
SUMMONS - CHRISTOPHER, Eliza - William Grigg of Pittsylvania County be summoned to appear at the next court to show cause if any he can why admr. should not be granted Eliza Christopher of estate of Peter Grigg decd. Court for August 28, 1788.

Order Book 19, page 29, Amelia County, Virginia.

Jan 25, 1997 - 14:11 - From: - [Carol A. Morrison](#)

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WILL - CROWDER, Wiley H. - April 21st 1890 In the name of Almighty God I W.H.Crowder doe make this my will. I loan to my wife sarah v. all of my real estate and personal property after my just debts are paid so long as she is my widowe then all my land to my three boys to stirling the land from the old gap as we went to B. Cleaton's now marked by a rock strait to a rock on west side of Joe gap to J.C. Crowder all the land on the west from the corner between me and C.L. Cleaton and myself to rock inside the fresh land to the corner next Charles Evanses to John L. Crowder the remainder of my land. My girls the sengle ones to have a home at my old homested during life or so long as they remain single. Stirling to pay ten dollars to each girl or the lawful ones James C. to pay each fifteen dollars and JL to pay \$25.00 twenty five to each one and all my property to be divided among my girls or their lawful heirs those refusing to accept this wil is not to be benefited by it at all. Wiley H. Crowder J.C. Crowder, witness Jno. L. Crowder, witness Brunswick County Court April term 1894 A writing purporting the last will and testament of Wiley H. Crowder, dec. was produced in Court, and said Wiley H. Crowder dec., his handwriting was proved according to law by Chas. L. Cleaton and by M. Stanley and the said writing is ordered to be recorded as the last will and testament of Wiley H. Crowder, dec. Teste: G.R. Mallory, clerk Examined April 30, 1894

Will Book 22, page 656, Brunswick County, Virginia

Feb 24, 1997 - 16:28 - From: - [Linda Lewis Lepow](#)

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DEED - COLLIER, Charles - Indenture dated the 27th day of August, 1764, between Charles Collier of Brunswick County and Burwell Grigg of Dinwiddie County, for 130 pounds for conveyance of 304 acre tract of land. Beginning at Harrison's line on Sandefors Branch thence along Harrison's line East 190 poles to Red Oak on the branch, thence up said branch as it meanders to a pine on the same, thence South 21 degrees West 142 poles, to a pine thence South 69 degrees 86 poles to a pine thence North 44 degrees West 66 poles to Sandefors line thence along his line North 20 degrees East 52 poles to his corner Hickory thence North 30 degrees West 100 poles to his corner pine thence North 71 degrees West 24 poles to Sandefors Branch aforesaid thence down the meanders of the said branch to the Beginning one hundred and forty four acres part thereof was formerly granted unto William Smith by letter patent dated February 2, 1742.

Deed Book 7, page 525, Brunswick County, Virginia.

Jan 25, 1997 - 13:22 - From: - Carol A. Morrison

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CLAIMS - COLLIER, Miles - Claims Allowed to wit, Miles Collier for 22 days service as afst Comy. 2:15; Jesse Grigg for 28 days service as afst Comy 3:10; William Grigg for 8 days service as afst Comy 1:0:0; Lewis Grigg, Junr. for 5 days service as afst. Comy :12:6. Court for May 22, 1783.

Order Book 1, page 69, Greensville County, Virginia.

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Last Will and Testament of Sterling Crowder

I, **Sterling Crowder** of the County of Brunswick and State of Virginia, being of sound and disposing mind, do make this my last will and Testament, revoking all others hitherto made by me, As soon after my decease as my Executor, herein after to be named, shall deem advisable, I wish all my perishable property to be sold at public auction, the proceeds of net sale to be applied to the payment of my past debts. The balance of my estate I wish to be kept together for the maintenance and education of my children, till my youngest child attains the age of twenty-one years, at which time, I desire that my estate both real and personal should be divided equally- My wife taking her thirds during life, or a child's part in fee simple. I wish my Executor to furnish my boys, as they arrive at the age of twenty-one years, with a good horse, saddle, and bridle. Also to pay my daughters when they marry, the sum of fifty dollars.

It is my wish that my sons and daughters, when they reach the age of twenty one years or marry, shall make to **Baxter Lambert** a relinquishment of their right to the land (107 acres) which I sold him and which belonged to my first wife. Should either of my sons or daughters refuse to make this relinquishment, then I revoke the specific bequest to him or her that refused-

I would prefer that my Executor should employ one of my sons, either **Julius** or **Wiley**, to manage my plantation affairs.

Lastly, I constitute and appoint **John S. Harris** Executor to this my last will and Testament. Witness my hand and seal this the 27th April 1848.

Sterling Crowder (Seal)

Witness

James E. Crichton

William Nash

Wyatt Adams

John Stanley

Edmund B. Webb

Brunswick County Court November term 1848

This last will and testament of **Sterling Crowder** was proved by the Oaths of **James E. Crichton** and **John Stanley** witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of **John S. Harris** the executor therein named who made oath thereto according to Law, and together with **R.H.H. Wallton** and **Thomas I. Hicks** his securities, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of \$15000. Conditioned as the Law directs, certificate is granted him, for obtaining a probate--of said will in due form.

Ex'd. **E.R. Turnbull**, Clk.

