste

John Hay Jr. of the Court of
Clarke County

The Last Will & Testament
Robert Page Esq.
Dec. 9

In the Name of God I Robert Page of San Antonio in the County of Tarrant and State of Texas being in good Health and of full Age and of my mind and memory with a