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a true copy and tenor of said original will,
and that the said Hinchin Holcomb signed, sealed
published & declared the same to be his last will
and testament and that they subscribed their
names thereto as witnesses at his request and in
his presence, and that they believe him to be
at the time of signing, sealing, publishing and
declaring the same to be of sound mind and
memory -- It was therefore ordered by the
Court that this copy of tenor together with
this probate be recorded. Price M. Garner

By his deputy B. M. G. Party

Recorded 14 July 1829

John Harrison's last will

In the name of God amen.

I John Harrison do appoint this to
be my last will & testament.

First, I give to my beloved wife all my
estate of every kind. At her death, I wish an
equal division among my children, taking into
consideration what I paid them (viz) I have paid
Thomas fifty dollars, and Middleton one hundred
and thirty, A note on William Massey of fifty
dollars I wish given up to him. I wish Lucy Coatham
to be my Executor to this my last will and tes-
tament. In Witness I hereunto set my hand
official this month of April 1829

John Harrison 

Signed, sealed, and delivered in presence of us

Test Peter Brown

Robert R. Allsop

Morgan ^{his} Maltby

State of Tennessee

Lincoln County Court & April 20th 1829 J. Price

Benjamin Merrill Will in 1829
M. Garner clerk of said Court do certify, that this
last will and testament of John Harrison de-
ceased was produced in open Court for probate
whereupon came Robert R. Allsop and Morgan
~~Maltby~~ the subscribing witnesses thereto and
being duly sworn state that they saw and heard
the said John Harrison sign seal publish and
declare the same to be his last will and testa-
ment, and that they believe him to be at the
time of sound mind and memory, whereupon
it was ordered by the Court that this will together
with this probate be recorded. Price M. Garner

By his deputy B. M. G. Party

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James Brown's last will

April the tenth day 1829. In the name
of God almighty & almerciful I do make this
my last will & testament for the disposition of
my own affairs; and the appropriation of my
own estate. I want my wife Mary Brown to
have and to live on my tract of land where
on I now live to raise my nine youngest
children and to educate them as well as she
can; and at her death or during her widow-
hood, them to be equally divided between my
three youngest sons my tract of land which
contains of one hundred and fifty acres be-
tween Alexander Brown, ~~James~~ Brown
William Brown. I want my negroes to belong
to my beloved wife Mary during her widow-
hood or death, and then to be sold and the a-
mount of such sale to be equally divided among
my six youngest daughters Martha Brown