Will Book 15, page 201, Brunswick County, Virginia

Contributed on February 24, 1997 by S. Lepow

Hays, Paul Pinkston, Billy Joe Hays, Nelson Hays
 Stayton, Sherman Cook, Fay Hays, Scott Gordon, Barry Whitis
 Wheeler, Omer Cook
 Hays, George Sparrow, Pleasant Hill School
 Hays, George Sparrow
 Sparrow, George Sparrow
 Hays Powers Place, Johnnie Lanham, Larry Barker, Burnam Lanham
 Webb, Bessie Webb Tate, Willis Inman, John Hays
 Key
 Key, Charlie Roller, Burnam Lanham, Smith Mays, Buron Lanham
 Webb, Reuben Jones
 Waits Willard, Ray, Margaret, and Ed Jackson Willard, Sterling Young, Bill Hardin Smothers, James Bottoms, McKinley Smothers.
 Williamson
 Douglas, Richard Burton,
 Hays, Martin Young, Romeo Dye, Wallace Cox, Tom Wheeler, Creed Greer, Shirley Montgomery,
 Survant, Caleb Overstreet, Elias Harmon, Oran Harmon, Allen Harmon
 Williams, Johnnie Frank Lanham, Lewis Hayes owned, George Whitehouse, Jr. McCarty (built by Dudley Marksbury)
 Hundley, Cecil Hundley, Maurice Hundley, Roy Kirkland owned, Carl Cowan (house burned), Gene Lanham owned,
 Hundley
 Crouch, Willard Barricks
 Cecil Lanham
 Hays, Sr.
 Spires, _____ Harmon
 Mattingly
 Lynn Crain
 Carpenter, Terry Adkins
 Harmon, Charlie Lanham, Billy Gene Stayton
 Headley
 Lynn, Charles & Mattie Lanham
 _____ Headley
 Adkins
 Brussell, Charlie & Mattie Lanham
 Stayton
 Hart, Joe Wesley, Garland Young
 Stayton
 Hundley, David McCarty, Lillard Carpenter
 Smothers
 Smothers, Isaac Smothers, Lena Moore, Gloria Shipp Roller, Gabriel Booth, America Hays Booth
 Cook
 E. Funk, Oatley Mills, Durwood Funk (sisters owned), Willie Rigdon, Bert Hart, Otis Lanham, Bill Cheatham, Frank
 Orson, Teddy Mills, Jimmy Nalley
 Lanham, George Rakes, John Frank Lanham (built), Tom Hall, Roy Adams, Bobby Hourigan, Charlie Roller, L.T.
 Orson, Tom Wheeler, Allen Bottoms, _____ Drury, _____ Lyvers, Altha Cox, Jr.
 Crowds, Joseph "Joe" Whitehouse, Sam Grimes, James Unseld, R.H. Burton, Ray Graham, Carlos Gilpin,
 Simpson, _____ Routin, Terry Shipp, (Bertha Roberts owned), Dr. James Otha Robards
 Whitehouse, Fanola Whitehouse (postmaster at Riley)
 Weatherford, (General Store, Gristmill, Blacksmith Shop, Broom Mill), Edgar Wilkerson, Frank Orberon, Eugene
 Origan, (Allen Lanham owned), J.W. Weatherford, Faye Hays, JoAnn Weatherford, Tony Lanham, Garland Cook, Gene
 Lang, Lanham Landing, (Tractor Pull, Baseball Park, Horse Pull)
 G. Isaacs, John Isaacs, Jr., Jim Yates, Hubert Yates, L.D. Bottoms, Willie Mundy, John H. Myers, George Shaheen
 ed, Hugh Lanham, Gene Lanham, Bobby Lanham
 Cheatham, Jesse Cheatham, Bill Cheatham, Marcus Ferrell, J.T. Moore, Frank Orberon (new house), Clarence
 am, Essie Kersey, Frank Gorley, John T. Orberon, Saw Mill.

of the Church of Jesus Christ
 Day Saints. He is also writing
 of The Church of Jesus Christ
 Day Saints in this area.

Submitted by Doyle Crenshaw

Crews - Cooley



Ernest and Zula Crews

Ernest Washington Crews, the
 son of Fletcher Crews and Sallie Deer-
 born 15-July-1905 and died
 1993. He married Zula Pearl
 the daughter of Dan Cooley
 Wells, on 24-Nov-1926. She
 born 16-May-1902 and died 14-
 1981. They are buried in Haysville
 Cemetery, Marion County, KY.

They have four children: Kenneth,
 Helen, and Harold. Helen mar-
 ried Gribbins Jr. and they have
 Barry.

Ernest was a farmer.

Submitted by Helen Gribbins

Crews - Myers

Howard "Bubb" Crews, the
 son of Harry Newton Crews and Nancy
 "Nan" Cooley, was born 27-
 1902 and died 18-Dec-1967. He
 married Myrtle Myers, the daughter of
 Myers and Minnie Lee Tharp.
 was born 19-Jul-1891 and died
 1973.

Howard and Myrtle owned the farm
 on the road known as Yellow Hill

Road (now Jones Knob Road) forks
 to go over to Jones Fork. Bubb was
 a nervous person and after he got an
 automobile in the 1940s he drove very
 fast on the gravel roads. He drove a
 black car and it was like a streak when
 he went down the road.

Myrtle's mother made her home
 with them after the death of Myrtle's
 father. Bubb and Myrtle are buried in
 the Haysville Cemetery, Marion County,
 KY. They had two children: Ray and
 Rachel.

Rachel was born 3-Jul-1918 and
 died 31-Dec-1993. She married Owen
 Chelf, who was born ca 1900 and died
 in 1977. Owen and Rachel had four
 girls: Robin, Elaine, Jeanne and Nina.
 Rachel and Owen are buried in Old
 Liberty Cemetery, Marion County, KY.

Ray M. as born 8-Apr-1913 and died
 6-Feb-1992. He married Lucretia Har-
 mon, the daughter of Clarence Miller
 Harmon and Elva Ellen Hays. Lucretia
 was born 23-Oct-1916 and died 5-Feb-
 2002. Ray and Lucretia are buried in
 Ryder Cemetery, Marion County, KY.

Submitted by Eula Ray Kirkland

Crowdus - Arnold

William Crowdus was born ca 1755
 in Charlotte, VA and died 9-Jul-1825
 in Washington County, KY. The son of
 George Crowdus (born before 1745 in
 Virginia and died 1775 in Charlotte, Vir-
 ginia) and Mary Wiley, William served
 as a private from Virginia during the
 Revolutionary War. William married
 Doratha Arnold who was born 1766 in
 Virginia and died 7-Aug-1854. They had
 ten children.

John Arnold Crowdus was born in
 1785 in Maryland and died 25-Sep-1847
 in Simpson, KY. He married Julia Emily
 Stevenson who was born 1813 in KY.

George Crowdus was born between
 1786 - 1790 and died between 1844
 - 1845 in KY. He married Elizabeth

Margaret Crowdus married Richard
 Calvert on 21-Nov-1805 in Lincoln
 County, KY. Richard was the son of

Isaiah and Margaret Calvert who were
 married in Virginia in 1773. They had
 two children: Richard and Isaiah.

Nancy "Polly" Crowdus was born
 between 1790 - 1795 in KY and died
 before 1820. She married John Mar-
 shall Isaacs Jr. on 3-Jan-1814. He was
 born in 1791 and died after 1877. They
 owned the farm on the corner of Gravel
 Switch Road and Hwy. 68. William
 Crowdus lived across the road in a big
 log home, the same location as that
 where the home with the large columns
 was later built. The house was known
 as the Grimes Place.

Matthew William Crowdus was born
 between 1786-1790 and married Eliza-
 beth Scott on 15-Apr-1819 in Washing-
 ton County, KY. Elizabeth was born in
 1790 in KY. Matthew owned the farm
 behind Beech Fork Baptist Church.

