

public places in the County and sell it in one
and two years credit taking bond with two
affidavits securing and divide the proceeds Equally
between my children I will to my wife one Negro
boy called in one Negro man named Mariah
and her child George and her increase if any
to be hers during her natural life or widow
hood area at her decease or marriage I want
my executors to proceed to sell the above named
tracts of land and negroes in a twelve month
credit taken bond with affidavits securing and
the proceeds to be equally divided between my chil-
dren namely Leah H. John H. William H. Mar-
tha E. John H. George J. Elizabeth A. Cassius H.
James E. M. Lucina my wife to have a child's part
of the whole

I want my executors to see of and sell apart horses suf-
ficient to cultivate the land and cattle keep suf-
ficient for their support and propagation all
the house hold and kitchen furniture I wish
to remain for the benefit of my family I want
my executors to proceed to sell to the Christ
Bazaar in a twelve month credit my stock of
Gems and all such property as my executors
should deem necessary to be sold and after
all my debt is paid the proceeds to be equally
divided between my heirs above named

I do hereby appoint James F. McCarver William H.
Blaine and John Fowler my executors to this
my last will and testament in witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and seal the first
day of September in year of our Lord one thousand
Eight hundred and forty five J. W. Blair

Witness my hand and publication in the presence of
of the Statute and of each other 1845 the 28th of Oct. 1845
J. W. Blair

John Austin Will
In the name of God amen
John Austin do make and publish this as my last
will & testament hereby revoking and making void
all other wills by me at any time made
1st I direct that my funeral expenses and all my debt
shall be paid as soon as possible after my death out of
any money that I may be possessed of or may first
come into my the hands of my executors
2^d I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth
Austin twelve acres of land in Lincoln County
where my dwelling house stands and all my personal
property that is left after paying expenses and debt
besides what I have given to my children
3rd I give and bequeath to my daughter Sally Thom-
pkins one dollar more than what she has had
out of my estate
4th I give and bequeath to Hardy Wirming-
ham one tract of land lying in Giles County
in the waters of Rushing creek containing forty
seven acres on which Leell Thornton now lives
the said property to be held by said Hardy
Wirmingham upon the following trust that
he permit my daughter Sally Thornton
wife of Leell Thornton to have the pos-
session and use of said land during her nat-
ural life for her comfort and support and
the support of her children so that the same
or the proceeds thereof shall not be subject
to the control debt or contract of her hus-
band and at the death of said daughter
I bequeath said land or property to her
children to be equally divided amongst
them should a said daughter at any time think
that the care and comfort of any said
daughter and her children could

be promoted by renting said land he is at liberty to do so and pay the proceeds to my said daughter for the purchase aforesaid should the execution of this trust at any times become incommenced to the trustee he may with the consent of my said daughter substitute some other suitable person in his stead or place

Fifth. I give and bequeath to my son Andrew or Austin all the remainder of my lands in Lincoln and Giles County also if there should be any of the property as mentioned secondly at the death of my wife I leave it to my son Andrew or Austin also testly I do hereby nominate and appoint Hardy Rivingham my Executor

In witness whereof I do to this my will set my hand and seal this 28 March 1845

John ^{his} Austin 
mark

Signed sealed and published in our presence and we have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the testator this

Spencer Leatherwood
R. B. Leatherwood

proven & admitted to record
at February Term 1846

Last Will and Testament H. Warren

Henry Warren of the County of Lincoln and State of Tennessee being in a low state of health but of perfect sound mind do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following To wit, I Give and bequeath to my eldest son John E. Warren one Negro Girl by the name of Abby who is now in his possession and valued at five hundred and fifty dollars & also a Negro Boy by the name of Edward valued at eight hundred dollars which two Negroes amount to one hundred and thirty three dollars and 42 cents more than his equal division of my estate which it is my will that he pay into my estate on the reception of the Boy Edward

Item 2. I give and bequeath unto my son William Warren my Boy Cato who is now in his possession and valued at Eight hundred dollars also my boy Isaac valued at two hundred and fifty dollars which two Negroes by valuation will amount to one hundred and fifty dollars and also one hundred and sixty five dollars and fifty Cents to be paid to him by my executors so soon as they shall be able to collect the same out of any monies due to my estate not otherwise appropriate

Item 3. I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Elizabeth wife of Joseph Plepkins my Negro woman Dier valued at three hundred dollars and my girl Luiza which is now in her possession and valued at three hundred dollars which two Negroes I give to her