

given under our hands this first day of February 1808

James Simpkins

Thomas Lawrence

H^m Lawrence

At Montgomery February Court 1808

This appraisement of the Estate of Josiah Lorton deceased was returned to Court and ordered to be recorded

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Teste Charles Taylor Clerk

The People
his
Will
By me

In the name of God amen I John Peyton of the
County of Prince George and County of Montgomery being of perfect mind and
of a sound memory and calling to mind the necessities of human life
do make this my last will and Testament first commit my soul
into the hands of the almighty God trusting in mercies and

month of my decease for the redemption of all my debts my body
comes to Earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executors hereinafter
named and as to my temporal Estate I dispose of it in the following
manner first I bequeath to my beloved wife Mary Rayburn her best used
furniture with a horse or mare and saddle and her living of the Estate during
her widowhood next I bequeath to my Daughter Peggy Donaghy fifty
pounds or an equal part with sisters to her and the hairs of her body
forever next I bequeath to my son Henry ten dollars to him and his
heirs forever next I bequeath to Harriet Rayburn Henrys daughter fifty
dollars in a horse and saddle and his clove to wear forever and
appoint Samuel Shanklin William Piper and William W
Rayburn my lawful Executors and all my land and property to
be sold and equally divided amongst them hereafter named Mary
Shanklin and the daughter her body forever Henry Piper and the
Heirs of her body forever John Rayburn my son and his heirs forever
Dated the 3rd day of October 1800

Beckwith Taylor and the heirs of his body forever Rebecca Rayburn
William to her and the heirs of her body forever and I bequith
that all the Lands my son John Rayburn sold in Kentucky in
my name and made titles for shall stand good as if I had made
them myself when this place is sold I heron I bequith to the grave
yard excepted and the spot where the meeting house stands that
it be not sold while that house is there but may be sold afterwards
but no grave yard but one on the place aforesaid all other
wills by me made but this alone being my last will and Testament
in which becom of I have set my hand and seal the 18 of January
1807. I bequith that my Executors have 6 years to sell
and collect the debts before called on by the Legation for settlement
and in payment of

Benjamin W. Horton
David Barnell
A. H. Robinson

John Rayburn (Seal)

This Land or place not to be sold for the space six years
after my decease & then all the money to be divided equally
among all the legates except Henry Rayburn and Susan
Rayburn son of Henry Rayburn In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal revoking all other wills or
Legacies heretofore mentioned by me

Witness

John Rayburn. (Seal)

Benjamin W. Gorton

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David Barnett

J. H. Robertson

Roswell Johnson

February 17th 1808

And that whereas John Rayburn have thought fit to
make the following alteration to his last will and Testament
That in place of the land as above stated should remain unsold for

...and divided in most advantageous to the legatees as aforemen-
tioned and equally divided as is before stated certify before us
this day and year as above

Witness

James Rayburn

James Parnell Jr

Robert Johnson

John Rayburn Secy

I bequeath to my son John Rayburn my saddle girth coat
and Hubs

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John Rayburn Secy

At Montgomery March Court 1868.

The last will and Testament of John Rayburn deceased, with two
several bequests thereto annexed was presented in Court and proven
the said will and first bequest by the oath of Alexander H. Peter &
son and Robert Johnson. The second bequest by the oath of

James Barnett Junr and Roswell Johnson witnesses thereto, sub-
scribed and ordered to be recorded and one motion of
Samuel Franklin William Roper and William Rayburn
the Executors therein named who made oath and entered into
Bond with security according to Law Certificate is granted
them for obtaining a probate thereof in due form

John Charles Taylor, Clerk

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Inventory of the personal Estate of Elizabeth Charlton de^d appraised
by Henry Gentry, John Johnson & John Lumsden the 20th day of Feb^r
1808 as recd to the Order of Court

3 Shirts w/ 8/- each	coll	8/-
1 pair of pants	11	"
1 pair of white linen	12	"
1 Black & white linen	12	"