Elizabeth "Betsy" Crowdus was
 born between 1799 - 1800 and died
 after 1855. Her first marriage was
 to Charles Bracken who was born
 between 1795-1800 and died 15-Oct-
 1831 in Nelson County, KY. Her second
 marriage was to John Morgeson who
 was born between 1795-1802 and died
 Nov-1837.

William B. Crowdus was born be-
 tween 1799 - 1802 and died between
 1823 - 1824.

Mark Crowdus was born between
 1800-1810 and married Frances "Fan-
 ny" Bush Eubank who was born in
 1810 in KY.

Gracy Crowdus was born in 1807
 in KY and died between 1850 - 1860.
 She married William Lawrence 4-Nov-
 1824 in Washington Co., KY. William
 was born in Washington County, KY
 in 1805.

James Crowdus was born in KY in
 1809. His first marriage was to Luvisa
 Taylor, the daughter of Henley Taylor.
 Luvisa was born between 1810 - 1820.
 His second marriage was to Nancy
 Tucker, the daughter of James H.
 Tucker. Nancy was born in KY in 1826
 and died 26-Sep-1853. James' third
 marriage was to Sarah "Sallie" Cabell.

James died in Aug-1869 in Marion County, KY.

William owned over 2000 acres, reaching from the Beech to Aliceton, from the Danville Highway to Rollertown and over to where his property joined that of Bannister Taylor, the son of Henley Taylor.

William had a big log home that was torn down ca 1835. It was replaced with a big house with columns that was used as a stagecoach stop and a place to get fresh horses and spend the night. The house was built with an L-shape to the right. It is said to have contained 32 rooms. The rooms to the right of the house were torn down in the 1920's. This is purported to be the home where Jane Todd Crawford stopped to rest and change horses on her way to Danville. In Danville, Jane underwent the first surgery for an ovarian tumor performed west of the Allegheny Mountains.

Information from resource materials

Crowdus - Buckner

John W. Crowdus, the son of George and Mariah Crowdus and, was born in 1879 and died 25-Sep-1962. John married Mary Lula Buckner. She was born in 1881 and died 31-Jul-1971. John and Lula are buried in Riley Cemetery (also known as Crowdus or Knifley Cemetery) Marion County, KY.

John and Lula's children are: Hubert McKinley, Otha A., Bennie Allen Sr., Nora, Ophelia, Sarah, Carrie Gaye, Clarkson, John L., Helen Louise, Joseph and Ruth Ella.

Hubert McKinley was born in 1901 and died 17-May-1964. He married Frances Furman, the daughter of Joe and Catherine Furman. Frances was born ca 1903. Their children are: William, born 1921; Catherine, born 1923; Nannie, born 1926 and Mary.

Otha A. was born in 1904 and died 26-Aug-1962.

Bennie Allen Sr. was born 29-Nov-1905 and died 29-Mar-1988. (See Crowdus-VanSickle)

Nora was born in 1909. She married a Worthen.

Ophelia was born in 1911 and died 12-Nov-1993. She married Clarence VanSickle, born 1896 and died 14-Jun-1962.

Sarah was born in 1914 and died 11-Apr-1945. She married a Downs.

Carrie Gaye was born in 1916 and died 20-Jul-1955. She married Horace Gay, born 1906 and died 31-Dec-1984. They are buried in Riley Cemetery, Marion County, KY.

Clarkson was born in 1919.

John L. was born in 1922.

Helen Louise was born in 1924 and died in 1997. She married Paul Simpson. She is buried in Riley Cemetery, Marion County, KY. Paul and Helen had a son, Howard.

No information is available on Joseph.

Ruth Ella was born in 1929 and died 21-Jan-2001. She married Paul Lawrence Johnson. Ruth is buried in Star of Bethel Cemetery in Riley, Marion County, KY. Paul and Ruth have seven children: Billy Lee, Ronnie Lee, Pam White, Kathy Graves, Sophia Rogers, Ruth Fogle, and Paulette.

Information from resource materials

Crowdus - Scott

Matthew William Crowdus, son of William Crowdus and Dorothea Arnold, was born ca 1786-1790. He married Elizabeth Scott 15-Apr-1819 Washington County, KY. She was born in 1790 in KY.

Their son, William, was born in 1830. He married an Evans. They had a daughter, Sallie, born in 1859.

Matthew owned the farm behind Haysville Church and had several slaves.

Information from resource materials

Crowdus - VanSickle

Bennie Allen Crowdus Sr., the son of John Crowdus and Mary Lula Buckner, was born 29-Nov-1905 and

died 29-Mar-1988. He married Marie VanSickle. She was born Sep-1911 and died 23-Dec-1975. They are buried in Riley Cemetery, Marion County, KY.

Bennie and Lula's children are: Bennie Allen Jr. "Dick", Lonnie and Joseph McKinley.

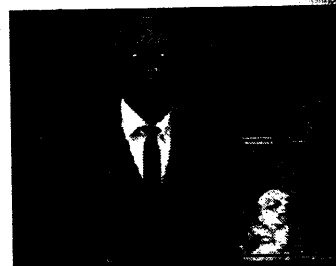
Dick was born 1-Mar-1935 and died 27-Dec-1980. He is buried in Riley Cemetery, Marion County, KY.

Joseph McKinley was born 1941 and died 2-Jun-2000. He is buried in Riley Cemetery, Marion County, KY. He was a retired brick mason. With his wife, Delois, had four children: Joseph McKinley Jr., Allen G. and Michael J.

Lonnie Van was born 15-Jan-1938. Bennie Sr. was a retired contractor. He and Lula were members of Star Bethel Apostolic Church in Riley.

Submitted by Eula Ray

Crowe - Girtley



Norman and Nora Crowe

Norman Wallace Crowe, the son of Henson Crowe and Mary Ann Crowe, was born 25-Nov-1899 in Scott County, KY and died 24-Sep-1985 in Jefferson County, KY. He married Belle Girtley, the daughter of Marion Girdler and Mary Frances Girtley, on 4-Apr-1920. Nora was born 1-May-1904 in Pulaski County, KY and died 14-May-1985 in Jefferson County, KY. She and Norman are buried in Campground Memorial Garden in Pulaski County, KY. They were the parents of ten children: James Marshall, Louis, Mary Ruth, Pauline, Lucille, Hazel, Christine, Roy and Marshall was born 10-Feb-

W: None

D-77 - 13 Jan 1812 - Apprenticeship of JOHN RODGERS age 15, son of WILLIAM RODGERS, for four years & ten months to DANIEL SWINNY to learn the art of blacksmith.

