

White
John

Houston is not permitted by me to marry any Person without the consent and approbation of her father and mother that she Mr. Houston is not permitted by me to marry any other slave but at home where her father and mother is, if she Marries White Houston was not comply with this my wish request of this will I desire that the property and money that I have will be taken from her by my Executors and they keep the same in trust for the use and benefit of my sister Mrs. C. Houston and her other children as in the last part of the third bequest of this will 10th will and desire that my friends Robert Porter, Rufus W. Bradston or Joseph Henderson may have my niece Martha M. Henderson taking care of her until her father and mother get her in possession of home that she lives with one of them then until her father can come and get her again I desire that her father comes home with her for her again I desire that my Executors make some suitable arrangements for her refugeance to send her with her father

11th I will and desire that my friends Robert Porter Rufus W. Bradston and Joseph Henderson shall execute this my last will and testament surely revoking and annulling every other former wills and testaments by me at any time heretofore made. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 28th of August 1846

Signed, sealed and acknowledged
as the last will and testament of
John White and published in our presence

John White (seal)
Alexander Kipppatrick
B. F. Landon

Plumlee
Stephen

I Stephen Plumlee do make and publish this as my last will and Testament surely revoking and annulling all other wills by me at any other time made. First I direct that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of my money that I may be provided of or may first come into the hands of my Executor. Secondly I give and bequeath to my son John Plumlee one dollar. Thirdly I give and bequeath to my daughter Polly M. Brown one dollar. Fourthly I give and bequeath to my daughter Rebecca Barton one dollar. Fifthly I give and bequeath to my daughter Peggy one dollar. Sixthly I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Manning one dollar. Seventhly I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Ray one dollar. Eighthly I give and bequeath to the heirs of my son William Plumlee one dollar. Ninthly I give and bequeath all the balance of of my Estate of every description to my wife Esther Plumlee and it is my will that at the death of my said wife Esther Plumlee that my two Slaves Milton and Henry be set free agreeable to the laws of the state of Tennessee lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint Hagers Ruder my Executor in witness whereof I do to this

Plumlee
Stephen

my will set my hand and seal, this 19th day of January 1847.
Signed sealed and published in
our presence and we have subscribed
our names here in the presence of the Deeds this 19th day of January
1847.
Ben. Cunningham
John Brablie

Ransbarger
Nancy

I Nancy Ransbarger of the County of Blount and State of Tennessee do make and publish this as my last will and Testament surely revoking all former wills by me at any time made. First after paying all of my funeral expenses I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Ransbarger a certain Slave named Lela and I also do give and relinquish unto Mary all my interest in the stock of sheep that is in the farm I also do give unto Mary my two shubs the one a cotton shub and the other a quilt shub together with a certain Pot vessel with a handle in and I also give my floor shackle to Mary. Second I do give unto my daughter Elizabeth an Large eight gallon Pot and I do give unto my daughter Janet C. Cornell my bed and furniture with my floor shub and also my Arm Chair together with all new and small Pot. — 4th I do give unto Mary my Butler and all of my Pot Hooks together with my Fire dogs shod and Dumps. I do constitute and appoint John Sample you my Executor. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and signed my seal this 23rd day of January 1846, Nancy Ransbarger Seal
Signed sealed and executed
in the presence of M. B. Williams
J. B. Russell

Myers
Phillip

I Philip Myers do make and publish this as my last will & Testament surely revoking and annulling all other wills by me at any time made. First I direct that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of my money that I may be provided of or first come into the hands of my Executor. Secondly I give and bequeath unto Elizabeth Davis and her children all my real and personal estate that I may be possessed of. And if there should be any person or persons claiming in whole or in part and bequeath unto them one dollar each. Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint Elizabeth Davis and Jacob Davis my Executors. In witness whereof I do to this my will set my hand and seal, this 25th day of Feb. 1847.
Signed sealed published
in our presence and we have subscribed

Phillip Myers
Elizabeth Davis

Myers
Phillip

namus Graduate in presence of the Doctor this 23d
day of Oct 1847
Wm B. Wright
Wm C. Coker

Boyle
Matthew H.

