

gallon Bottle. I do give and bequeath to my son Joseph my Silver Tankard and my Carving Knife and Stab. I do give and bequeath to my son Robert my small trap kettle. I do hereby make and ordain my sons Charles and Griswold Executors of this my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I the said Jonathan Salmon have to this my last will, and Testament set my hand and seal the day and year before written.

Signed, sealed, published Jonathan Salmon 
and declared by the said Jonathan Salmon the Testator in his last will and Testament in presence of us who were present and at the signing and sealing thereof William Rice
Thomas Jackson.

In the name of God Amen I John McGuire of the County of Sumner and State of Tennessee being in perfect mind and of sound judgment hereby declaring to witness the morality of my body and that in doing I must be remembered with those in the dust but my soul I commend to God who goes it and my body to the grave to be buried in a Christian dec-
cent manner at the discretion of my Executors, and as touching my worldly property, with which it hath pleased God to bless me, I give bequeath and dispose of the same in the following manner &c.

First I order and allow and command my beloved wife, her living and support see that the plantation the same to be provided her, and the Stock and their increase consisting of two horses, five Cows & Calves with all the kitchen and household furniture.

Bedding and Cloths, and my Cloths to be distributed at the discretion of my wife, and one hundred dollars in Cash for ever to be paid by my son Thomas.

Second: I give to my son George McGuire the one half of my plantation to be divided by Conditional boundaries, I made and that that part of my Stock which was always named for him consisting of horses, Cows and Hogs, and the half of my plantation and farming tools for ever.

Third I give to my son Thomas McGuire the other half of my plantation, and that part of my Stock which was always named for him, and the other half of my plantation and farming tools for ever.

Fourth I give to my much beloved daughters Sally, Bell, Maria Gillespie, Sidney Bradden, and Anthony, and each of their husbands, that part which I heretofore put into their hands for ever.

Lastly I constitute, ordain and appoint to this my last will and Testament, my two sons George and Thomas McGuire, and to revoke disavow and disallow all other former wills, and do ratify and confirm this to be my last.

Signed, sealed & pronounced John McGuire 
this 10th of Sept 1803. in presence of
Jest. Geo Gillespie
Abel Bradden.

Nb. I constitute I Charles Lawrence of Sumner County District of Ohio and State of Tennessee being by the providence of God, in a weak and feeble condition of body but in sound mind and memory, do in the presence of almighty God, constitute this my last will and Testament in the following manner, viz first for as much of my considerable property such as can be best managed

from the use of my family to be sold and purchase made of as much land for the support of my family as may be necessary. I consider my child fit, or sufficient for that purpose; which land is to continue for the use of the widow until the child is of age, provided she continues to act the part of a mother till then; at which period if the widow should have married, the land is to be sold and the money equally divided between my legates. Such as much of my property to be sold as will defray my lawful debts and funeral charges the balance to remain for the use of the widow and the children for the conducting of which purpose, I do by these presents constitute my worthy Brother Robert Lawrence and John Lawrence my executors with Henry my wife, this indenture made this 8th day of December in the year of our Lord 1806.

Signed, sealed and delivered Charles Lawrence ^{his mark} in presence of
Thomas Campbell Sen.
Thomas Campbell Junr.

In the Name of God Amen: I William Henderson of Sussex County and State of Tennessee, being in perfect health and memory; But knowing that the Term of Life is precarious with respect to its duration, and being anxious to preclude all dispute about the distribution of my estate, both real and personal after my decease, do constitute and appoint this my last will & Testament.

Item 1st It is my will and desire that all my just debts should be first satisfied and paid as far as the present annual profits of my estate, together with such debts as may be due me from other persons

will go in discharge thereof, but in case that appropriation should be found to be insufficient, I then direct the tract of land I purchased of John Coffey, lying on the waters of Cedar Creek containing three hundred and fifty acres, to be sold by my executor and executor, hereafter to be mentioned; and the money arising therefrom to be applied towards the payment of my just debts.

Item 2^d I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Lady Henderson the tract of land I purchased of William Hawkins, for and during the term of her natural life, with a reservation of one half of the profits, arising from all my mills, stills, and gin, together with the Gen. stores and packing pen, to be appropriated towards the immediate support and education of my children, until such time as any one of them shall come of lawful age, or marry, whose respective share in the reservation aforesaid, shall then cease, as to him, or her, and, to the use of such of my children, as shall be then within age or unmarried, and so on in the like succession until all my children may come of age, or marry; But, in my will and desire the aforesaid limitation of the reservation, aforesaid shall not extend to defeat the interest of my two sons, Brother Moses Henderson & Daniel Littleton Henderson, but that they shall continue to enjoy the said reserved profits notwithstanding they may come of lawful age or marry. I moreover give and bequeath unto my beloved wife to Henry Henderson, the following negroes by name to wit David, Lu, Ben, Dautrie, Isaac and James, two beds, two boxes of the value of eighty dollars each, and her carriage, likewise eighty dollars worth of furniture, which is the way shown — the aforesaid negroes I give and bequeath unto her for the

tion of his natural life, and then to be disposed of together with the same increase in manner and form as I may hereafter designate.

Item 3rd I give and bequeath unto my son John C. Henderson and his heirs for ever, Six hundred and forty acres of land lying upon Sanders fork, a branch of Smiths fork; which said tract of land my said son John has sold and conveyed for his own use; also two Negroes by name of Phillip and Bob, I give and bequeath unto him for ever; which said Negroes he hath likewise sold for his use and benefit.

Item 4th I give and bequeath unto my son Bennett and let in, the Town of Castalia to be improved with a frame house, System by lightening to be done off in a workman like manner, to have and to hold the afore said lot to him & his heirs for ever.

Item 5th I give and bequeath unto my son William T. Henderson and his heirs for ever, Six hundred and forty acres, of land lying in Wilson County on the head waters of Hickmans Creek - I also give and bequeath unto my son William two Negroes by name Rhoda and Panshallow for ever.

Item 6th I devise unto my son Silbourn S. Henderson five hundred and twenty five acres of land, lying on the waters of Mulkeyins Creek, it being the land I purchased of John Capping.

Item 7th I devise unto my son Granville Henderson Six hundred and forty acres of land due me from general James Robertson, to have and to hold to him and his heirs for ever, provided ^{that} it shall be in the power of my Executors and Executors, hereafter mentioned to sell the said tract of land for the purpose of completing the education of my son Granville, if they should think it advisable to do so.

Item 8th I devise unto my two sons Daniel Littleton Henderson and Arthur Mosely Henderson, the two tracts of land following to wit, the one of two hundred and thirty acres I purchased of David Shelby, the other of one hundred and fifty I purchased of William Hawkins, to have and to hold to them and their heirs for ever, Subject to the three tenies before mentioned, in the Second Item. But this devise to my two sons last mentioned is upon this Condition, that they pay to each of my daughters Paulina, Elizabeth Maria, and Malinda two hundred dollars upon their arriving to the age of sixteen, or upon their marriage whichever shall first take place.

Item 9th I devise unto my son Bennett Henderson and my three daughters Paulina Ann, Elizabeth Maria and Fanny Malinda, all the lands to which I have a claim in the State of Kentucky, to them and their heirs for ever.

Item 10th I give and bequeath unto each of my three daughters, Paulina Ann, Elizabeth Maria and Fanny Malinda a Horse, Saddle and bridle of the value of one hundred and twenty five dollars - Also I give and bequeath unto my grand son Bennett Henderson a bond due from his father John C. Henderson to me for five hundred dollars, bearing date October 28th 1806, which said sum of money is to be collected, and disposed of by my Executors and Executors, hereafter named for the use and benefit of my said Grand son.

Item 11th And lastly it is my will and desire that all the residue of my Estate not before disposed of in this my last will and Testament should be equally divided between my Children hereafter named, to wit, Bennett Henderson, Silbourn, Abram, Granville, Daniel Littleton, Arthur Mosely, Paulina Ann, Elizabeth Maria, and Fanny Malinda each of

them to take share and share alike. And the Negro
before bequeathed unto my beloved wife Abby Hen-
derson, for her natural life, it is my will and
desire that the said Negroes together with their
increase should be equally divided, as above
at her death. And that this my last will
and Testament may be well and faithfully
executed, I do constitute and appoint my
beloved wife Abby Henderson, my Executors,
and my sons Bennett St. Henderson, and Daniel
Settlem Henderson, together with Edward
Sanders my Executors of this my last will and
Testament. In testimony whereof I have here-
unto set my hand and affixed my seal
this 28th day of November 1806.

Signed, sealed, published, Wm. Henderson (M.C.)
and declared in presence
of Drury Milam
Stephen Pettis
Isaac Collier.