S: JOHN REED clerk, DANIEL SWINNY

W: None

D-78 - 13 Jan 1812 - Ind. between BIRD D. HENDRICK of Warren Co. Ky. & SAMUEL DIVINE of Mercer Co., Ky. for \$200 conveying land in Mercer Co. on Chaplins Fork containing 395 acres, it being said Hendricks division of 1000 acre survey made for PAUL CARRINGTON & conveyed by him to WILLIAM CABAL

S: BYRD D. HENDRICK

W: None

D-79 - 13 Jan 1812 - Ind. between SAMUEL W. VENABLE of Prince Edward Co., Va. by MATTHEW WALTON, his attorney in fact of one part & BIRD D. HENDRICK of Warren Co. Ky. other part, whereas Venable & Hendrick holds 1000 acres in partnership on the Chaplins Fork of Glens Creek under an entry of PAUL CARRINGTON --- for Bird to receive 395 acres & Venable 495 acres.

S: MATTHEW WALTON, atty. in fact

W: None

D-80 - 10 Feb 1812 - Ind. between JOHN PURDY Sr. & wife ELIZABETH & JAMES PARSONS, all of Wash. Co. for 55 pounds conveying 100 acres on Hardins Creek.

S: JOHN PURDY, ELIZABETH PURDY

W: WILLIAM PURDY, WILLIAM G. BRICKEN

D-82 - 10 Feb 1812 - Ind. between ALEXANDER FAULKNER & wife MARGARET & BENEDICT SPALDING Jr. all of Wash. Co. for 165 pounds, conveying 100 acres on north side of Hardins Creek adjoining MARCUS GRAHAM & J. PURDY.

S: ALEX'R FAULKNER, MARGARET FAULKNER

W: None

D-83 - 6 Jul 1811 - Ind. between ROBERT BLAIN & wife SARAH & NICHOLAS BENEDICT all of Wash. Co. for \$20 conveying one acre on Hardins Creek in Wash. Co.

S: ROBERT BLAIN, SARY BLAIN

W: DAVID GRAHAM, GEORGE MERCER, JOHN DAVIDSON, JOHN GRUNDY, ABRAHAM IRVIN.

D-84 - 17 Dec 1811 - Ind. between WILLIAM CROWDUS & wife DOLLY & RICHARD ELLIOTT, all of Wash. Co. for \$512 conveying 205 acres on Rolling Fork adjoining JOHN LONG, JOHN ROLLER.

S: W. CROWDERS, DOLLY x CROWDERS

W: AND. CUNNINGHAM, EPH'M THOMPSON

D-86 - 5 Feb 1812 - Ind. between THOMAS YATES & wife ANNE & WILLIAM

BOOK "C" - WASHINGTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY DEED ABSTRACTS

C-1 - 12 Sep 1803 - Indenture between **Matthew Walton** and **Thomas O'Neal**, both of Wash. Co., for 5 pounds 18 shillings - 16 acres on Beech Fork, also 5 acres on Beech Fork, at the mouth of Galloway Fork bordering **William Crowder**.

Wit: None

Matthew Walton

C-1 - 12 Sep 1803 - Indenture between **Matthew Walton**, **Thomas Crowder**, and **William Crowder** both of Wash. Co. for 27 pounds 18 shillings - 115 acres on Beech Fork, bordering Newels 1000 acre survey.

Wit: None

Matthew Walton

C-2- 11 Sep 1803 - Indenture between **William Irvine**, Madison Co., KY and **William Crowdis**, Wash. Co. for 59 pounds - 313 acres on Beech Fork. Also for \$12 - 12 acres on Beech Fork.

Wit: None

William Irvine by
atty. in fact,
Matthew Walton

C-3 - 11 Sep 1783 - Indenture between **William Irvin**, Madison Co. and **Joseph Howdeshall**, Wash. Co. for \$100 - 47 acres on Galloways Fork, a branch of Beech Fork, and bounded by **Wm. Crowdis**.

Wit: None

William Irvine by
atty. in fact,
Matthew Walton

C-4 - 16 Sep 1803 - Indenture between **Matthew Walton** and wife, **Francis**, and **William Pile**, all Wash. Co., for 9 pounds - 8 acres on Cartwrights Creek.

Wit: None

Matthew Walton
Francis Walton

C-5 - 3 Oct 1803 - Indenture between **Anthony Hundly** and wife, **Charlotte**, and **Thomas Ryal**, all Wash. Co. for 20 pounds - 130 acres on Glen's Fork.

Wit: None

Anthony Hundly
Charlotte Hundly

C-6 - 3 Oct 1803 - Indenture between **Anthony Hundly** and wife, **Charlotte**, of Wash. Co. and **John Rochester**, Mercer Co., KY for 40 pounds - on Three Lick Creek a branch of Chaplin Fork.

Anthony Hundly
Charlotte Hundly

C-7 - 3 Oct 1803 - Indenture between **Clemmens Gallahan** and wife, **Ann**, and **Thomas Hollet**, all of Wash. Co., for 30 pounds - 100 acres on the Beech Fork of Salt River adjoining **Joseph Rounder** and **Charles Melton**.

Wit: None

Clammas Gillihan
Ann Gillihan

Relinquishment of dower of **Ann Gillihan**

Wit: **Jacob Seay** and **George Edelin, J.P.**

C-8 - 11 Oct 1803 - Indenture between **Richard Beall**, late sherriff of Wash. Co. of one part and **Isaac Springer**, Wash. Co. for taxes by order, 15 Oct 1799 - 406 acres on Popes Creek being part of a survey in name of **William Heath**. Land adjoining **David Cowan**. Wit: None

Richard Beall

C-332 - 16 May 1808 - Indenture between Daniel Dean heir at law of Benjamin Dean deceased of first part and John Stephenson other part both Wash. Co. for \$200 - 118 acres in Wash. Co. on Cartwrights Fork of Pleasant Run. adjoining John Springer.

Wit: Elias Davidson, Cuthbert Harrison

C-333 - 6 Jun 1808 - Indenture between Charles Ewing Sr. and Reuben Rowland both Wash. Co. for 51 pounds in cash and a horse - land in Wash. Co. south side of Rolling Fork adjoining John Moores settlement containing 200 acres.

Wit: None

Charles Ewing Sr. by
Thomas Knott Jr. his
attorney in fact.

C-333 - 6 Jun 1808 - Indenture between Charles Ewing Sr. and Reuben Rowland, both Wash Co. for 50 pounds - land in Wash. Co. on south side of Rolling Fork adjoining John Moore containing 75 acres.

Wit: None

Charles Ewing Sr. by
Thomas Knott Jr. his
attorney in fact.

C-334 - 20 May 1808 - Indenture between John Thomas and wife, Susannah and James Hager both Wash. Co. for \$500 - land north side of Rolling Fork of Salt River in Wash. Co. adjoining James Cloyd containing 107 acres.

