

account given & acts one therefore. I have it that my
two Selves Es then ^{my} Jane Esthys Cheed and all their children
born after the date of this my last will ^{my} Testament go
into the hands of my friend William Blyson whom I hereby
nominate as Executor to take charge of said estate immediately
after my death and where they shall until they raised a
fund sufficient to transport them to Liberia in Africa
and settle them comfortably in that country under the regulations
of the American Colonization Society and also to allow my said
Trustee reasonable compensation for his services if should
my said Trustee die before this trust is performed then I
direct my Executor to Execute this trust. Said Selves to
the free afternoon as said fund above is raised I do hereby make
and appoint my Esteemed friend ^{my} neighbor William Blyson
my Executor of this my last will ^{my} Testament. I witness
whereof I Samuel Roseborough the said Testator here to this
my last will ^{my} Testament Sub. my name & Seal this 28th
day of October 1851

Witnesses 6 Nov 1851

Burgess Richards

H. B. Wagner. Wm. Blyson

Samuel Roseborough

County Court February Term 1853

That the Last will ^{my} Testament of Samuel Roseborough decd
was presented to said Court for probate & was as duly proven
by the Oaths of Burgess Richards H. B. Wagner & Wm. Blyson
the Rules & laws & usages thereto & was as ordered to be recorded
as the Law directs. Witness my hand at office February
20/1853

J. E. Taylor Clerk.

Witnesses Burgess Richards

Richard Sharpe & Richard Sharp of the County of Transient in Tennessee here
This
that after my death the following disposition be made of
my estate that is to say; I give to my wife Elizabeth during
her life or widowhood & under the other restrictions here-
in after specified the use of the following property real &
personal viz; the farm on which I now live & have lived
for many years on Hagerman's land except the portion of said
farm after otherwise disposed of also the use of four
horses viz; Gabriel, Hannah, Julia & Ann also two Carriage
& a pair of horses a cart and yoke of Oxen two beds &
bedsteads & furniture thereof which are twenty three
hogs & as many of my farming utensils & as much of
Kitchen furniture as she may need upon the free
condition that my wife & one of our children during her
life or widowhood & our two grand children under
this will ^{my} Nancy this children of our daughter Polly Bill

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[illegible]

now live thence with my East boundary line South one hundred
 and forty poles to the head of Tagmor Creek thence down the same
 South 61° West thirty-four poles thence North 83° West forty three
 poles thence South 66° West thirty-seven poles thence North bounding
 the Creek one hundred and thirty-one poles to a stake in a lane
 thence East one hundred and twenty poles to the beginning also in the
 same manner a negro boy named Jackson a negro boy named
 Henry son of Hannah and a negro woman named Susan and
 her son and daughter from this day. I exchange my negro Ellen
 for Susan with John G. Braxton and in the same manner my
 Stallion Lap dog also in the same manner a tract of land in
 Arkansas conveyed to me from Robert Hines by deed dated 24th
 July 1822. 11 I give to my grand child Anne a negro woman
 named Ann and a bed and furniture and
 negro to remain in the family of my wife without account
 as long as my said grand child does to help to support him
 12 I give also to my grand child Nancy Hill a bed and
 furniture and a horse and saddle and two hundred dollars
 to be raised as for her after provided and to be expended
 under the direction of my Execution in said Nancy's
 Education until she arrives at the legal age to choose
 a guardian and until she does choose a guardian who
 shall then manage and fund of two hundred dollars
 13 I give to Richard Shoop and James Shoop sons of my son
 James Shoop deed and to them their forever a tract of land
 in the County of Franklin containing two hundred and fifty
 acres and more or less as the land and on which it being the
 same on which my son Richard now lives 14 I give to
 my son Jack the sum of five hundred dollars to be raised
 as his hereafter directed 15 I give to my grand child William
 Hill son of Pally Hill deed and his heirs forever a tract of land
 of two hundred acres in the County of Franklin
 as the surveying paid track 16 I give to my grand child
 Richard Hill son of Pally Hill deed and his heirs forever
 a tract of land of five hundred acres in coffee county Tennessee
 on the waters of Duck River granted to me by the State of
 Tennessee by grant No 41st 17 I give to my grand
 children George Hill and Jesse Hill sons of Pally Hill deed
 my undivided interest in a tract of land of fifty
 hundred acres lying in the County of Franklin on the waters
 of Spring and Rock Creeks adjoining the lands of James Shoop
 Thomas Abner and others and bounded by George Gray and mine
 18 I give to my son in Law Edward Hill his note held by
 me for \$150.00 19 I give to my son in Law James Hill
 his note held by me for \$29.95 20 I will that all of my
 real and personal estate not herein before disposed of
 which may hereafter be sold by my Execution. The residue
 a debt before and two years and the personal upon a

