

Thomas for an Allen Case & for a case to Law.

To

John Day of the County of
Franklin

Copy of Joseph Larnes Will

I Joseph Larnes of Larn County Kentucky being of sound Mind and disposing Memory, revo-
king all former Wills, declare the following to be my Last Will and Testament.

I have given to my Daughter Margaret B Tarpley One Negro Girl worth the sum of Five hundred
and fifty Dollars One Horse and Saddle worth One hundred and twenty Dollars One pair of
jelly worth Ten Dollars and divers other Articles worth thirty five Dollars. I have also bequeathed
of my other Daughters upon their Marriages the sum Amount I have advanced to the said
Margaret as above mentioned.

I have advanced to my Son John Larnes the sum of Five hundred Dollars of Larn on the
Greensburg Road East of Hopkinsville for which he has executed a Promissory Note I have also bequeathed
to him the sum of fifty Dollars in a bequest of the said fifty Dollars to him in the sum of
five hundred Dollars at his death I have bequeathed to him the sum of five hundred Dollars at his death
and I have bequeathed to him the sum of fifty Dollars.

To my dear friend Thompson I have bequeathed the sum of Five hundred Dollars at his death.

freely from where I am in travel, to be taken off in the following, To run with the Cullins, if the
convey is as to lay off the 50 acres or remain in a square to reach the creek as practicable & then entitle
to so much timber on the same that as may be necessary to keep in good repair the same 50 acres but
has not entitle to the privilege of selling the same 50 acres until a final Distribution has taken place &
amongst my children, and he is to occupy the Land himself. I have heretofore advanced to him One
hundred Dollars & more which I consider equivalent to the amount I have advanced to my son Joseph &
Lance.

To my son Joseph James I give and devise in Land a money and amount equivalent to what I
have advanced to my son Joseph.

To my Wife Lucinda Lane, during her natural life I devise and bequeath all my Estate
Real Personal & Movable I am prompted in making this devise to her the better to enable her to attend to the
rearing & support of my Family, But it - is understood upon the manner of my unmarried Daugh-
ter my Executors are to advance to each of them the amount I have advanced to my Daughter Margaret
& Joseph.

To my Daughter Eliza with a Surplus, I have not as yet made any advancement, and my Execu-
tors are to advance to the same Eliza with the same amount I have to Margaret out of my Estate.

I authorize a Majority of my Executors should any of my Heirs become refusing to dispose of
such Heirs or Estates.

When a Majority of my Executors deem it necessary they may sell so much of my Personal Estate
as they may deem proper.

As to advancements as to be made by my Wife or my Executors to any of my children, except such
advancements as are specified or provided for in this Will.

I appoint & give to Lane Isaac Thompson Lane, my son, & my son in Law & M. Farley, Joseph
Farley Executors to this my Last Will and Testament which I shall be to make a second

Settlement every twelve Months of the outstanding Terms and my Estate to be kept the Money out on Interest.

In Testimony Whereof I have this 1st Day of May, 1844 set my Hand & Seal to this my Will & bequeathed upon a final Distribution of my Estate amongst my Children they all inherit equally.

Witness
Geo. Hunsley
Joseph Lane

Joseph Lane Esq

At a County Court held for Lane County Kentucky on Monday the 9th Day of September 1844 the foregoing Instrument of Writing purporting to be the Last Will & Testament of Joseph Lane Decd was produced in Court and was duly and fully proven by the Oaths of Geo. Hunsley and Joseph Lane the two subscribing Witnesses thereto as required by Law to be the true Last Will and Testament of said Joseph Lane Decd and the same was established and accepted to be correct. Whereupon I have truly recd the same this 12th Day of September 1844.

Wm H Stone J.C.

State of Kentucky
Lane County Court

September Term 1844 September 9th

An Instrument of Writing purporting to be the Last Will & Testament of Joseph Lane Decd was produced in Court by Joseph Lane Hanc Lane and Amasa M. Taylor Jurors. And thereupon said Instrument of Writing was duly proven in open Court by Joseph Hunsley & Joseph Lane the two subscribing Witnesses thereto to be the true Last Will & Testament of said Joseph Lane Decd and the same was established and accepted to be correct. Whereupon I have truly recd the same this 12th Day of September 1844.

and while came into court and examined but I did not go to court.

