

In the name of God Amen I William Morrison of the County of
Franklin and State of Tennessee being of full legal age and of
sound mind for which blessing I thank God do make and
publish this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling
all former Wills by me made in the following manner (viz) I
will my debts to first to be paid - I give unto my two Daughters
Eliza Sloan and Eleanor Parthena all my land where I now have
my residence equally their natural life and within lawful
limits at their death or they may sell the same if they choose
Also I give to my Daughter Eliza and Eleanor all my negro
slaves also my black - more or less and black horse harness
and all the usages of said more to be equally divided between
them also all my household and kitchen furniture I give to my
son William a barrel more provided he pays a note John
Braggerton holds against me otherwise the said more is to
be sold to pay the same Also I give my son William all
those cows and those calves. Having otherwise provided
for my sons Joseph and Robert D I give them a share of
what ever may be divided in the conclusion. I allow the
farming tools to remain on the farm for the use of the same
I allow my Daughters Eliza and Eleanor to have enough of
hogs to make one good meat also the balance of my sheep
provided all my debts are paid. The balance of my stock and any
other articles not mentioned to be sold and of any money
is left after paying all my debts I allow it to be equally
divided amongst all my children And I would appoint
my trusty friend Benjamin Richard and Thomas Smith my
Executors to this my last Will and Testament. In Testimony
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 21st day of
August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and thirty seven
Signed sealed and acknowledged
in presence of us the day and date
above written
Samuel Scott J M McCosker E A McCosker

State of Tennessee County Court Nov Term 1837 then the within
Franklin County } Will was produced in open Court by one of the
Executors therein named Whereupon came J M McCosker
and E A McCosker Two of the subscribers aforesaid who being first
duly sworn depose and say that they were acquainted with
William Morrison Dead the Testator and that he signed and acknowl-
edged it to be his last Will and Testament in their presence and
accorded upon them to subscribe their names to said Will as witnesses
Whereupon it is ordered by the Court to be recorded Testimony William
Braggerton Clerk of said Court at office the 6th day of Nov 1837
J M McCosker
Recorded in my office the 9th Nov 1837
H W Braggerton Clerk