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Thirdly I give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Harris  
Twenty Dollars for which I have previously heretofore provided

for  
Fourth I give and bequeath to my son James Armstrong  
or his heirs one dollar for which I have previously heretofore  
provided for

Fifth I will and bequeath to the Heirs of my Daughter  
Annelly Mannow Eighty Dollars for which I have previously  
heretofore provided for

Sixth I give and bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Staples  
Eighty five Dollars for which I have previously heretofore  
provided for

Seventh I give and bequeath to my Daughter Eliza Armstrong  
1 Bedstead & Furniture & Eighty five Dollars in cash

Eighth I give and bequeath to Daughter Jousanah  
Armstrong 1 Bedstead and furniture & Eighty five Dollars  
in cash

Ninth I give and bequeath to my son Swiley Armstrong  
fifty acres of Land Estate off of the upper end of my  
Land including my dwelling House and out houses  
and one Bed Stead & furniture

Tenth I give and bequeath to my son John  
Armstrong fifty Acres of my Land Estate lying  
next to the part that I have my son Wiley and one  
Bed Stead and furniture

Eleventh I give and bequeath to my son Clinton  
Armstrong the remainder of my Land of any there be

Twelfth I will and bequeath that my Slave Lida  
shall be sold to either with my other personal  
property

Lastly I do hereby Annate and appoint Thomas  
A Long my Executor in Witness whereof I at to this  
my Will at my hand and seal this 23 day of  
July 1861  
John Armstrong

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Signed sealed and signed  
in our presence and we  
have subscribed our names  
here to in the presence  
of the Scribe

July 23<sup>d</sup> 1861

Wm Lyons Jun  
Thomas A Long

Proved 1 Jan 1866 [Co Ct. Min. 2, 1861]

Supp. of Christian Pearson last Will  
I Christian Pearson of the County of Hawkins in the  
State of Tennessee do make this my last will and testament  
hereby revoking all Wills by me heretofore made  
First I hereby give and bequeath to my daughter  
Nancy Bloomer the wife of Isaac Bloomer a certain  
tract of Land lying in said County and bounded as  
follows, viz Beginning on a Beech on a branch  
thence North fifty West Seven and a half poles to  
two ash trees thence North Thirty two and half fifty  
six poles to two small oaks thence North fifty five  
and a half East Seventeen poles to a locust thence  
North Thirty West one hundred and sixty eight  
Poles to two white oaks and said oak Corner of a fifty  
acre grant thence North Twenty poles to a poplar and  
chestnut on another Corner of another fifty acre  
grant on the top of Copper Ridge thence North forty five  
East eighty one poles to a stake thence South twenty  
six East twenty six poles to a stake on a poplar a  
Corner to my old grant thence North with the line of said  
Bloomer to a stake on the line of John Starnes thence to the  
Beginning to have and to hold the said Land until  
the said Nancy Bloomer and her heirs forever  
I also give unto the said Nancy two servants to wit  
Mary and Margaret and whatever increase they  
may have at my death to her and her heirs forever  
I also give to the said Nancy two beds of feathers  
Second I hereby give and bequeath unto my daughter  
Elizabeth Starnes wife of John Starnes a certain  
tract of Land in said County bounded as follows

Beginning on a beech and poplar corner of my old Grant  
thence running with my old line thirty one poles to two  
buckeye and black walnuts in said line then  
north sixty East sixty six poles to a red flowerwood  
and locusts thence north fifty four & a half East twenty  
three poles to buckeye & hawpaw thence north forty  
eight and a half West twenty one and three fourth  
poles to two beeches thence north fifty six and a half  
East eighty eight poles to two ash trees on a branch  
thence South fifty East seven and a half poles to a beech  
on my old line and the line of John Starnes thence  
South fifty five West to the Beginning to have and  
to hold the same tract of land unto the said Elizabeth  
Starnes and her heirs forever. I also give to the said  
Elizabeth one negro girl named Harriett and whatever  
increase she may have at my death to her and heirs  
forever and also two feather beds.

Third I give and bequeath  
unto my son William S. Person the following lands  
lying in said County viz all that is left of my old  
Grant after taking what is given in the preceding  
part of this will to the said Nancy Bloomer and  
Elizabeth Starnes also one other tract of fifty acres  
which I hold by a Grant from the State of Tennessee  
dated 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1835 I also give unto my  
said son the balance that is left of another Grant  
for fifty acres to me from the said State after taking out  
what is given in the preceding part of this will  
to my said daughter Nancy the said Grant is  
also dated the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1835 I also give  
to my said son the following Slaves to wit Cindy  
Wimsey Lotty and her child Angelina and whatever  
increase they may have at my death I also give to my  
said son all the horse beasts on my farm or belonging to  
me except a bay filly and sorrel filly and two  
hacks which I give to my son with three Ninets

The oldest Colt owned by one of the old Servant  
and two Cotts I also give to my said son all the Cattle  
that I now own or may own at my death all the

Hogs owned at my death and all the sheep on  
hand at the time of my death also my stills tools &c  
and all my household and kitchen furniture except  
the two beds before mentioned for my daughters  
I also give my said son my loom wagon and all  
my garing and farming utensils of every kind  
and description I also give to my said son whatever  
grain and fodder may be on hand at the time  
of my death to gather with my blacksmith tools  
I also give my said son one negro boy named Ike  
for whom the said William S. Person now has a  
Bill of Sale I also give to my said son all my  
monies and notes or obligations and all claims of  
every kind that may belong to me at the time of  
my death

Fourth I hereby give and bequeath  
unto my grandson William Bloomer a tract of  
land in said County containing eighty acres which  
was granted to me by the State of Tennessee by  
Grant No. 24,455 dated 27<sup>th</sup> October 1837

Fifth I  
hereby give and bequeath unto my son William S.  
Person a certain tract of land owned by me in the  
said County of Hawkins which land he is to have  
and to hold during his natural life and my  
will is that my servant Howard live and stay  
with my said son and that he kindly treated and  
that he remain under the care and control of my said  
son as long as my said son lives and that the said  
servant Howard may select some one of my relations  
to live with and the said last mentioned as given  
to my said son shall go to the person so selected  
by my said servant Howard the said tract of  
land contains about one hundred and twenty  
five acres forming the lands of Ezekiel Anderson  
to Anderson Noah P. Anderson and John  
Starnes

Sixth I hereby give to my son in law  
John Starnes one sorrel filly now owned by me



In Testimony Whereof I have subscribed  
my Name & set my Seal this 4<sup>th</sup> day of November 1861  
Witnessed before signed  
Signed & sealed & published  
by the Testator in our presence  
& acknowledged by him  
Wm. Ketherland  
W. C. Kyle

secondly I have heretofore given to my Daughter Elizabeth South what I consider a full share of my property I therefore give and bequeath to the said Elizabeth South one Dollar

Thirdly I give and bequeath to my Daughter Margaret White a part of the farm on which I now live beside Beginning at a point on the line between J H Vance & my self about in p<sup>er</sup> North East of the Spring house & running thence Westwardly to the Corner of a small orchard lot thence Southwardly with the present fence to the road so as to include the stable thence crossing the road over a small House and with the Calf lot fence to the South East Corner of Soia lot thence a Strait line Eastwardly to Soia Donas line and with Soia line Northwardly to the beginning including the Tan Yard Stabel small house on the South side of the Road and the Mansion House in which her Husband James White now resides