Known all men by these presents that I William
Henderson of Sumner County and State of Ten-
nessee hath published and declared my last will
and Testament bearing date the 28th day of Nov-
ember 1806, I the said William Henderson, do
by this Codicil ratify and confirm my said
last will and Testament, and do further
give and devise unto my two sons Daniel
Settlem Henderson and Arthur Moody Hen-
derson the tract of land I purchased of Arch^d
Murphy, containing Seventy four acres ad-
joining the land I purchased of David Sully
to them and their heirs for ever. I also give and
devise unto my three daughters Paulina Ann,
Elizabeth Maria and Josely Malinda one
hundred acres of land lying on the North
boundary of a tract of land I purchased
of William Cartwright - also fifty acres of
land I purchased of Dr. Thos. Hawthorn
which said two tracts of land I devise to
my said three daughters and their heirs

for ever, the said one hundred acres to be
sold by my Executors and Executors if they
think proper. It is my will and desire
that this Codicil should be adjudged
a part of my last will and Testament as
Witness my hand and seal this the 8th day
of February 1807.

Stephen Pettis

William McGill

Will. Henderson (M.C.)

In the name of God Amen: I Robert Harris of Sumner
County and State of Tennessee, do make this my last
will and Testament: I order my Executors here-
after named as soon as it will be in their power
to pay my funeral expenses, and my just debts.
I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife
Ann, the covering thereof and the curtains to be
at her disposal at her death, as also her wearing
apparel; also my Brown Mare called Sully.
I also order, and it is my will so long as
my wife and Children live in a family
Coparceny, they have the full and free use of
my forty; but at the death or marriage of
my wife, I order that William of Baiter's worth
left me by my father to be given to my son
Alvin. I give and bequeath unto my son
Blair Bonnell Universal History, and Read-
er's Companion - my Silver Shoe buckles and
plated knee buckles, and my Sonny Pickers.
This is all his share as I gave him and my
son Robert a shawl and fifty acres of
land near the Ohio. I give and bequeath unto
my daughter Agnes Cunningham John thirty
dollars out of the last bond due me in
Virginia but if she should die before
it is received, I order it then to be given to
my grand son Harris John and to be put to
interest on good security, until he attains full
age in law, but if he should die I then order it
to be given to such other Children as may be

alive of my said daughter Agnes. I order
 and it is my will that my daughter Mary Eiton
 Harris have and keep all that now is owed her
 and the book obligation on the renovation of
 I order and it is my will that my wife have
 an equal share of the money due me in
 Virginia, with her six youngest daughters
 after their wife be ~~James~~ Saddle, one a man
 and three women as shall be brought in
 home purchased for my children. I give &
 bequeath unto my daughter Frances
 Houston Robinson an equal share with
 her mother and sisters in the money due
 me in Virginia. I give and bequeath
 unto my daughter Araminta Juliet
 Orr all that she now has, and an equal
 share of the money due me in Virginia.
 I give and bequeath unto my daughter
 Sarah Caroline Simpson all that she
 hath, and an equal share of the money
 due me in Virginia. I give and bequeath
 unto my son Robert Harris Wells ge-
 ographical instruments of the old and new
 Testament, as he is packed with his brother
 Blair in a thousand and forty rods
 of land in Virginia, that with a new
 Saddle or the price thereof which shall
 not exceed twenty dollars, that is all I give
 him. I give and bequeath unto my daughter
 Martha Spur Harris a new Saddle as good
 as possible to those her sisters Mary Eiton
 Frances Houston, and Araminta Juliet
 hath got, and an equal share with her mother
 and sisters in the money due me in Virginia.
 I also give and bequeath unto my
 daughter Elizabeth Annella Harris a new
 Saddle such as already mentioned and
 that she shall have equal with her other sisters in
 the money due me in Virginia. I also order my
 daughter Sarah Caroline Simpson a new Saddle
 such as above. I give and bequeath unto

Thomas Leroy Harris Paper, Second and fourth
 the Volume, and Miller's Pradise lost. As my
 said son appears to be weakly, it is my will
 that he be put to an easy trade, such as the
 Saddle, but he and my Executors, here-
 after named, and his mother are to be the
 judges, and do as they shall think best; it is my
 will that he be taught Arithmetic as far
 as through the Rule of practice, as soon as
 it shall happen either by the death of my
 wife, or his marriage that my children
 should separate. I order my Executors to
 sell the land, one fourth of its price is to
 be equally divided amongst my six young-
 est daughters, as if named - other than
 fourth to be my youngest son if that
 happen before he is twenty one years of
 age; it is to be put in trust until he arrives
 to full age. I do hereby empower my Executors
 or the survivor to make a good title to the
 purchase, but so long as my family live
 together, all the Stock and farming utensils
 shall be for their common use, but on the separa-
 tion of my family I order my Executors
 to make sale of the whole that may be found
 and the money when collected to be equally
 divided amongst my two children, or the
 survivors of them. I also order my Execu-
 tors as soon as they have money in their
 hands, to purchase a Bible for each of
 my children, and write their names upon
 day of their birth from the record that I
 kept. I order my Executors when that ^{plan} sale
 as above is made, that the wagon, if there
 be one, be sold as the stock. I order and it
 is my will that at the separation of my
 family my books bound and unbound
 be as equally divided amongst my children
 as possible. I ordain and appoint my son
 Blair Harris, and my son-in-law Graybury
 Pitt the Executor of this my last will and

Testament, making and disavowing all former wills heretofore made, ratifying this and none other. In Testimony whereof I have unto set my hand and seal in my own house, after writing I all with my own hand, this fourth day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and six.

Robert Harris *(Sd)*
Signed, sealed and declared by the Testator as his last will and Testament in the presence of
Isiah E. Giles
Abner Holmes
John Giles.

I do hereby certify that I did with my own hand, make the attestation of the date this fourth day of August one thousand eight hundred and six.

Robert Harris do make the following Codicil. I order that my Executors shall not give my daughter Frances Anniston Potvin more than her husband in money, but they are to know of me what she is most in need of, and they are to buy it, and give to herself this they are to do as often as it happen. I discharge and forbid my Executors from ever giving William Potvinson any of his wife's part of my estate. In Testimony whereof I have put my hand and affixed my seal fourth day of August one thousand eight hundred and six.

Robert Harris *(Sd)*
Signed and sealed in the presence of
Isiah E. Giles
Abner Holmes
John Giles.

In the Name of God Amen: I Richard Taylor of the State of Tennessee and County of Sumner being weak in body, but in perfect mind and memory and calling to mind the mortality of my body do make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following (viz)

In the first place I leave one Hundred and ten land in the hands of my Executors to be sold for the payment of my just debts, it being a part of the land whereon I now live adjoining of the land which I sold David Shilly.

John. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Charlotte Taylor all my estate both real and personal during her widowhood with all the rents, profits and Emoluments arising therefrom, to be disposed of as my Executors shall think most proper, except such as may be herein after disposed of.

John. I give and bequeath to my two sons Tilden and Richard Taylor, the tract of land whereon I now live, to be equally divided between them, after the decease of my said wife Charlotte, at the discretion of my Executors. I likewise give to my son Tilden, one negro man named Ben, and one negro boy named John, and one horse and saddle, which he is now in possession of.

John. I give and bequeath to my son Richard Taylor, one negro man named Sam, and my carrying instruments, and one horse and saddle, when he comes of age; and out of the profits of my farm I will that my Executors give him a good English education.

John. I give and bequeath to my daughter Charlotte Taylor, one negro girl named Maniah, and in case she should marry, before the decease of her mother, she is then to be put in full possession of it.

John. I give and bequeath to my daughter Amelia Taylor, one negro girl named Harriet. I likewise give and bequeath to my two daughters Charlotte and Amelia all the rest of my personal property, which shall be in possession of my said wife, at the time of her decease, to be equally divided between them. And I do hereby appoint Major George D. Blackmon, & Zachary Wilson, son of the late Major David Wilson, my sole Executors of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all former wills heretofore by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed

my seal, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seven and fifteen 15th of August.

Witness my hand and seal this seven twentieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and seven.

John At Bush.

John Atkinson.

Abraham Rose.

In the name of God Amen: I Abraham Russell of the State of Tennessee, and County of Sumner, being afflicted in body, but perfect in mind, and memory, do make this my last will and Testament as follows.

I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Abigail Russell, an negro woman named Pearly and one feather bed and furniture, during her natural life, and at her decease to be equally divided between my two children, Samuel and Priscilla Russell, then living. I also lend to my said wife all my property real and personal, until my children Samuel and Priscilla Russell may or shall marry and claim portions. Then one third part of my plantation and a third part of all the rest of my property, during her widowhood including a third part of all my buildings.

I give to my son Samuel Russell all my lands and buildings, two thirds at his marriage and the other at the marriage or decease of my said wife, and one third part of all my other property to him, and his heirs forever. And in case of the death of my said wife an equal between my two children then living.

I give to my daughter Priscilla Russell one third part of my property lands excepted at her marriage and then an equal division of the decease or death

John Mitchell, Richard Star and wife David to be executors to this my last will and Testament. Witness my hand and seal this seven twentieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and seven.

Abraham Russell.

Abraham Russell.

In the name of God Amen: I Abraham Russell of the County of Sumner and State of Tennessee being of a sound mind and memory, thanks be to almighty God for the same, but casting to mind the mortality of Nature, and that it is appointed for all men once to die. do ordain and make this my last will and Testament, in the manner and following, that is to say, first of all, I give and bequeath my soul into the hands of almighty God who gave it, hoping for an acceptance through Jesus Christ, and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named: I am as touching my worldly estate, which it has been pleased God to bless me with, I give and dispose of in the manner and form following, to be executed by my Executors here named which is, Abraham Russell, Samuel Russell and Moore Russell.