of one year and that the proceeds of both be appropriated first
to the payment of my debts then to the objects and uses of this
my will, the residue of any I must I decided equally among
my daughter Nancy Hoise and Juliet Jane Hoise and my
grand child Nancy Hoise my daughter Nancy to have the
separate use of her share thereof for life remainder to the
issue of her body forever 21. If the Executor of this will
is authorized to sell then is authorized to convey to whom my
Executor is pleased. I mean the person who actually
executed this will whether a trustee or trust estate is
created or either accrues by implication the person or persons
who execute this will shall act as trustee or trustees or
may appoint trustee by Act 22 I appoint then as Edward
Vanderbilt Executor of this my last will and Testament. 23
I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 28th July 1846
witnessed before my notary

Argued and read a second time

and signed by Richard Hoise

as his last will and Testament in our presence and we Lord
Deputy called the same at the request of said Hoise in his
presence and in the presence of each other the date above
written. Notary

Richard Hoise (28)

Margaret Estlin Thomas Wilson

Here
State of Tennessee, Be it remembered at a Supreme Court
of errors and appeals began and held at the Court House in
the City of Nashville on the first Monday of December A.D.
1852. Present the Hon. Ross J. Fanning Associate &
Robert L. Condit Judges & when the following
proceedings were had to wit:

Margaret Estlin & others

vs
Edw. Hoise & by Hoise
This day came the parties aforesaid
by their attorneys whereupon as the
record of proceedings aforesaid as the main for errors
assigned by the said Margaret Estlin vs. Hoise and by
the Court there fully considered for that it seems to the
Court that neither in the record of proceedings aforesaid nor
in examining the judgment aforesaid in any thing is there error
it is therefore considered by the Court that the judgment
in this Cause in the Court below be in all things affirmed
and that the paper coming in the pleading mentioned heretofore
to be the last will and Testament of Richard Hoise be as
the last will and Testament of the said Richard Hoise and
as such certified and decreed in the Chancery office
of the County of Davidson County to the Clerk of this Court to
certify to the County Court aforesaid this judgment together
with the order as aforesaid and it is further ordered by the Court

that the said James H. Eslee met & joined wth John H. Dechard & Joseph
James Shoppe & their heirs & assigns are and lawfully are the heirs & assigns of the estate
in this proceedings in this Court & in the Court below & that the said Eslee now
issue

State of Tennessee: I James P. Blount (Clerk of the Supreme
Court of Tennessee) do hereby certify that the foregoing
is a true copy of the judgment of said Court in the above Cause
as appears of Record in my Office. In testimony whereof I
have hereunto set my hand & affixed the Seal
of said Court at office in Nashville this 12th day of
January A.D. 1853 & 17th year of American Independence
J. P. Blount. Clerk

County Court February Term 1853. Then the Last Will &
Testament of Richard Shoppe do read & the foregoing transcript
of the records of the Supreme Court of Tennessee do appear & are
Hereset in Court & being ordered to be recorded as the last
will & Testament of my hand, at Office Feb. 20, 1853.
Wm. E. Gaylon Clerk
to here

William Faris the Last Will & Testament of William Faris of the County
of Franklin and State of Tennessee: I William Faris of the
County of Franklin and State of Tennessee being weak of body and
suffering from infirmity and considering the
uncertainty of this transitory life do make and publish this
my last Will & Testament in manner and form following
to wit: First it is my will & I do ordain that all my
debts and funeral expenses be duly paid and satisfied as soon
after my death as may be consistent with the interests of
my Estate. Second It is my will & desire that my
Executor herein after mentioned proceed immediately after the
payment of my debts be in an estate & set free three of
my slaves to wit: Pacey, London Schooter & Tanny & that the
said Pacey & Tanny be at full freedom of man or woman as the laws of
Tennessee may require & if necessary to remove them to
any other State or Government. To effectuate this clause of my
Will & Testament I to enable my Executor to execute this
clause of my Will & to effectuate my intention by the man-
umission of my said slaves Pacey, Schooter & Tanny as herein
inclosed I do hereby charge the whole of my estate both real
& personal with the cost and charges of manumission and
with the support and maintenance of said slaves provision-
ally their manumission and also with the costs of their removal
if it should be necessary to remove them, & such sum as
may be required to accomplish their freedom or as they may
desire to remove to. Third It is my will & desire that the
said slaves Pacey, Schooter & Tanny be permitted to remain