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4th I give unto my daughter Frances S. Ashby a feather bed and furniture a cow and calf a cotton wheel and cards when she arrives at lawful age or marries

5th I give unto my son Nathan A. Ashby a horse bridle and saddle and a shot gun when he arrives at lawful age

6th I give unto my daughter Merriam Jane Ashby a feather bed and furniture a cow and calf a cotton wheel and cards when she arrives at lawful age or marries

7th I give unto my daughter Nancy A. Ashby a feather bed and furniture a cow and calf a cotton wheel and cards when she arrives at lawful age or marries

8th I give unto my daughter Mary Ashby a feather bed and furniture a cow and calf a cotton wheel and cards when she arrives at lawful age or marries

9th My will and desire is that the above named property to be given to my sons and daughters be valued at the time they receive it, and if it is not equal at that time to be made equal in the general division of my property as I want my daughters as well as sons to share equally a like in my property of every description

10th My will and desire is that my executors sell the lands I once sold to Burwell C. Quinn containing about twenty seven acres in anyway they see proper in order to enable them to comply with the above gifts

11th My will and desire is that the debts I now owe together with my future expenses be paid out of the money owing to me, but if that should not be sufficient any property that can be best spared from my family discretionary with my executors be sold on a twelve months credit and the money thence arising to finish paying my debts and expenses

12th My will and desire is that should my wife Levina Ashby after her way of living by a second marriage she can take her choice either to take a child's part of my land as hers for ever or a third part during her natural life in either case my

will and desire is that the balance of all the land and property left be sold on a twelve months credit immediately except the lands which must be sold on a credit of one, two and three years and the money thence arising be equally divided between my above named seven children

15th And lastly I do appoint my friends Francis Ashby and Abner Stud my Executors to this my last will and testament believing they will see it properly executed

Alexander Ashby

Signed, Sealed, published and pronounced to be the last will and testament of Alexander Ashby in presence of us August 24th 1840

William Ashby

Chloe Steadman

Proven at the January Term 1841 of the Lincoln County Court and Registered January 7th 1841.

Copy delivered to S. Ashby 18th Aug 1841.

W. H. Jones Clerk

The Last Will and Testament of James Campbell
I do give and bequeath unto my wife Margaret Campbell all my right title and claim and interest of the tract of Land on which now live containing one hundred and thirty five acres to have and to hold during her life and at the death of my wife Margaret it shall and that my son-in-law Lewis Namack shall have the said tract of land provided he will pay each of my daughters fifty dollars Elizabeth Lucinda and Mary Ann & Lucinda Wherry and provided my son-in-law Lewis Namack does not pay each of the above named heirs it is my will and desire that the above named tract of Land shall be sold all together to the highest bidder and the money to be equally divided between the four named heirs whereas I have hereunto set my hand and seal. Nov. the 31st 1840.

Attest

Paul Single

R. B. Ramsey

William Ramsey

Proven at the March Term 1841 of the Lincoln County Court

M. D. May 29th 1841

W. H. Jones Clerk