I lend to my beloved wife Abigail Russell my plantation wherein I now live, also the Good Cabin and the horse team namely Dick and the two year old boy and two cows with five pigs, with the household and furniture and farming tools, during her natural life, afterwards to be sold.

I give and bequeath to my son Samuel Russell sixty acres of land including the plantation I now live on after my Mother's decease, for and to the hundred dollars to my daughter Priscilla Russell. I lend to my son Samuel Russell fifty acres of land. I give and bequeath to my son Samuel Russell sixty acres of land on the upper part of my

said Samuel now live.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Briton Rogers Eighty acres of land including his plantation I now live on after his mother's death, by paying two hundred dollars to my six daughters hereafter named.

Item I leave to my son James Rogers, fifty acres of land being the balance of my tract when I now live during his natural life; and I give the said above mentioned to his children, or his lawfully begotten heirs by his body.

Item I give and bequeath to my six daughters namely Elizabeth Rogers, ~~Elizabeth~~ Rogers, Sally Rogers, Nancy Rogers, Thelma Rogers, & Patsy Rogers one hundred dollars in property to be raised of the two hundred which Briton Rogers is to pay and the balance to come out of my property not given away, which is to be sold, one hundred dollars a piece to the six above named daughters. At my wife Deborah Rogers' death the balance of my property after each above named daughter receive one hundred dollars each, then the balance of my property to be divided between my seven daughters, namely, Elizabeth Rogers, Polly Cotton Spring Rogers, Sally Rogers, Nancy Rogers, Thelma Rogers and Patsy Rogers. In order to be executed by my Executors I also do nominate and appoint Abraham Propell, Samuel Rogers, and Moore Stevenson Executors to this my last will and Testament, revoking and annulling all other wills by me made; and this is to be taken to be my last will and Testament. At witness whereof I have set my hand and affixed my seal this 17th day of March 1807. Abraham Rogers (C)

Ant. John W. Northington
S. H. Russell
S. H. Russell

State of Tennessee, Sumner County, Sept. Term 1867.

Said Nation and Shadash Age being sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God depose and say that they some time in the month of August 1806 to the best of their knowledge and belief, they the said Nation and Age were present and the subscribing witnesses to the will and Testament of Thomas Perry deceased, which will was deposited in the hands of the said ~~James~~ Waller and at present not to be found, but the Content thereof they believe to be in substance as follows viz.

He gave and bequeathed to his wife Catharine Perry the use of his plantation or tract of land wherein he at that time resided, with appurtenant household furniture and farming utensils excepting the Mills; also a negro man by the name of Lander and a negro woman by the name of Moll also one fourth part of his Stock of every kind during her natural life.

He gave and bequeathed to his son John Perry, his heirs and assigns for ever, at the death of his said wife Catharine the whole of the said plantation or tract of land, with the household furniture, farming utensils and stock that his said wife Catharine might be possessed of, and should be the said John Perry at the age of twenty one years before the death of his said wife Catharine in that case the said John should have the use of two thirds of the appraised plantation or tract of land, also two Cows and Calves, two Sows & Pigs and two Swine & Lambs. He also bequeathed to his said son John, his heirs and assigns for ever, a negro Girl by the name of Esther, one by the name of Lilly, one negro boy by the name of Bee, one boy by the name of Isaac and one by the name of Moses. He gave and bequeathed to William Perry all Adams his heirs and assigns for ever, a good serviceable horse or mare, two Cows & Calves, two Swine and Lambs and two Sows & Pigs.

He gave and bequeathed to his five Granddaughters a negro man by the name of Wyatt to be sold.

at a Credit of twelve Months, and the Money equally divided between Hanah Smith, Collin Thompson, Patsy Cadwight, Polly Powell and Sarah Powell their heirs and assigns for ever.

5thly He gave and bequeathed to his son George Perry and his grandson Thomas Powell, and his five granddaughters before named, their heirs and assigns for ever, after the death of his wife Catharine a Negro man by the name of Luther and a Negro woman by the name of Moll, also all the remainder of his Estate not otherwise disposed of at his the said Deceased's desire, to be sold at a Credit of twelve Months, and one half of the Money arising from said sale to go to George Perry and the other half to be equally divided between the said Thomas Powell, and his five granddaughters before named.

6thly And lastly he nominated and appointed his son George Perry Executor, and his wife Catharine Executrix of his last will and Testament, making all other and former wills and Testaments, in whole or in part void.

Isaac Mattson
Shadrach Stye

The foregoing was read twice open Court by Isaac Mattson and Shadrach Stye the Deponents the 20th day of September 1807.

Jas D. Shelby Clerk.

In the Name of God Amen: I John Price of the County of Putnam and State of Tennessee, being of sound Mind & Memory, do make and ordain this my last will and Testament. In witness whereof It is my will that my Executors, hereafter named make as speed Collations as possible of all debts and dues owing me and apply the Money first to the payment of all my just debts and the remaining if any to go to the use of my beloved wife Patsy Price to be laid out in the support and education of my Children and should my Executors not receive as much money as will discharge all my just debts then I will that they shall pay the same

out of my Estate according to my order. I bind unto my beloved wife Patsy Price during her natural life all my Estate, both real and personal and at her death or marriage, it is my will and desire that all my Estate both real and personal, then left her shall immediately on the happening of either of the aforesaid events (to wit her death or marriage) be equally divided among my children, namely Wood, wife to James Wood, William Anderson Price, Patsy Darby Price, Dorothy Anderson Price, Adazela Price and Embury Price and John Price shall and shall ~~each~~ each and each of them part thus divided, I give to them and their heirs for ever to be delivered them by my Executors as they shall respectively come of age, or marry; but in case he or she then married should not have a lawful issue of his or her body before they depart this life, then it is my will that the part or legacy hereby given him or her shall return to my Estate and be equally divided among the survivors or survivor of my Children then living. And whereas it may be possible that my wife Patsy Price may be now pregnant with child - it is my will and desire that should the proof be the case and she be delivered of child, then that child or if, him or her shall be entitled to an equal proportion of my Estate both real and personal with my before mentioned children, or survivors or survivor of them, which I give to him or her and her or his heirs for ever. It is my will that my Estate after my decease be kept under the direction of my wife for the support and education of my children. I do hereby appoint my beloved wife Patsy Price and Thomas Stye Executors of this my last will and Testament, hereby revoking and annulling all wills or wills heretofore made by me and declare this my last will and Testament. In Testimony whereof, I the said John Price hereunto set my hand and seal this the twentieth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

at a credit of twelve months, and the money equally divided between Nancy Smith, Lillian Thompson, Betty Cartwright, Polly Powell and Sarah Powell their heirs and assigns for ever.

5thly He gave and bequeathed to his son George Perry and his grandson Thomas Powell, and his five granddaughters before named, their heirs and assigns for ever, after the death of his wife Catherine a negro man by the name of Luther and a negro woman by the name of Moll, also all the remainder of his estate not otherwise disposed of at his the said Deceased's desire, to be sold at a credit of twelve months; and one half of the money arising from said sale to go to George Perry and the other half to be equally divided between the said Thomas Powell, and his five granddaughters before named.

6thly And lastly he nominated and appointed his son George Perry Executor, and his wife Catherine executrix of his last will and Testament, making all other and former wills and Testaments void and of no effect.

Isaac Watson
Shadrach Stoye

The foregoing was sworn to in open Court by Isaac Watson and Shadrach Stoye the deponents on the 25th day of September 1807.

Jost. D. Shelly Clerk.

In the Name of God Amen: I John Price of the County of Robinson and State of Tennessee, being of sound mind and memory, do make and ordain this my last will and Testament. I am sensible that it is my will that my Executors hereafter named make as speedily as possible of all debt, and then owing, and apply the money first to the payment of all my just debts and the remaining if any to go to the use of my beloved wife Patsy Price to be laid out in the support and education of my children and should my Executors not receive as much money as will discharge all my just debts then I will that they shall pay any sum

out of my estate as they may see cause. I bind unto my beloved wife Patsy Price during her natural life all my estate, both real and personal and at her death or marriage, it is my will and desire that all my estate both real and personal then left her, shall immediately on the happening of either of the aforesaid events (to wit her death or marriage) be equally divided among my children, James Wood, wife to James Wood, William Anderson Price, Patsy Darling Price, Dorothy Anderson Price, Adagela Price and Othman Price and John Price, share and share alike each and each of them part thus divided, I give to them and their heirs forever to be delivered them by my Executors as they shall respectively come of age or marry; but in case he or she then married, should not have a lawful issue of his or her body before they depart this life, then it is my will that the part or legacy hereby given him or her shall return to my estate and be equally divided among the survivors or survivor of my children then living. And whereas it may be possible that my wife Patsy Price may be now pregnant with child - it is my will and desire that should the prove to be the case and she be delivered of child, then that child or its heirs shall all be entitled to an equal proportion of my estate both real and personal, with my before mentioned children or survivors or survivor of them, which I give to him or her and her or his heirs for ever. It is my will that my estate after my decease be kept under the direction of my wife for the support and education of my child ^{children} ~~children~~. I do hereby appoint my beloved wife Patsy, Executor and Thomas Price Executor of this my last will and Testament, hereby revoking and annulling all will or wills heretofore made by me and declaring this my last will and Testament. In Testimony whereof, I the said John Price hereunto set my hand and seal this the twentieth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