Wit: None

John Thomas
Susannah Thomas

C-334 - 3 Mar 1808 - Power of attorney of Charles Ewing Sr. of Wash. Co. to Thomas Knott and Charles Ewing Jr. to transact business for benefit of "me and my orphint children" such as sales, collections, etc.

Charles Ewing Sen.

Wit: Reuben Rowland, Robert Hays, Richard Thompson

C-335 - 25 Jan 1808 - Indenture between Jacob Beam and wife, Mary and William Howard, all Wash. Co. for \$400 - land in Wash. Co. at head of Pottingers Creek adjoining land of William Bold and William Peck.

Wit: John Lancaster, Coleman Brown, Mary x Beam, William Pike

Jacob x Beam

C-335 - 25 Jan 1808 - Indenture between William Pike, all Wash. Co. for 80 pounds - land in Wash. Co. on head of Pottingers Creek being part of Jos. Myers 800 acre survey.

Wit: John Lancaster, Coleman Brown

Jacob x Beam
Mary x Beam, William Pike

C-336 - 13 Jan 1808 - Indenture between Monaca Hand and Jeremiah Brothers, both Wash. Co. for \$25 - land in Wash. Co. on the main branch of Pottingers Creek containing 18 acres.

Wit: None

Monaca Hand

C-337 - 6 Jun 1808 - Indenture between William Crowdas and John Roller, both Wash. Co. for 100 pounds - land containing 100 acres in Wash. Co. on Rolling Fork adjoining Richard Elliott.

Wit: None

Wm. Crowdas

containing 111 acres.

Wit: **Sam Williams, Isadore Richards**
James Kenley, James x Givan

William Richards

C-342 - 6 Aug 1808 - Indenture between **John Robertson** and wife, **Anne**, Wash. Co., KY and **Robert B. McAfee**, Mercer Co., KY for \$10 land in Wash. Co. on Thompson and Sulpher Creeks, containing 96 acres bounded by Careys Mill on Salt River.

Wit: **John Rowan, Benedict Spalding**

John Robertson
Ann Robertson

C-343 - 10 Aug 1808 - Sale - **Henry L. Mudd**, Wash. Co. for 700 pounds paid to **Joseph Buckman**, did obtain a bill of sale for 250 acres on the head of Salt Lick, also 110 acres both in Wash. Co., also five negroes, namely Harry and wife, Monica, Jeffy, Will and Joseph and other items.

Wit: **Philemon Waters, James M. Allester**

Henry L. Mudd

C-343 - 10 Mar 1806 - Indenture between **Peter Lacewell** and **Abigail**, his wife of first part and **Charles Ruby** of other part all Wash. Co. for 212 pounds - land in Wash. Co. on Glenn Creek, a branch of Chaplins Fork containing 284 acres.

Wit: None

Peter Lacewell
Agagail Lacewell

C-344 - 10 Aug 1808 - Indenture between **William Irvin** by **Matthew Walton**, his attorney in fact, both Wash. Co. of first part and **William Crowdas**, Wash. Co. other part for \$50 - land in Wash. Co. on west side of Galloways Run containing 35 acres.

Wit: None

William Irvin by
Matthew Walton, his
attorney in fact

C-344 - 10 Aug 1808 - Indenture between **William Thorp** and **Matthew Walton** of Wash. Co. of first part and **William Crowdas** Wash. Co. other part for \$500 - land in Wash. Co. containing 205 acres on west side of Galloways Run.

Wit: None

William Thorp
Matthew Walton

C-345 - 22 Aug 1808 - Instrument of writing - Nelson Co., February 12, 1789 - **Benjamin Hardin** appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace of said County and made oath that he moved his negroes, Frank, Sam, Nais, Harmon, Harriet, Junde, Bett and Nan from Pennsylvania with the rest of the family and property into this county for his own use and not with the design and purpose of selling any of them, also that none of them has been imported from the West India Island since the year 1780.

Wit: None

Charles Ewing, J.P.

C-345 - 3 Feb 1806 - Articles of Agreement between **Ann Brown** of the first part and **Charles Mills** of the other part, both of Wash. Co., Wit: that the said **Ann Brown** agrees to give said Mills and wife 50 acres during their life to be the property of **James Mills** their oldest son at the death of **Ann Brown**. Land below the old stillhouse belonged to **Basil Hayden** and Charles to give in the care of to whomever **Ann Brown** chooses 25 pounds in trade.

Wit: **James Brewer, Lewis Cissell**

Ann x Brown
Charles Mills

B-472 - 19 Sep 1801 - Indenture between Thomas Hill & Basil Montgomery, both of Wash. Co. conveying 63 acres on Cartridges Creek for 73 pounds, bounded by Henry Cambron & John Bell.
Wit: None

Thos. Hill

B-473 - 10 Oct 1801 - Indenture between William Irvine, Madison Co. Ky. & William Crowdus, Wash. Co. conveying 20 acres on Galloways Run, a branch of Beech Fork for 10 pounds.
Wit: None

Wm. Irvine by
Matthew Walton, his
atty/in/fact

B-474 - 10 Sep 1801 - Indenture between Samuel McElroy & Hugh McElroy, both of Wash. Co. conveying land on Pope's Creek (acres not given) for 60 pounds.
Wit: James McElroy
William McElroy
Abraham McElroy

Sam'l McElroy

B-475 - 31 Aug 1801 - Indenture between Walter Cain & wife Mary, Brooke Co. Va. & Isaac Pearce, Wash. Co. conveying 100 acres for \$300, part of a 1000 acres granted to Jacob Newland by State of Virginia, on Pleasant Run.
Wit: None

Walter Cain
Mary x Cain

B-476 - 5 Oct 1801 - Indenture between Isaac Pearce & Christian Kanady, both of Wash. Co. conveying 200 acres on Pleasant Run for 150 pounds.
Wit: None

Isaac Pearce

B-478 - 11 Sep 1801 - Indenture between Benjamin Gibbs & wife Mary & Shadrack Clark, all of Wash. Co. conveying 76 acres for (amount not given) being part of David Rice survey.
Wit: None

Benja. Gibbs

B-479 - 7 Sep 1801 - Indenture between Benjamin Gibbs & wife Mary & Rolly Bland all of Wash. Co. conveying 74 acres on Rolling Fork for (amount not given) being part of David Rice Survey & bounded by Philip Washbourn.
Wit: None

Benjamin Gibbs

B-480 - 15 Apr 1790 - Recorded Wash. Co. 7 Oct 1801 - Bill of Sale between Joel Hundley & Joseph Hundley conveying six negroes, a man named Andrew, a woman named _____, four children; Braddock, Mat, Lucy and one unnamed, also livestock, household furniture, etc. for 700 pounds.
Wit: Richard Napier
William Hundley

Joel Hundley

B-481 - 4 Oct 1801 - Indenture between Martin Everhart & wife Sarah & Harmon Snider, all of Wash. Co. conveying 71 acres on Hardins Creek for 5 shillings, bounded by Samuel Payne.
Wit: None

Martin Everhart

B-482 - 5 Oct 1801 - Indenture between Harmon Snider & wife Elizabeth & James Hager, all of Wash. Co. conveying 71 acres on Hardins Creek for 100 pounds and bounded by James Elder & Samuel Payne.
Wit: None

Harman Snider
Elizabeth x Snider

B-483 - 7 Sep 1801 - Indenture between Benjamin Gibbs & wife Mary & Charles Bland, all of Wash. Co. conveying 126 acres on Rolling Fork for (amount not

B-627 - 14 Dec 1802 - Indenture between all of the same parties as B-626 conveying lot #85 in Springfield.

