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The portion of my effects that may come into the hands of my daughter Anna Adeline and arriving at lawful age shall be hers during her natural life and to descend to her children after her death in as full a manner as it was vested in the mother in her lifetime by deed. And during at full age if the Court think him incompetent to manage his Estate will appoint a guardian for his special benefit I hereby appoint my brother Thomas Buchanan my Executor to the my last will and testament. I also desire that Campbell Edmister be appointed the guardian for my three children Anna Adeline, I and Cyrus, J. and I wish him to have full control of them as to their schooling and raising generally and that the amount of ^{from his hands} fees and shall go into his hands without delay and it is my desire that that the Court appoint my brother Thomas Buchanan the guardian of my three children since A. Thaddeus J. & Cyrus, J. And that portions of the property that has come into my hands or my hands come into other hands for them from the estate of my deceased I desire that the sale of my matters given that Thomas Buchanan be vested with full power to sell for the said ^{as far as} full a manner as I could have done myself in case of the death of either of the Guardians viz Campbell Edmister or that W Buchanan. I desire that the Kinners over Beardsall have nothing to do with the amount of their funds or the children in any manner whatever and I also give Thomas W Buchanan Power to him to give private or to the last advantage for their general welfare and the children until they arrive at lawful age. Given under my hand and the day of March in the year of our Lord Eight hundred and Fifty seven.

Witness my hand and seal this 1st day of March 1857.

John W Buchanan

Witness my hand and seal this 1st day of March 1857.

William Moffitt

Last Will of Anthony Crawford 1850

I Anthony Crawford of the County of Lincoln and State of Illinois being sound in mind make and constitute this my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time made.

First I direct that my bequest and all my just debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any monies that I may die possessed of or that may first come into the hands of my Executors.

Secondly I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth and certain her bequest and bequest of several clothing for and her bequest the sum of \$1000 and she may make choice of also and her to her mother and her bequest \$1000 and a side saddle worth twenty five dollars also one negro girl named Martha.

Thirdly It is my desire that Mary Jane Stelton my granddaughter have a bed and bedstead and furniture and a Bureau worth twenty dollars also and she be bequeathed that she now has also one negro boy named Tony and I want it distinctly understood that she is to be charged nothing for her raising. I desire the bequest made to Mary Jane Stelton in the event of her dying before she becomes of age or without issue to revert to the same distribution of the balance of my Estate.

Fourthly it is my will and desire that the remainder of my estate both real & personal be sold and the proceeds be equally divided between my wife Elizabeth Williams & Crawford the heirs of that Crawford deceased Percy Bromall's bodily heirs Francis Smith's bodily heirs Carter & Crawford heirs and the heirs of Charles M Crawford deceased and to Elizabeth Bratton and her bodily heirs and to Mary Jane Stelton my grand daughter it is my further desire that my loans be paid upon and two years credit and the remainder of my property upon twelve months credit. I desire it further that I have some several notes upon my son William M Crawford a part of which I have paid

191 at his Library, which is to be deducted with interest
from his portion. Also I have a note upon Brod & Co.
for some two hundred Dollars which I wish to be
deducted at the above. I hereby authorize and empower
my Executors to sell my real estate without further
action in the premises.

Last I do hereby nominate and appoint E. H. Roman
& William Tally my Executors. And witness
whereof I do this my last will set my hand and
seal this 15 day of August 1854

Anthony Crawford ^{and}
Signed Sealed and published in our presence
As Acknowledged by four Subscribing witnesses
Our names

Daniel Smith

Wm. A. Galt

Abner Brady

George Waggoner

Felix Waggoner

Done in open Court this 15th June 1854

Chas. S. Hoag Clerk

Last Will of William Cooper dec'd 191.
I William Cooper do make and publish this
as my last will and testament hereby revoking and
making void all other wills by me at any time made
First I direct that all my funeral Expenses and all
my just debts be paid as soon after my death as
possible out of any money that I may die possessed of
Or my may first come into the hands of any of
my Executors. I give and bequeath unto my
beloved wife Susanah and her and furniture
thirdly I give and bequeath to Susanah her body and
bed and furniture.

Fourthly I give and bequeath to my son James Cooper
One Dollar to John Cooper and Dollars to
Mathew Cooper and Dollars to Jacob Cooper
One Dollar to Eli F. Cooper and Dollar and to
Phillip Cooper and Dollar

Fifthly I will that my Executors sell my Landed Stock
of every description house hold and Kitchen
Furniture tools &c. and a credit of Twelve months
and the one third part of the proceeds of said
Sale I will and bequeath to my beloved wife
Susanah the other two thirds of said Sale I wish
to be equally divided between my two sons Noah &
Asa Cooper and my Daughter Phoebe Boyer

Last I do hereby nominate and appoint my beloved
wife Susanah my Executors & John Mord
my Executors. And witness whereof I do to this
my last will set my hand and seal this 18th July
1854 William Cooper

Signed Sealed and published in our presence and
in the presence of the testator this 18th July 1854

Saml. Merrill

A. M. C. Whitworth

Done in open Court this 18th July 1854

Chas. S. Hoag Clerk