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Thus

Signature sealed and published by the said John
Frier as and for his last will and Testament
In presence of

Geo. Orr

E. Mills.

Virginia to wit:

At a Court held for Washington County
the 30th day of December 1808. The last will and
Testament of William King deceased was exhibited
into open Court, and proved by the oath of Wil-
liam D. Wilson, one of the subscribing witnesses
therein: who further made oath that he saw
John Doherty the other subscribing witness sign
his name therein as a witness at the request
of the said William King - that the said John
if living resides in the Mississippi Territory
about one thousand miles from this place &
that said will except the signature of the
witnesses is entirely in the hand writing of the
said William King the testator. For that that
the Codicil thereto appointing James King and
William Figg Executors and dated the 3rd day
of March one thousand eight hundred & 4th
is also in the hand writing of William King the
testator - that he believes the Codicil was
written and lying under the will when he
attested it as a witness and that he never saw
or knew of any other Codicil. Col. James King
Samuel Glen, Jacob Vahn made oath that the
said will and the Codicil dated the 3rd day
of March one thousand eight hundred & 4th
are in the hand writing of William King the
testator, except the attestation of the witnesses to
the will. The Court all of opinion that
the said evidence is sufficient and it
is ordered that the said will be read
and on the motion of William
Figg and James King the Executors

in the said Codicil, who took the oath of
an executor presented by law, and entered
into and acknowledged their bond in the
sum of one million five hundred thousand
dollars with Robert Craig, Jr., Thomas
Sato, Robert Delap, John Spurgeon, John Cole,
Robert White, Drayell Sallot, Joseph Cole,
Thomas Maffet, Joshua Burt, William Duff,
William Jones, Benjamin Estlin, Samuel
Vance, James Bryant, Michael Sherr, Gerard
S. Corn, James Thompson, Ensch Schoenfeldt,
George Spangler, James Kegg, John McCulloch,
John Williamson, William Gray, James Lyon,
Alexander Stranahan, Benjamin Longley,
Jacob Menger, Robert Denton, Robin Brady,
Valentine Baugh, John Mitchell, Jacob
Nahn, John McCormack, Robert Craig, John
Atney, John Gordon, Peter Clark, John Buchanan,
James King, Jr. Samuel Meak, Samuel
Glen, Rufus Morgan, James Longley, William
McHenry, Michael Duker, Liburn L.
Brendon, John S. Figg, David Smith,
Robert Dukes, William D. Wilson, Earl B. Clark,
Jacob Long, Wilcome Martin, Robert McCulloch,
Ch. Thomas Thornburg, Maltheu Willoughby,
Benjamin Clark, Cornelly Finley, William King,
Joseph Miller, Charles Sato, Peter O. Clayton,
William Paston, Peter Scott, Securities con-
ditioned as the law directs. A certificate is
therefore granted them for the probate
of the said will in due form.
In testimony that the foregoing is a true copy
I John Campbell Clerk of Washington County
in the State aforesaid have hereunto subscribed
my name, and affixed the seal of the said
County this 30th day of December in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and eight and of the Commonwealth the
thirty third

John Campbell

Washington County, to wit, I Robert Campbell, President of the County of Washington in the State aforesaid do certify that the above attestation of John Campbell Clerk of the Court of the said County is in due form given under my hand this 29th day of December 1808.

Robert Campbell.

In the name of God Amen: I Robert Patton Son of the County of Sumner, and State of Tennessee at present weak and frail in body, though of perfect sound mind and memory, do make and ordain this to be my last will and Testament, in manner and form following, viz;

I first I consign my soul to God who gave it, and my body to a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors hereafter mentioned, and as to my worldly inheritance which providence has been pleased to bestow on me, I bequeath as follows; after the discharge of my just debts and funeral charges. I bequeath to my loving wife Margaret the third of my real estate during her natural life, with my household furniture and wearing apparel; also my Negro Girl named Kate.

I bequeath to my son Robert his share and apportion for ever, the other two thirds of my real estate, usually requesting him to pay a due and tender regard to his honored Mother, Sister and brother.

I bequeath to my Daughter her share and apportion for ever a feather bed furniture, likewise a good horse or man, saddle and bridle, and during the term she remains single the said horse or man to be kept on the plantation for her own use, moreover that my said daughter shall have her boarding free and the allowance of ten dollars per annum one third to be paid by my wife and the other two thirds by my son Robert during the term of her natural life.

single as aforesaid.

I bequeath to my son David the sum of fifty dollars to be paid him in twelve months after my decease from my personal estate, also his own trading and the privilege of his shop standing on my premises during the term of his remaining unmarried.

I bequeath to my son, John, William, Matthew, Samuel and James, and my daughter Mary at the decease of my wife her third part of the real estate aforesaid, also the Negro Girl named Kate and her increase to them the said John William, Matthew, Samuel, James and Mary their heirs and assigns for ever. And lastly I hereby nominate and appoint my wife Margaret Executor and my son Robert executor, of this my last will and Testament, revoking all other and former wills. In Confirmation whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this twenty sixth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight, and the thirty third year of American Independence. Robert Patton Clerk

Signed, Sealed and Acknowledged in the presence of the word "Son" in the second line being first inserted John Whitell

James Wright

Shadrach Key.

In the name of God Amen: I Jacob Archer of the State of Tennessee and Sumner County being of sound mind, but weak in body through the frailties of Nature, and knowing the uncertainty of human life, do make and ordain this to be my last will and Testament in manner and form following.

That all my debts which are not lawfully paid and my body to receive a decent Christian burial.

I give and bequeath unto my son Jacob Archer a tract of land containing one hundred

and twenty five acres lying and being in Hantsford County State of North Carolina, which land my said son Jacob is to make sale of as soon as conveniently he can and the proceeds or price of said land to be distributed as herein after shall be mentioned.

Item I give and bequeath unto my wife Sarah Archer two feather beds and furniture she will in all probability live with my son Jacob but in the vicissitudes of human affairs should she think it more eligible to live with any of her other children my son Jacob is to support her, and at her decease what property she has is to be equally divided among or between my daughters.

Item To my oldest son Josiah Archer and my second son Elizabeth Archer I give and bequeath the sum of forty dollars to each to be paid by my son Jacob out of the price of the land at their mother's death. Signed & sealed in the presence of Jacob Archer and once of Simon Shoecraft

Samuel Rogers

Arch. Martin.

A. 10. I do hereby appoint my son Jacob Archer or Executor of this my last will and Testament

Jacob Archer.

In the name of God Amen: Being now in a low state of health, but in perfect understanding I make this to be my last will and Testament.

Just I leave and bequeath unto my daughter Isabel the just sum of five shillings.

Q. 7 I leave and bequeath unto my daughter Mary the just sum of five shillings

a. 2 I leave and bequeath unto my daughter Ruth the just sum of five shillings

a. 5. 6. I leave and bequeath unto my son Jacob and John and divide all my land

the south side of Cumberland River, ²⁰ twenty acres joining of the Perry are ^{also} next to be ~~agreed~~ ^{divided} which I reserve for the use of the Perry all the rest to be equally divided between the above mentioned then sons to them and their heirs for ever.

I leave and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Ann the Perry one twenty acres of land on each side of the River for the use of the Perry and all my household furniture during her life or widowhood and likewise all the stock that ~~shall~~ ^{has} not been given away before the date hereof.

I give and bequeath unto my son Samuel all my land on the north side of Cumberland River only that which is excepted before and one horse bridle and saddle to him and his heirs for ever. I also allow Samuel to give Ann, Hannah, and Sarah each of them one horse bridle and saddle to the value of sixty dollars each, and also one feather bed and furniture to each of the above named daughters then at my and my wife's death or my marriage then the Perry and the lands belonging thereto to belong to Samuel to him and his heirs for ever. Likewise all my book accounts I likewise allow Samuel to give to each of the daughters above named Anna, Hannah, and Sarah a cow and calf a piece. I give and bequeath to my grand son Matthew Brown son of Jackson Brown twenty dollars, to be collected of my Book accounts and to be put on interest till he is twenty one years of age. This the 3rd day of April 1808. I beg and desire my two sons to do my business and I leave them my executor Jackson Brown and John Brown whom unto I set my name and affix my seal to this and the day before mentioned

Math Brown

John Whit. Fulcher.

In the name of God Amen: I Nath. F. Brown

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Now in my perfect memory but in a low state of
health, think proper to make this my last will
and Testament in the first place I will and
bequeath my soul to Almighty God and I app-
oint my truly friend William Granger ^{my} executor
After all my just debts are paid I will and
bequeath all my land and worldly goods to be
equally divided between my two children
William H. Granger and Nancy. Signed
in presence of the subscribing witnesses; this 11th
day of April 1809.
Ruth D. Granger
John O. Granger

William Granger
John Brady.