On Motion of James Tarpley one of the Executors named in said will took the Oath required by Law and together with William Tarpley, Joseph Tarpley, Robert Simpson, John Elliott, Luke H. Johnson, John R. Bager, Frank R. Barnette and Abraham Barnette the undersigned of Persons by Stephen H. DeStor, Clerk of the Court then acting as Attorney at Law, entered into and acknowledged a Bond on the Penalty of Four thousand five hundred & no more Dollars conditioned as the Law directs a full and complete discharge of him.

The Bond of Attorney from the Executors above named to the Clerk of the Court was not proven but was attached to the Bond executed herein.

On Motion of James H. Linn and Isaac Linn also named in said will as Executors, who took the Oath required by Law and together with Henry Mathews, Henry H. Thomas, Gabriel Kirkpatrick, E. Abraham Coulson, Isaac J. Little, John Miller, then Securities entered into and acknowledged a Bond on the Penalty of ten thousand Dollars conditioned as the Law directs, a full and complete discharge of them.

State of Kentucky

James J. Smith, Clerk

I Stephen H. DeStor, Clerk of the County Court of the County of Jefferson, do hereby certify and declare that the foregoing is a true copy of a copy of the said will as proven and established and recorded and dated a true copy of the said will on the Minutes of said Court proving and establishing the same. Witness the Court granting for the said Robert A. Linn, to James M. Tarpley, James H. Linn, Isaac Linn the Executors named in said will.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and affixed my Seal this 10th day of April 1850.

My Office then for now is at the 19th Day of August
1847.

W. D. Stone J. K. Lane
County Court

State of Kentucky
Lane County, etc.

Lewis Neal Purveyor Justice of the Peace for the County of Lane
and for the County of Letcher and of that of the County of Boone where signature appears signed to the
said signature which is now was at the time of signing the same J. K. Lane Court, and all the Officials
who are now entitled to full Faith and Credit to the same by them no Official Seal to the same
Given under my Hand this 19th Day of August 1847.

Lewis Neal R. P. J. P.

County Court

At a Court held for the County of Letcher on Monday the 24th Day of
January 1848 An authentic Copy of the Last Will & Testament of Joseph Lane held
proven in the County of Lane in the State of Kentucky according to the Law of the United States
in such cases made and now was offered for Probate in this Court by R. M. McFannick and others
presented to the Court that all the Estate of said Joseph Lane held within this Commonwealth
lies altogether within the County of Rappahannock and that the same Copy of the Last Will & Testament
now of the said Joseph Lane held in a similar manner.

On the Motion of R. M. McFannick a Commissioner with the Will annexed from
the Estate of Joseph Lane held in probate and the same being annexed to the same
According by the Court that R. M. McFannick should be Commissioner of the same.

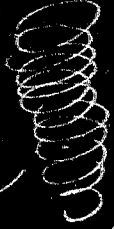
I Thomas H. Livingston and others of whom to act having been first duly sworn do affirm
the truth of any and every Personal Estate of Joseph Lewis Dec'd & Representing to
Law

To

John Hay Jr. of the County of
Putnam County

Leaves

to
Ware Guardian



Release & Acquittal

I Joseph H. Ware having fully settled up to my satisfaction his
Guardianship Account of my late wife Eliza formerly Eliza beth Lewis as her Guardian I
hereby release and discharge him from all Responsibility or claim on that Account, he having
fully settled up and paid all dues to my satisfaction

Witness my Hand & Seal this 14th Day of Jan'y 1848

J. H. Lewis

Putnam County &c

I do hereby certify that on Monday the 24th Day of January
1848 Notice from Fisher & Lewis to touch the said William Guardian of his Dec'd wife Eliza beth Lewis was acknowledged in open Court by Fisher & Lewis and as such to be
Record

To

John Hay Jr. of the County of