Signed by same
three men

B-627 - 30 Sep 1802 - Indenture between Luke Mattingly & wife Merriamminey and Merian Mattingly, all of Wash. Co. conveying 114 acres on Hardins Creek for 91 pounds, land adjoining Philip Askins Sr., Robert Mattingly & David Davison.

Wit: Mark Hardin

Henry x Johnston

Zachariah Mattingly

Luke x Mattingly

Merriamminey x "

her mark

B-629 - 24 Dec 1802 - Indenture between Joseph Gray & William Crowdas, both of Wash. Co. conveying 512 acres on Rolling Fork on road from Springfield to Stanford for \$978.00, adjoining Lawrence Thompson, & Wm. Baxter.

Wit: Archibald Bilbo

William Cooley

Edward Pennington

Joseph Gray

B-630 - 3 Jan 1803 - Articles of Agreement between Richard Gardener & Sarah Beall concerning goods bequeathed to Sarah Beall by dec'd husband, whereas a marriage to be performed shortly between both parties.

Wit: Jacob Miller

Charles Courts

William Pickerill

Richard Gardiner

Sarah Beall

B-631 - 4 Jun 1802 - Indenture between Patty Edmonson & Samuel Lynch, all of Wash. Co. conveying 100 acres on Cartridges Creek for 35 pounds.

Wit: Allen Shuttleworth

John x Brown

George Liston

Patty x Edmonson

her mark

B-632 - 10 Dec 1801 - Indenture between Baldwin Clifton & wife Sarah & Wilford Martin, all of Wash. Co. conveying 100 acres on Hardins Creek for 30 pounds.

Wit: Wilfred Goodrum

Benjamin Fenwick

Raphael Gardiner

Baldwin Clifton

Sarah Clifton

B-634 - 10 Dec 1801 - Indenture between Baldwin Clifton & wife Sarah & Mark Manning, all of Wash. Co. conveying 206 acres on dividing ridge between Hardins and Prathers Creeks for \$70.

Wit: Wilfred Goodrum

Benjamin Fenwick

Raphael Gardiner

Baldwin Clifton

Sarah Clifton

B-636 - -- Dec 1801 - Indenture between Baldwin Clifton & wife Sarah & Thomas Gardiner, all of Wash. Co. conveying 130 acres on Hardins Creek for 75 pounds, adjoining John Green & Joseph Dant.

Wit: Wilfred Goodrum

Benjamin Fenwick

Raphael Gardiner

Baldwin Clifton

Sarah Clifton

B-637 - 11 Jan 1803 - Benjamin Hardin & Benjamin Tobin, both of Wash. Co. conveying 150 acres on Towel Creek, Breckenridge Co. Ky. for "natural love & affection" adjoining 200 acre tract given to Rosannah McElroy.

Wit: None

Benja Hardin

B-649 - 27 Nov 1802 - Indenture between John Crockett, Wythe Co. Va. & Nathaniel Drake, Jessamine Co. Ky. of one part & William Crowdas, Wash. Co. other part conveying 200 acres on Beech Fork of Salt River for 110 pounds, adjoining Edward Briscoe.

Wit: James Barbour
Wm. Servent
John x Oneal
George x Crowdus

Nath'l Drake
John Crockett

B-650 - 12 Feb 1803 - Indenture between Isaac Kronkright of Linkhorn Co. Ky. and wife Dollay of one part & Samuel Hart, Wash. Co. other part conveying 100 acres on Louse Run for 42 pounds, 10 shillings.

Wit: Henry Young
John Bones
Jacob Coughanor

Isaac x Cronkright

B-652 - 8 Aug 1802 - Bill of sale between Thomas Mudd & Henry Holland, both of Wash. Co. conveying a negro named Jack, age 10 years, for 85 pounds.

Wit: Thos. Knott Jr.
Joseph Beard

Thomas Mudd

B-653 - 15 Oct 1802 - Indenture between Joseph Miles & wife Ann & William Pike all of Wash. Co. conveying 103 acres on Pottingers Creek for 75 pounds.

Wit: John Helm, Coleman Brown,
Robt. Peak, John B. Dant,
Thos. Elliott

Joseph x Miles
Ann x Miles

B-654 - 21 Nov 1797 - Bond between Richard Parker & Peter Swank, both of Wash. Co. for 100 acres of land in Wash. Co., bond for 60 pounds, land adjoining Joshua Masters.

Wit: John Ray
Thomas Clemons

Rich'd Parker
Francis E. Spink and Sary

10 Dec 1800 "I do assign all my rights in bond to Francis E. Spink and Sary Spink".

Wit: Thomas & Richard Hamilton

Peter x Swank

B-655 - 4 Apr 1803 - Indenture between George Marks, Coleman Brown & J. Nall, commissioners on behalf of infant heirs of Richard Parker dec'd and John Robertson, William Wright, John Bodine & James Jenkins heirs & representatives of Richard Parker dec'd now of lawful age of one part & Francis E. Spink other part concerning the bond mentioned above in B-654. For 60 pounds sold to Spink 100 acres bounded by Joshua Masters.

Signed: Geo. Marks, Coleman Brown, James Nalle, John Robertson, Wm. Wright,
John Bodine, James Jenkins.

B-657 - 24 Nov 1797 - Bond between Richard Parker & Joshua Masters, both of Wash. Co. concerning 50 acres of land for 20 pounds. Recorded Wash. Co. 4 Apr 1803.

Wit: John Ray
Thos. Clemons

Rich'd Parker

B-658 - 4 Apr 1803 - Indenture between George Marks, Coleman Brown & James Nalle commissioners on behalf of infant heirs of Richard Parker dec'd & John Robertson, William Wright, John Bodine & James Jenkins heirs & representatives of Richard Parker dec'd now of lawful age of one part and George Thompson, other part concerning bond given to Thompson by Richard Parker and for 45 pounds conveys to Thompson 300 acres of land.