In the name of God Amen: I Patrick Hamilton
of Sumner County and State of Tennessee being
mindful of the frailty and mortality of human
nature, and that it is appointed for all men
once to die, but the time thereof being very
uncertain; at this time some in mind
memory and understanding, do make this
my last will and Testament in manner and
form following that is to say. First and prin-
cipally I commit my soul to Almighty God, and
my body to the earth then to be decently buried
according to the directions of my trustees
hereafter named; and as to my earthly
property I order it to be divided as I shall
hereafter direct to my daughter Esther's heirs I
leave the sum of twenty dollars - to my son
Andrew I leave the negro boy Dublin &
Peter and the bed and furniture his mother
attended him. To my daughter Sarah I leave
the sum of twenty dollars. To my daughter
Mary I leave the negro ^{boy} Henry and her
child Phil; and her third child, bed
and furniture, spinning wheel, saddle
two good Cows and Calves, the young

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She is to have the use of the two rooms in the back
Sheds during her life, or as long as she lives
single - The Captions furniture to be divided
between her and Dory - And to my daughter
Margaret I leave Phil's second child called
Lucy. To my daughter Dory I leave the negro
girl called Amy and Phil's oldest child
called Aaron, the young black mare Pigeon
Colt, two good Cows and Calves, her bed and
furniture, the spinning wheel and saddle
and to my son John I bequeath and de-
vise all the remainder of my estate both
real and personal, after my just debts
is paid and all the legacies administered
on. And lastly, I appoint my son-in-
law James Hart and Joseph Brown and
my son John H. Hamilton the executors
of this my last will and Testament: Signed
and sealed, this 10th day of July in the year
1809. Patrick Hamilton

In presence of these witnesses
Wm. L. Alexander
Thomas Donoh.

I James Colach of Sumner County and State
of Tennessee being of sound mind and
memory but knowing the uncertainty
of my time in the world, have thought pro-
per to make the following distribution
of my worldly goods and amongst my beloved
and children.

It is my will that all my lawful debts and
funeral charges be paid out of the whole
of my movable estate.

It is my will that my beloved wife Mary
shall have the use and profit of the house
and plantation wherein we now live
during her natural life, also I give and
bequeath unto my wife a negro man named
Fido and a man woman named

Desire to be for his use and at his disposal when she dies also it is my will that all my other Negroes, my stock of every kind my farming tools and utensils, my house hold furniture of all sorts shall remain in the hands of my wife and be under her direction and management for the purpose of raising and educating my children and when any of them Mary or some of age so that a division of property appears necessary in that case my Executors shall have full power to give such Child or Children such portion of Negroes or other property as they shall judge equal and right between my children. It is also my will that if my Executors find it necessary for the Comfort and Support of my family, they shall sell my negro woman Esther and her children and what children she may have hereafter before she may be sold and the money arising from the sale shall be let to interest or disposed of in some way that contributes to the support of my family. It is also my will that money or Negroes that may be coming to me from Carolina or any other quarter except the above named Virgil shall be at the disposal of my Executors for my children and wife.

Lastly I give and bequeath the house and plantation where we now live to my beloved son Wright Clark to be his, his heirs and assigns for ever after the death of my wife. It is my will that my son Wright Clark shall not have any part in the division of my negroes, as the land will be more than an equal share. It is my will that my son Wright Clark shall have such ^{and to be} part of my stock and furniture, as my Executors my judge right.

I do by these presents renounce all former Wills and Testaments and declare that by my last will and Testament and I do by these presents constitute ^{and appoint} my wife Mary Clark, my brother David Clark and my truly friends William C. Anderson and Joseph Dodge to be executors of this my last will and Testament. Witness my hand and seal this 28th day of June 1809. James Clark
Signed and acknowledged in the presence of
Andrew Blythe
Arsha Skipper
Ebenezer Rogers.

In the name of God Amen: I Moses Cummings of Sumner County, State of Tennessee, now in health but in perfect mind and memory, knowing myself frail, and after committing my soul to the Almighty God and my body to the earth and acknowledging this to be my last will and Testament, I do therefore after my body is decently buried in a Christian manner and all just debts paid, I give and bequeath unto my wife Margaret Cummings the whole of estate during her widowhood. Should she marry it is my wish for her to take her third, or a child's part whichever she pleases, and the remainder of my property to be equally divided among my children. Should she continue through life without marrying it is my wish that she should own the whole of my property by keeping my children together and by giving them an education, What is generally termed a common law, prepare them to do their own business and at her death to make an equal division amongst my children of all the property remaining. John Collins and William Edwards Jr. I appoint my Executors, the

24th of October in the year eighteen hundred
and nine - signed and sealed *Wm Kennedy*
in the presence of
Jesse Hassell
J. Crozer.

In the name of God Amen: I William
Kennedy of the County of Sumner and
State of Tennessee at present weak and
frail in body, but of sound mind and
Memory do hereby publish and declare this
my last will and Testament in manner &
form following (viz.)

It is my will and desire that my just debts &
funeral charges be paid pecuniarily out of
my estate.

I give and bequeath to my loving wife Pen-
cilee Kennedy the whole of my plantation
that is to say, the tract of land I purchased
of James Taylor and the tract purchased of
the heirs of Ormond Allen lying on the western
bank with the outhouses and perfect thereof with
the household and kitchen furniture, farming
utensils and stock of every kind or description
during his natural life or widowhood, cap-
tivity such as herein to be named.

I give and bequeath to my son Armstrong
Kennedy his heirs and assigns for ever my set
of Blacksmiths Tools.

I give and bequeath to my son John Kennedy
a certain bay mare to him his heirs and assigns
for ever.

I give and bequeath to my honored mother
Mary Armstrong during her natural life
the Cabin and the amount of land whereon
she at present lives.

It is my will and desire that at the death,
or marriage of my wife Pencilee that
my real estate be sold at public sale
at a Credit of Twelve Months with the

stock household and kitchen furniture farm-
ing utensils and Cotton Gin and Library and
the amount arising from said sale to
be equally divided amongst my twelve
children namely, Armstrong, John, Rebecca,
Margaret, William, Daniel, Elizabeth, Es-
caluna, Alexander, Rachael, Simpson
and Eliza their heirs and assigns for ever
And lastly I nominate and appoint my
son Armstrong & Henry and John
Penny my Executors of this my last will
and Testament, hereby revoking all other
and former wills. In witness whereof I
have hereunto set my hand and seal
this twenty seventh day of October Anno
Domini One Thousand Eight hundred and
nine and the thirty fourth year of Am-
erican Independence William Kennedy
Signed sealed and acknowledged in presence
of John Tinsion
David Tinsion
Edmond Hogan
Shadrach Boyd.

In the name of God Amen. I William H.
Mutt of the County of Sumner and State
of Tennessee, being sick of body, but per-
fectly sound and well in mind, do will
and bequeath as follows, after all my law-
ful debts are paid, to my sister Jane Mutt
now Jane Anderson I give and bequeath
half of my whole personal property, and
also half half of my real property to her
and the heirs of her body lawfully begot-
ten. To my brother James Mutt I give
and bequeath the one fourth of my
real and personal property, to him and
the heirs of his body lawfully begotten.
To my daughter Fidelity daughter of Leonard
Fidelity of Abingdon I give and bequeath

the one eighth part of my real and personal property. To my Brother Thomas M'Nutt I give and bequeath the remaining part which is the one eighth of my real and personal property. In which I ~~also~~ ^{do} my hand and do sign my name and seal.

In presence of
James Barry

Concally Friendly

A. B. I appear and wish that above named Thomas M'Nutt and Concally Friendly of Kingston as witnesses to my will in which I also sign my name and affix my seal. This 5 day of June 1829.

In presence of
James Barry
George King

Wm. D. M'Nutt

Wm. D. M'Nutt

In the name of God Amen: I George Hunt of Halifax, County Virginia, being in the decline of life and in a low state of health, but sound in judgment and calling to mind my mortality that it is appointed unto all men once to die do think it necessary to make this my last will and Testament in manners and form as follows. I give to my son George Hunt the Negro man Senkin and the Negro boy Bill and the Negro girl ~~Sammy~~ ^{Mary} and her increase, also one horse and saddle, and Bed & furniture, all which I give to him and his heirs for ever. I give to my son James Hunt the Negro boy ^{Mary} ~~John~~ ^{and the Negro boy} and the Negro girl ~~Sammy~~ ^{Mary} and her increase, and the Negro child Viney and her increase, also my large front man and one saddle and one Bed and furniture, all which I give to him and his heirs for ever. I give to my daughter Kelly the Negro woman Martha and her child named Squin and her increase one horse and saddle one bed and

furniture, which she has received of me, all which I give to her and her heirs for ever. It is my desire that the Negro boy Bob and the Negro boy Tom should be put in the care of my son James Hunt, and them to remain (if they live) during the natural life of my daughter Kelly Isbell, and my son James Hunt is to give my daughter Kelly Isbell annually for their labour what may be thought reasonable and after the death of my daughter Kelly Isbell I give to her two children the aft Spring of body (viz) Francis & Patsy the above mentioned two Negroes Bob & Tom, to them and their heirs for ever. I leave to my daughter Nancy the Negro man Gabriel and the Negro girl Phily, and the Negro girl Leahy during her natural life, and after the death of my daughter Nancy Lumpkins I give to her children the aft Spring of her body the above mentioned Negroes, viz, Gabriel, Phily & Leahy, and their increase, to them and their heirs for ever. I also leave my daughter Nancy one bed and furniture during her natural life. She has, bed and furniture my daughter Nancy Lumpkins received of me, I give to her and her heirs for ever. I leave to my wife Lucy Hunt during her natural life all the remaining part of my estate both personal and real. It is my desire that my wife Lucy Hunt collect all money due me and pay all my just debts. It is my desire that after the death of my wife Lucy Hunt that that part of my estate I lent to her (remaining) should be divided into three equal parts, one part I give to my son George Hunt, and one part I give to my son James Hunt and one part I give to my daughter Nancy Lumpkins children the aft Spring of her body, all which I give to them and their heirs for ever. I constitute and appoint my wife Lucy Hunt

I certify and my two sons George and James
Bunt Executors of this my last will and
Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this 12th day
of November 1807. George Bunt (Real)
Signed, sealed and delivered in presence
of George Isbell
Martin M. Gaulty
Manning Isbell.