I Being feeble and in Bad Health I make this my last will
and Testament respecting my earthly Estate. First after
my death I want to be decently buried in Burial
Ground having Ground. Second my wife Mary and
my son William Graves and I want such
heads and foot stones put up at my grave like
that at my wife's grave. Second I bequeath to my
beloved wife Mary Boyle and set apart for her for
ever the following property Viz Two Negroes Charles
and his wife Ann, and all the household and kitchen
furniture that she brought to my house when she came
here to live. I also give her my Gray mare Sue and
my Pig & my Harness, and sprats my headroom
my new basket, Five Ears and Lamb's Head bone and
Culver and the yearling Heifers Two Doves and Pige
and give her old Black Hogs, and a division of
the building about the House and Five hundred
dollars in cash I allow and authorize my Executors
to pay over the above named sum to her now in
consideration of the aforesaid bequeathed property and
sums to my wife Mary. She relinquishes all her rights
to what to said will and being fully satisfied with
said property going to her. Said Mary Boyle agrees to
the above and good that agreement I proceed to make
my distribution or division amongst my children
I bequeath to my daughter Malinda Caroline Boyle
matthe boy, John and black girl Eliza and Mary
and Liza infant girl child Lucretia I give
my my brown Horse called Billy Barlow and
also her bridle and saddle and her mother
saddle her mother's Burial and first with all of her
mother's clothes about the house one or China that
is in my kitchen four cut glass Tumblers one
set silver Tea Spoons marked M.B. and one set
silver Tea Spoons one small glass bowl and a
large spinning wheel also one Bible and her
own Books her School Books and one
leather bed and bedstead & Furniture
I give and bequeath to my son Joseph I Boyle
my mulatto mear Boy Allen and his wife Hannah
and newborn girl child called Rachel. I give also
to him my new saddle and bridle on Bay Pilly
yearling and New Colt. I give and bequeath to my
son William Ramsey Boyle my black Boy George and
black girl Martha and also his little saddle and
bridle and leather bed and furniture and leather
his spelling Book Testament and Bible
I give and bequeath to my son Mathew the Doyle son

Boyle
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black boy Alfred son time called John and black girl called
Sara with me father bed and furniture and head stead, and
also one small saddle and on one on spelling book Testament
and Bible - I give and bequeath to my son Guilford Leamon
Boyle my black girl Betsy and black girl Nancy
both being Polign children. I give father bed and bedstead
and furniture one spelling book Testament and Bible.
My wish and desire is all of my other property that is not
expressly disposed of that may come into the hands
of my Executors may be sold on such time as my Execu
tors may think best and the proceeds of the sale be
equally divided between my daughter Caroline
and my four sons viz Joseph L. William R. Althorn
Guilford & of my wife's Estate I want my land
sold on time and the Executors utilizing the Debt
until the last installment is paid. my wish is that my
son Joseph William Mathew & Guilford be sent to school
to Guilford Teachers until they get at least a good English
education and if they seem promising and have
a desire to study the Latin and study a profession
then and therefore my wish is that their guardians
shall attend to and see that they are kept at some
college of good reputation and out of the tuition
of these Negroes or part of them I shall pay their clothing
and for their Education my wish and desire is
that the Negroes that I have willed to my children
shall be hired out to such persons as will treat
them humanely none more than many fine them
bound to do so and keep them for the time they
may have them clear of any expense to their
owners. If any of my children shall die before
they arrive at the age of twenty one years and
have no heirs then I will their property to be equally
divided amongst my other children that may be
living. Joseph L. Malinda Caroline shall pay each
of them to Guilford to Boyle and Ray shall also
pay to Mathew & William R. Fifty dollars
each in consequence of their negroes being of the
most value I request and appoint James S. Hays
Guarantian for my daughter Malinda Caroline
I request and appoint Major Isaac Guarantian for
my son Joseph L. I request and appoint Guil
ford Leamon Guarantian for my son William
R. and Mathew and I request and appoint
Nigam Boyle Guarantian for my son Guilford &
Boyle I do appoint Guilford Leamon William & Boyle
William Mathew and James S. Hays my true and
lawful Executors to carry out this my last will
and Testament or as many of them as may
act in that capacity March 27 1847

Wm B. Wright
Guilford to

Math Boyle Seal