Signed: By all of the same in B-655

To the heirs of my brother Otho Tharp
 To the heirs of my sister Polly Tally
 Ex: George and Samuel Grundy
 Wit: John Thomas, Thomas Ellerton, Samuel Thomas, William Thomas

Signed: William Tharp

- WALKER, ANN MARIA - Will, noncupative - 30 Sep 1826, P: 26 Mar 1827 D-241
 Who departed this life 29 Sep 1826 at the house of Richard Walker where she resided,
 her will and desire: I give to Sally Ann Martha, d/o my brother Richard Walker, \$100
 I give to blank, d/o my brother David Walker, \$50, all of the balance of estate to
 my sister Nancy Jane Walker. The above will was expressed before us 30 Sep 1826
 Signed: Marget Henderson and Ailsay Q. Harris
 Probated at the Ohio Co. Ky. Court in Hartford on 1 Jan 1827 and proved by Margaret
 Henderson and Ailsay Harris, Recorded Washington Co. Ky. 26 Mar 1827
- ELDER, Guy - Adm/sett - 11 Aug 1826 - 26 Apr 1827 - Adm: Thos.G.Elder & Mary Porter D-241
- ROLLINS, HENRY - Adm/sett - 23 Apr 1827 - Adm: Perry Tharp, John Rollins D-241
- ELDER, GUY - Adm/sett - 23 Apr 1827 - Adm: Sylvester Elder D-242
- SPRINGER, LEN - Ex/sett - 23 Apr 1827 D-243
 Ex: Joseph Funk, executor of Elizabeth Springer dec'd, executor of L. Springer
- CHANDLER, JOHN - Ex/sett - 17 May 1826 - 23 Apr 1827 - Ex: Wm.Chandler, Wm. B. Harrison D-243
- SMITH, EDWARD B. - Adm/sett - 23 Apr 1827 - Adm: Thomas McIntire D-244
- JEFFRIES, WILLIAM - Adm/sett - 23 Apr 1827 D-245
- HUMPHREY, ROWLEY - Adm/sett - 23 Apr 1827 D-246
- WILKERSON, JOSEPH - Adm/sett - 23 Apr 1827 - Adm: Ignatius Johnston D-247
- POWELL, PETER - Inventory - 27 Apr 1827 - Appr:Nath'l Carrico,John Jackson,Francis X.O'Bryan D-247
 Sales - 17 Mar 1827 - 23 Apr 1827 D-248
- PAYNE, GEORGE - Will - W: Mar 1821, P: 28 May 1827 D-248
 Court of Appeals 21 Apr 1827 - Meredith Payne, Ex. of George Payne-dec'd, appellant
 against Richard Payne, appellee, concerns theft of original will, opinion given
 28 day of May 1827
 "The substance of George Payne's will that I drewed in Mar 1821 and which was taken out
 of my desk in February last is as follows: I, George Payne, now 67 years of age -
 to wife Sarah all estate during her lifetime and after death in the following manner:
 to son Meredith Payne, slaves valued at \$2100, to Richard Payne slaves valued at \$2100,
 to son Samuel the plantation and slaves valued at \$2100
 to daughter Priscilla slaves valued at \$2100
 to daughter Elizabeth slaves valued at \$2250
 My daughter Lucy is laboring under a deep consumption and if she recovers to be made equal
 to grandson George Payne Smith, s/o Elias Smith - slaves - he under 21
 Ex: son Meredith
 Wit: Jeroboam Beauchamp, Richard F. Sutton
 Signed: George Payne
- CROWDUS, WILLIAM - Will - Ky Court of Appeals 3 May 1827 - opinion 28 May 1827 D-254
 Appellants: John, George, James, Mark, & Matthew Crowdus against
 Appellees: Richard Calvert and wife, John Isaacs and wife
 Judgment: Will to be recorded
 Will of Wm. Crowdus, written 17 Sep 1821, P:28 May 1827
 Leg: Wife Dolly
 Daughters: Margaret Calvert, Polly Isaacs, Betsey Bracken, & Gracy Crowdus
 Sons: George, John, William, Mark, James, and Matthew
 Ex: George, John, and William Crowdus
 Wit: Benjamin x Thomas, John Ward
 Signed: William Crowdus
- CROWDUS, WILLIAM - Inventory - 25 Oct 1825 - 29 May 1827 D-255
 Appr: Clarence Brown, Daniel Crump, Edward Briscoe
 Sales - 29 May 1827 D-258
- COSBY, JOHN -age 80 - Will - W: 9 May 1822, P: 23 Apr 1827 D-260
 Leg: Wife Susannah
 Son Dabney C. Cosby and John Calhoon to hold 1/6 of estate in trust for each of
 the following daughters:
 Fanny Overton, Louisa Bullock, Jane Shackelford, and children of each of them
 Also 1/6 in trust for children of Overton Cosby
 Also 1/6 in trust for daughter Maria Nantz
 States a request to be buried by son Dabney
 Ex: Son Dabney and friend John Calhoon
 Wit: William B. Booker, Elias Davison
 Signed: John Cosby