In the name of God Amen: I William Phipps
of Sumner County, and State of Tennessee being
of sound and perfect mind and memory
blessed be god, doth this twenty seventh day
of December one thousand eight hundred and
nine make, publish this my last will &
Testament, in the manner and form follow-
ing. My will and desire is that my wife
shall be gently maintained out of my
estate, that is to say, out of perishable estate
at the discretion of my Executors hereafter
mentioned - also my desire is that my wife
Mary Phipps shall have her choice of my beds
and furniture, that is, she is to take but one
I give and bequeath unto my son Joseph
Phipps, to him and his heirs for ever.
I give and bequeath unto the heirs of my
son William Phipps due ~~the~~ dollars to
them and their heirs for ever.
I give and bequeath unto my daughter Polly
Lane the manner plantation that I now live
on, and all my land joining the said pla-
ntation to her and her heirs for ever - Upon
these conditions, that James Lane husband
to my daughter Polly Lane, doth make a
good and sufficient title to my son in law
Isaac Lane to the land and plantation that
my son in law James Lane now lives on
Also I give and bequeath unto my daughter
Polly Lane one Negro man known by the

name of Peter to her and her heirs for ever
I give and bequeath unto my daughter Sarah
Lane all my right and title of two hundred
acres of land, which I am by bond to have
of Andrew Richardson - the said bond
is at this time being upon in the office
in Nashville, which land lies on the
East fork of Stover's River about three or
a half mile from Rudy's Mill on the
South side of said River, to her and her
heirs for ever.

My will and desire is that my Negro woman
Fance, and all my perishable property that
have not already disposed of be sold by
my Executors, except my Cupboard which
my desire is shall stand in the house.
Also my will and desire is that my Executors
retain in their hands from the sale of my
property as much money as will gently
maintain my wife during her natural
life. Also my will and desire is that the bal-
ance, if any, should be from the sale of
my property after the maintenance of my
wife, it should be equally divided between
my two daughters Sarah Lane, and Polly Lane
to them and their heirs for ever. I do hereby
revoke all former wills by me made and
acknowledge this to be my last will and Testa-
ment. Also I appoint Isaac Bawn and
James larger my sole and sole Executors to
this my last will and Testament. In witness
I have hereunto set my seal this day and date
before mentioned. William Phipps (Real)
the words, bequeathed out of my & my wife and
David interlined before signed
Signed sealed and acknowledged in
the presence of us
Stephen Winkham
John Wicks
Robert Winkham

I Thomas Maston of Simms County, do
dispon of all my estate whether of personal
property or any other in the following manner:
I give to my beloved wife Agnes Maston all the
Negroes I own, namely, Charles, Sue, old Dick
and young Dick, together with all my household
furniture, and all my stock of Horses, Cattle
and Sheep and Swine.

Item The whole of the tract of land which I live on
containing two hundred and sixty eight acres
as I believe I give to my friend Daniel Smith
and his heirs and assigns for ever, in fee simple
to after the decease of my wife Agnes Maston
I appoint my beloved wife Agnes Maston the
Excutrix of this my last will and Testament.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto sub-
scribed my name and affixed my seal this
Sixth of October, one thousand eight hundred
and eight

Thos Maston

Signed Sealed, published, declared
by Thomas Maston to be his last will and
Testament in presence of

Geo. Smith
Benjamin Smith

In the name of God Amen: I Samuel Corns being
weak in body but of sound and disposing mind
and memory blessed be God for all his mer-
cies, do make or cause and establish this my
last will and Testament in manner and
form following that is to say:

First I give and bequeath to my sister Lydia Jenkins
the house and lot whereon I now live also half
the amount of a bond for between Taylor and
thirteen hundred dollars which I hold on
James White of Abingdon. I give and
bequeath to my sister Maria Corn the lot
adjoining to our house on the
North, also the other half of the bond
I hold on James White of Abingdon.

I give and bequeath to my nephew Joseph Gill
one hundred and thirty seven acres of land
on the head waters of Oldson Creek which
I purchased of Col William Hall.

I give and bequeath to my nephew James Gill
one hundred and fifty seven acres of land
on the east fork of Oldson Creek, which
I purchased of William H. Keesing.

I give and bequeath to my friend John Brown
one hundred dollars to be paid next after
all my just debts are paid.

Lastly I give and bequeath to my Brother
Josephus H. Corn all the net and residue
of my estate of what kind or nature soever after my just debts
and funeral charges are paid and I am hereby recommended
appoint him sole Excutor of this my last will & Testament
In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 31st day of
July in the year of our Lord 1810. Samuel Corns

Signed, sealed, published and declared in the presence of us who
being present have signed our names at the request of the testator
J. H. Corns St. Crook William Cagle Jr.

I also give and bequeath to my brother Josephus H.
Corns two lots in the Town of Callahan and five
acres of land near to said Town all of which
have been deeded to me. Samuel Corns

J. Winchester

St. Crook

William Cagle Jr.

I Anne Green of Simms County and State
of Tennessee being of sound mind and
memory, but knowing the uncertainty
of my time in this world have thought prop-
er to make the following distribution
of such worldly goods as a generous God
has given me amongst my beloved children.
It is my will that all my lawful debts and
funeral charges be paid out of the sale of my
estate.

It is my will that the following described notes
one of eighty eight dollars for Robert and
Blanchy Dancalson bearing date about

the fifteenth Eight hundred & six, another on John Thomas & David Benton for Sixty one dollars, twenty five cents, dated September the fifteenth the Eight hundred and nine, one on John Marshall for thirty five dollars, bearing date August the third Eight hundred and ten are divided into eight equal shares and that my four sons John Mothual, Samuel Mothual, Joseph Mothual and James Grier have each of them one share, and that my two daughters Mary Donalson and Margaret Carr each of them two shares to possess them and their heirs forever.

Third It is my will that Mary Donalson have the negro Girl Patty that is living with her now and the Negro boy Glasgow son of Rachael during her life, and at her death the two said negroes and the increase of the girl if any go to the use and benefit of ~~the said Mary~~ the heirs of Andrew Donalson.

Fourth It is my will that my daughter Susan Anderson get three hundred and fifty dollars out of my estate and this is all I owe to her.

Fifth It is my will that my tract of land near to Gallatin, being one hundred and twenty seven acres, and all my money and bonds, and notes and all my other property be equally divided amongst my six children John Mothual, Samuel Mothual, Joseph Mothual, Mary Donalson, Margaret Carr, James Grier, them and their heirs to possess forever. I do by these presents renounce all other wills and Testaments, and do declare this to be my last will and Testament and hereby Constitute and Appoint my two sons John Mothual and Joseph Mothual Executors of this my last will and Testament signed sealed and delivered this sixth day of August one thousand and Eight hundred & ten

Witness my hand and seal this sixth day of August 1811

James Grier

In the year of our Lord and Saviour one thousand Eight hundred and seven being in my proper Senex, I do hereby make this my last will and Testament as follows; to wit, I give my soul to God who gave it, and my body to the dust to whence it came, as to my worldly goods I bequeath unto my wife the plantation negroes and all the stock during her living my widow and as my children remain then to have their equal part of every thing as it can be made to suit. Making as he is married to have Claitum and the child with that part of the stock I have give him - also to have this part of the plantation when he own lives and attends during the term of six years, that is to say if he dies, come to live that term then, if not he is to deliver it up to his mother and the rest of the children Patsy ~~to~~ to have a good horse saddle and bridle, above her divide; the above being my last will in pursuance of these wishes I have made set my hand and seal this 8 day of August in ~~the year~~ ^{after} above written In the name of Our Lord Amen.
Jas. Andrew Allison *James Allison*
Isaacland Perry
William E. *William E. Allison*

Imprimis State of Sumner County: May 26th 1811

I James Red being very sick and weak in body, thought of perfect mind and memory and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and or claim this my last will and Testament.

I give and bequeath my soul to Almighty God who gave it me and my body I recommend unto the earth to be buried in a decent Christian manner at the discretion of my Executors and as touching such worldly substance

When with it hath pleased God to be store upon me
I dispose of in the following manner:

Item And first of all it is my will, that all my just
debts be duly paid out of my estate; and for the
accomplishment thereof it is my will that the
whole of my estate consisting of land, house,
bath, steps, household furniture and farming
utensils, &c. be all sold except my wearing clo-
thes and the money arising from such sale
to be equally divided between my beloved
wife Hannah, and my six children, viz
William, Thomas, Joseph, James, John and
Eliaboth and my wearing clothes to be equally
divided between my four sons above named.

Item It is my will that all such property as has been
before been given or named to any of my Ch-
ildren stand and continue theirs without
any alteration; and further I do by these
present, constitute, appoint and ordain
my son Thomas and Wilson Claudell the
whole and sole executor of this my last
will and Testament; hereby revoking all
former wills and Testaments heretofore made
or any writing of any kind as touching or
the disposal of my property, - Signed and
sealed with my own hands the day and year
above written

In presence of ⁱⁿ John Sloan
John & Son others Jr.
John & Son others Jr.
John & Son others Jr.

In the name of God Amen: I Henry Young of
Sumner County and State of Tennessee being
very sick in body but of perfect mind
and memory, Calling into mind the Mortal-
ity of my body, do make and declare this
my last will and Testament.

First I give and bequeath all the property which
I possess to my beloved wife Mary Young

party, as can best be spared off my plan-
tation shall be sold to pay my debts, the
her share my property shall be equally
divided among my children. I also con-
stitute, make and ordain my wife Mary
Young and Henry McClellan sole Executors
of this my last will and Testament. I do
hereby disallow of all other wills, legacies
or ratifying and confirming this and
no other to be my last will and Testament.
The witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and seal, this 30th day of November
and in the year of our Lord Eighteen
hundred and Ten. H. Young
Signed, sealed, pronounced and declared
as the last will and Testament in the
presence of Wilson Claudell

William White
Isaac Cooper.

In the name of God Amen: I William Cagle
Son of the County of Sumner and State of Ten-
nessee, do make this my last will and Testam-
ent in the manner and form as follows
to wit,

I resign my body to the Earth from whence
it came to be buried decently by my be-
loved friends named.

Secondly I give and bequeath to my wife Eliaboth
the then Negroes I got with her to wit, Zack
Ben and Fige with the out of the property
that came with her, and should it be her
willed to live on the plantation I wish her to
have the third of it during her natural life
and I earnestly injure it on all my Ch-
ildren to treat her as a kind mother.

Thirdly I give unto my son Joseph Cagle the
plantation whereon I now live after my
youngest children comes to the age of

death it is my desire that my son Paul
Wagon should take my plantation. Whom I
now live together with the Negroes stock and
all that pertains to the said place to raise
my children and to give them good education
to keep them in a decent manner, and give
them when he thinks them old enough out
of my property a good horse saddle and
bridle.

16th I give to my daughter Betty a Negro Girl
named Caroline.

17th I give to my daughter Betty a Negro Girl
named Mahald.

18th I give to my son-in-law Jack Carr a Negro
woman named Peg.

19th I give unto my son Captain, a Negro Man
named Major.

20th I give unto my son Edward a Negro Girl
named Mary.

21st I give unto my son-in-law William Hale
my Negroes Peter and Bad Clary and their
and his wife's life time and at the death of
said Peter and wife they are to go to life
long.

22nd I give unto my son Richard a Negro boy
named Charly.

23rd I give unto my son Albert a Negro boy
named Lewis.

24th I give unto my sons as my substitute my
Negro boys Tom and Clark at the dispo-
sition of my executor.

25th I give unto Mary Wagon the daughter of
Charles Wagon the first child that Edward
Wagon has if any.

26th I give unto Cyrus Hale Son of William
Hale the second child that Charles Wagon
my Mary have and in case of the death of
Cyrus without heirs then William Hale
son of William Hale the third child if any.

27th If there should be any negro remaining
of my property

disposed of they are to be given to my
children that are the most needy at the
disposition of my executor.

16th I give to my son Captain two hundred
acres of land on Clinch River.

17th I desire that they bonds that may be found
amongst my papers when collected may be
applied to the support of my family by
my executors and that all my town-
ship land and Hitcham plantation, stock and
farming utensils be also applied to the
support of my said family. It is my
will that the before mentioned property
is to be in the possession of Richard
until the youngest child arrives at
the age of seven years for support
of said family, at which time it is
to be divided as before established.

18th I constitute and appoint my sons
son, Paul and John large my whole
and sole executor of this my last will
and Testament.

19th It is my desire that my tract of land on
Dark River containing three hundred
and twenty acres should be sold and
the money education completed out of
sale of said land and the balance of
any applied to the support of my family.

On witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this 15 day of
May 1811. William Wagon

Signed sealed and acknowledged in the
presence of us the undersigned
Gustavus Latham
Alan Wagon.

In the name of God Amen. I Daniel Milton of
Somerset County and State of Tennessee
being of lawful age and sound mind

and eight hundred and eleven more, published
this my last will and Testament, in the manner
or following that is to say. I wish for all my debt
to be paid off and settled. I send unto my
wife Mary Milton all my plantation and ~~the~~
and then Negroes Ely, Dick and Al to her her
natural life and after her death then the ~~first~~
Negroes to be sold and divided amongst
all my children and Mary Howard and
likewise the plantation after the death of
my wife to be sold and equally divided
amongst Polly, David, Patsy Robinson, Leah
Milton and Lucy Milton and Mary Murphy
and I likewise want the Mill and Shed now
to be sold to the best advantage to raise money
to redeem a Negro Girl named Ely and
likewise wish my Rifle Gun to be sold to the
best advantage to help redeem the said Negro
and pay my debts. And I likewise give
and bequeath unto my daughter Leah Mil-
ton one bed and furniture and I likewise
give and bequeath unto daughter Lucy
Milton one bed and furniture and I like-
wise give and bequeath unto my daughter
Mary Murphy one bed and furniture and
I likewise give and bequeath unto my
daughter Lucy Milton one horse to be
valued at sixty dollars. And I wish also
if John Robinson redeems the property
that I purchased and paid money for
to be at his own otherwise to be Counted
that much out of his part of the estate and
also I wish that the seventy five dollars
that I paid to Henry Belote to be Counted
as if John Robinson's part of the estate
as I paid the money for him. I do app-
oint my wife and my friend William
Dorchain and my son William Milton
my sole Executors Daniel ~~William~~ ^{Mark} Milton

In the Name of God Amen: I James Carothers
of the County of Linn and State of Iowa
after being in a low state of health of body
but of a sound mind and memory do
constitute and create this my last will
and Testament, as follows to-wit:
I allow a sufficiency of my perishable prop-
erty to go to such to which age we just die and
that ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~own~~ ^{own} against my estate, de-
ciding to my will and desire that the
balance of my estate should come to me
My dear beloved wife Jane and my two lit-
tles daughters Dory and Polly for their support
during her widowhood or natural life. But
if my wife should marry I allow her an
equal division of my estate with my two
daughters Dory and Polly, after paying
two hundred and fifty dollars out of my
estate which Jane I give and bequeath
to my daughter Peggy. I do appoint my
dear beloved wife and Hugh Carothers
my brother sole Executors and Executors
of this my last will and Testament
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal, this 18th day of May One thousand
and Eight hundred and eleven.
Signed in the presence of James Carothers
by ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~own~~ ^{own} ~~hand~~ ^{hand}
James Scott.

I was being very sick and weak, and rather
blind for a long time, but now being in
perfect mind and memory, and calling
to mind that it is appointed for men
once to die have thought well to make
this my last will and Testament and that
is to say. My will is that my son Ben-
to, shall have my negro boy Lewis and
I hereby appoint William Douglass
my sole Executor and Son David to

Value my three Negroes Dyer, Violet and
 Gaby and make an equal divide of them
 as near as they think right give equal
 parts to my three daughters Olor Gumbell
 Zadia Gumbell and Chancy Gumbell; and
 also give to each of my before named
 children a feather bed & furniture I
 also give to my cousin Rebecca Gumbell
 whom I have now with me a feather
 bed and furniture; and that all my
 personal estate not before given be equ-
 ally divided by the above named persons
 between my son Martin Gumbell Zadia
 Gumbell and Chancy Gumbell - and I
 hereby resign and discharge my son
 Allen Gumbell from all debts and claims
 and from all demands on or account
 any part of my estate real or personal
 and hereby declare this to be my last
 will and Testament, even revoking
 all former wills heretofore made by me
 or in my name. In witness whereof
 I do hereby set my hand and affix
 my seal, this 14th day of June 1810.
 Signed sealed and attested in presence of
 us H. Dauglass
 David ^{his} George
 Giddings ^{his} Grimsby

In the name of God Amen I Ambrose Thomas
 of the County of Somerset being Sick and weak
 of body but of disposing Senses and having
 my thanks be god therefore but feeling to
 mind the Mortality of my body and know-
 ing that it is appointed for all men once
 to die do hereby make and declare this and
 my other to be my last will and Test-
 ament first of all I Recommend my
 Soul into the hands of Almighty God who

gave it, and my body to be decently
 buried at the discretion of my Executors
 herein after named (viz)
 I Give and bequeath to my brother George Thomas
 to my part of the plantation whereon I
 now live also the land I purchased of my
 two brothers in Law after he paying Isaac
 Dumble his daughter one hundred dollars
 fifty each - also the sum of said land
 for three years also a balance of about
 one hundred pound Cash that is due me
 from Andrew Dummer on Morgan Dummer
 also my desire is that the residue of my estate
 being not already given nor heretofore men-
 tioned descend to my above said Brother George
 Thomas him and his heirs for ever.
 My desire is that this Captain Child ~~shall~~
 now a living with me should have one bed
 and furniture out to her and her heirs for ever.
 I constitute and appoint my brother George
 Dummer and William Kirk Executors of this
 my last will and Testament revoking and
 annulling all other and former wills
 legacies and bequests by me heretofore
 made. In witness whereof I do hereunto
 set my hand and seal this thirteenth day
 of August eighteen hundred and Eleven
 Signed sealed and attested in presence of us
 Henry Winton
 Robert Latham.

In the name of God: I Peter I Benjamin Williams
 of the County of Somerset and State of Massachusetts being
 of sound and perfect mind and memory
 blessed to God, do this eighteenth day of June
 one thousand eight hundred and Eleven make
 and publish this my last will and Testament
 in manner following, that is to say, first of all
 I give and Recommend my Soul

into the hands of God that gave it and for my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a Christian like and decent manner at the discretion of my Executors as to my worldly affairs:

First I give and bequeath to Mary my beloved wife all my personal property and the use of my land during her natural life or widowhood except some things that I shall hereafter name to my children and as much as it shall take to pay my just debts and funeral expenses provided that my wife Mary shall have Mary Ann and in that case I allow all my personal property to be sold and equally divided and my wife have a Child's part giving an equal part to each of my children, namely, my daughter Peggy my son James, my son Allen, my daughter Betty, my daughter Molly and my daughter Princy and my land to be equally divided between my above named sons, James and Allen according to quantity, quality and situation give and bequeath to my daughter Peggy one Grey Horse, Colt, and also one brown Cow and Calf and I hereby make and ordain my beloved wife Mary executrix and my worthy friend, William Laminth executor to this my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I the said Benjamin Williams have to this my last will and Testament set my hand and seal, the day and year above written.

Benjamin Williams
Signed, sealed and published and declared by the said Benjamin Williams the Testator his last will and Testament in the presence of us who were present at the time of signing and sealing thereof the words were uttered and before signed.

James P. Perry Jr.

Jonathan Spooner John M. Colton

State of Tennessee, In the name of God our Heavenly Father, I, Alexander Gourie bring in a low state of health and body but in perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God, Calling unto the Mortality of my body and knowledge that it is appointed for all men once to die, I do make and ordain that my last will, Testament that is to say, principally and first of all, I give and recommend my soul into the hands of the Almighty God that gave it and my body I recommend unto the Earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive again life given by the Almighty God, and as touching such worldly estate, so much as has pleased God to bestow on me in this life, I give & devise and dispose of the same in the following manner. I give and bequeath my beloved wife Mary Gourie a Negro woman named Lilly, during her natural life time and at her death to be left my son William P. Gourie; likewise I will and bequeath unto my wife Mary Gourie all my Cattle and Hogs except one brown filly that I leave to Alexander Smith and at her death fall to my son William P. Gourie and all the Household furniture Consisting of Sundrys, I leave unto my wife her life time and at her death fall to my son William P. Gourie. If my son William P. Gourie does marry his mother may take her property and live so as she thinks but she can live the most comfortable I will and bequeath unto my son William P. Gourie a Negro boy named David. I will and bequeath unto my son Francis Gourie one dollar I will and bequeath unto my daughter Susanna Smith one dollar.

I will and bequeath unto my son Patrick Yourie
one dollar. I will and bequeath unto my daughter
Hanny Rutledge one dollar. If my son William P. Yourie
dies without a lawful issue of his body the above
mentioned property ^{to be divided into four parts} to be divided amongst
his brothers and sisters & their children. The perform-
ance of this my last will and Testament I do ordain my
wife Mary Yourie my son ~~Executor~~ and do revoke
and disavow all other wills by me formerly made
ratifying and confirming this my last will and
Testament. This and no other to be my last will and
Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this 10th day of February
1810

Alexander Yourie
mark

Witness
Francis Yourie
Patrick Yourie
James Bentley.

In the name of God Amen I Lawrence Richardson
of the State of Tennessee and County of Sumner bearing
in perfect sense and of sound mind thanks be to
Almighty God for the same and do hereby constitute
this to be my last will and Testament in manner
and form following.

Item I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Margaret
Richardson three horses five head of cattle with
all the stock of hogs, pigs of corn, fodder and oats
also two further beds and furniture together with all
the rest of the household and kitchen furniture
in Gam all the plantation utensils with all and every
other of my estate and do appoint her the said
Margaret Richardson my sole executrix and to have
and to hold the above named articles as her proper
right for ever. To dispose of as she shall think proper.
Given under my hand and seal this third day of
October in the year of our Lord Christ eighteen hundred
and eleven

Laurence P. Richardson
mark

Signed sealed and delivered in
presence of us who have witnessed thereto

Witness Charles Focke & William Tamm

In the name of God Amen I William Boyle
of Sumner County and State of Tennessee bearing
of sound and perfect mind and memory (thanked
be God) do this 10th day of August in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eleven make and publish this my last will and
Testament in manner and form following
that is to say: I give and bequeath unto my
beloved wife Elizabeth Boyle all my
~~estate~~ estate real and personal after full debts due
to me from others after paying all my just
debts due to her as long as she lives and then
at her disposal to leave the property to whom
she pleases. I hereby make and ordain my sole
friend William Prather Executor of this my last
will and Testament. On witness whereof I the
said William Boyle have to this my last will
and Testament set my hand and seal
the day and year above written

Signed Sealed William Boyle (Seal)
published and declared by the said William
Boyle, the Testator, as his last will and Testa-
ment in the presence of us who were pres-
ent at the time of signing and sealing thereof
Andrew L. L. L.
William D. L.

In the name of God Amen: I William Condon Jr of
Sumner County being of sound and perfect memory
thanks be given to Almighty God make and pub-
lish this my last will and Testament in man-
ner and form following: I recommend my
soul to God who goes it hoping through the
merits of my Saviour Jesus Christ to receive
pardon and forgiveness for all my sins. My
body I desire it may be decently buried at
the discretion of my Executors hereafter. I have
disposed of my estate which it hath pleased
God to bless me with in this world in the
following manner and form viz.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Condon the third part of my personal estate.

Item. My desire is that the balance of my estate be sold and equally divided among my four children, ^{Edward} Henry Condon, Corney Condon, Isaac, and Susanah Condon when they come of age.

Item. My desire is that my Executors see that each of my children be sent to School and maintained paid out of each Child's part.

Item. I do obtain Consulate and appoint my trusty friends, James Condon and John Maymy my whole and sole Executors of this my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I the said William Condon Jr. here to this my last will and Testament set my hand and seal this Eleventh day of November 1811. Sealed Signed and delivered by the said William Condon Jr as and for his last will and Testament and no other.

Test In presence of
John Salnerick
George Clackson
Isaac Condon

In the name of God Amen: I Thomas Parker of the County of Sumner ~~and~~ District of Winchester and State of Tennessee being in a low state of health, but of sound mind memory and judgment thanks be to God for his infinite gifts do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in the following manner. First I recommend my soul to the God who gave it entrusted, not doubting in the least but he is able to preserve it in any form or manner which is most agreeable to his divine will. I desire that my body may be buried in a decent manner of burial

burial named. And as touching my worldly fortune as it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I will devise and dispose of in the following manner. In the first place I will that all my just debts be paid and funeral expenses paid. And I will that my beloved wife Sarah Parker have full possession of the land I now live on, during her widowhood or life. She should live single and at her marriage or death I will that the land be equally divided between my sons, grandsons and Coleman to my daughter Emily I will one mare and one horse, which she has already received and also a mare called Lucy to my daughter Eliza I will one cow, one pot and one iron one feather bed furniture which she has received and also one dollar. To my daughter Rhoda I will one horse saddle and bridle, one feather bed and furniture one white cow two ewes and forty acres of land; my wife shall except if she or her claims it together with one dollar. To my daughter Anna I will one feather bed and furniture, four pewter plates, one dish, one large basin and one iron stove one stool, four chairs, one barrow one plow, one horse which she has received one cow and two ewes, fifteen or together with my other article that I put in the possession and one cow half as my daughter; and my other article or things whatsoever that I have in possession my death not named in this my last will I will to my beloved wife Sarah Parker during her widowhood. And lastly, I constitute my beloved wife Sarah Parker and Larkin Jackson as Executors in part of this my last will and Testament. In witness I have hereunto set my hand and affixed