- SAVAGE, PATRICK D. - Sales - 2 Aug 1826 - 28 May 1827 D-261
- SIMMON, BENJAMIN W. - Gdn/sett - 28 May 1827 - Gdn: Thomas H. Hamilton for Joel Simmon D-262
- REED, JOHN - Inventory - 28 May 1827 - Ex: George Grundy D-262
Appr: John Thomas, Godfrey Gregory, John Walker
- MILBOURN, ROBERT - Add'l Sales - 29 May 1827 - Ex: Francis X. Milbourn D-264
- WALKER, ANN M. - Inventory - 28 May 1827 - Appr: Sam'l & Chas. Grundy, Godfrey Gregory D-264
- CROWDUS, WILLIAM - Inv/notes - 30 May 1827 - Jun 1827 - D-265
Curators: Andrew Cunningham and Henly Taylor
- BROADY, RICHARD - Inventory - 10 Mar 1827 - 23 Jul 1827 D-270
Appr: A. Cunningham, Jesse Riney, Aaron Sherrill
- MURNE/MYRNE, PATRICK - Will - W: 8 Jul 1827, P: 23 Jul 1827 D-271
Leg: To pastors of St. Rose Church, to Wm. G. Slack, to Rev. Richard Butler, to two brothers in Ireland, John and James Murne and to Rev. James Poland
Ex: Alexander Hamilton
Wit: William Hogan, Edward G. Overton
Signed: P. Murne
- ISAACS, JOHN Sr. - Will - W: 22 Apr 1826, P: 23 Jul 1827 D-271
Leg: Wife Nancy
Children: Elisha, Levicy Scott, Artemicia Taylor, Robert, David, John Jr., Harry, Allen & youngest Samuel Swan Isaacs who is underage.
Ex: Henley Taylor, Samuel S. Moore
Wit: James Dever, Samuel Hancock
Signed: John Isaacs
- CALHOON, JOHN - Will - W: 1 Nov 1811, P: May 1817, P: 23 Jul 1827 D-273
Leg: Wife Margaret
To John & Eliza Andrews six sons: Calhoon, Samuel, Wilson, Parker, Benj., & Martin
To the surviving children of my son Parker Calhoon dec'd
Mentions other children - unnamed, mentions brother George
To my daughters Margaret Pickett & Eliza Andrews, & my son John
Ex: John Andrews, John Calhoon, Jr., Martin Hardin
Wit: George Wilson, David R. Mundy, Phillip Barbour and Nelson Walker
Signed: John Calhoon
- EVERHART, MARTIN - Will - W: 13 Aug 1827, P: 27 Aug 1827 D-274
Leg: Wife Eliza - mentions a possibility of a posthumous child, also mentions estate due him from his dec'd father.
Ex: Joseph P. Knott, Daniel Everhart
Wit: Isaac Withrow, James Bell
Signed: Martin Everhart
- MILES, WILLIAM - Will - W: 12 Sep 1826, P: 27 Aug 1827 D-274
"Being of the age 77 on 13th of December next" - to be buried at St. Rose
Leg: Sons Henry P. Miles, Jesse Miles, and John Miles
Daughter, Permelia Mattingly, during her single life and after her death to her two sons, William and Francis Mattingly
Grandaughter, Elizabeth Goodrum
Ex: Dr. John Lancaster
Wit: John Lancaster, Richard Leak
Signed: William X Miles
- CALDWELL, WILLIAM T.Sr. - Will - W: 14 Jul 1827, P: 27 Aug 1827 D-275
Leg: Wife Mary and sons William Thomas and Charles
To my executor the tract of land where John McChord now lives
To granddaughter Isabella McChord and at the death of my daughter Lydia McChord, my executor to hold the property so as not to go toward said McChord's debts, but for her children
To my daughter Mary Logan Roberts
Ex: My friend, Robert Mickell and my sons Charles and Thomas and wife Mary
Wit: Samuel Booker, Thomas Head, James H. Mudd, Leonard Cheatham
Signed: William T. Caldwell
- REED, JOHN - Inv/notes - 27 Aug 1827 D-277
Sales - 22 Sep 1825 - 27 Aug 1827 D-278
- GREEN, BENJAMIN - Will - W: 9 Aug 1827, P: 27 Aug 1827 D-278
Leg: Mother - Mary, a widow
Brothers/sisters: Charlotte Green, Agatha Drury, Elizabeth Worthing/Wathen, Sally Spalding, Clement Green, Leonard Green, John J. Green, Dorothy Green, Teresa Green, and Ann Worthing/Wathen.
Ex: John B. Hayden
Wit: Asa Harris, Ignatius Spalding, John x French, James Lee, James Hayden
Signed: Benjamin Green

daughter of my brother David Walker fifty dollars.. I give after the payments of all the expenses incurred by my sickness and three slaves and all other property to my youngest sister Nancy Jane Walker. The above will was made and expressed before us and reduced to writing the thirty day of September, 1826.

Witnesses:

Margaret Henderson

Ann Maria Walker

Allison Q. Harris

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S.B. The will was probated at Hardtford in Ohio County January 1, 1827. Charles H. Henderson, clerk

William Crowdus

Sept. 17, 1822

Mar. 3, 1827

Being weak of body, etc.

Item to my beloved wife Dolly Crowdus I give one third of my estate both real and personal during her life time or widowhood.

Item to my daughters Margaret Calvert, Polly Issac and Betsy Bracken I give and bequeath to my daughter Margaret Calvert one thousand dollars which a negro girl she now has in her possession is to be valued as part of said thousand dollars. To my daughter Polly Isaac one thousand dollars in two negroes to be worth that much. To my daughter Betsy Bracken one thousand dollars in two negroes to be worth that much. To my sons George Crowdus, John Crowdus, William Crowdus, Mark Crowdus, James Crowdus and Matthew Crowdus and to my daughter Gracy Crowdus I give all my land and personal property not above bequeathed to be equally divided between them.

Item and lastly I appoint George Crowdus, John Crowdus and William Crowdus executors of this my last will.

Witnesses:

White

Benjamin Thomas

Sam. Ware?

William Crowdus

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George Payne

Mar. , 1821

May 23, 1827

The substance of George Payne's will that I drew and marked 1821 and which was taken out of my desk in February last is as follows to the best of my recollection. (to wit:) I George Payne of Washington County, Kentucky now in my sixty seventh year of age being weak of body, etc.

First I will unto my dearly beloved wife Sarah Payne all my estate both real and personal during her natural life. And at her death to be disposed of in the following manner.

I will unto my son Meridith Payne the following negroes: Ed, Henry, James together with a negro man named Tom that he sold in Virginia for four hundred dollars making twenty five hundred dollars with said negroes I will and bequeath to him.

I will to my son Richard Payne the following negroes: Bill, a workman which he sold for fifteen hundred dollars together with a boy named Edmond which I consider worth six hundred dollars. Making twenty one hundred dollars.

I will to my son Samuel Payne the following negroes Jerry, Hannan, Vincent, Bill and Nancy. which said negroes I value at twenty one hundred dollars.

I will unto my daughter Persillar Payne the following negroes: me, Henry, Eliza, Alexander, Bill, Bill, Amual, Maria and her

By J. Henry. 11/16/86

of the said Thomas Mathews Jr. Corcoran and Charles
E. Corcoran of the first part and the Corcorans as
brother & Co. of the second part with respect that the
said party of the first part in consideration of
four thousand dollars hereof the sum of the value
of the lands & said shares by said Mathews and
they being used for his own business and for the
benefit of consideration that the said shares has
this day signed a conveyance therefore and other
qualities his right of record in and to a certain
tract of 26 7/8 acres of land etc and conveyed
to J. H. Mathews by said Mathews and others the
recital of which is hereby adopted as being
by all grant and convey to the party of the
second part his heirs and assigns the following
described property, to-wit: three hundred and ninety
acres of land in Marion County on the waters
of Duck Creek being the heirs James and the
same with the said Mathews by his father the
Corcorans does, and also the one half of the
Marion Logansville tract of two hundred and twenty
acres, the same with the said Corcorans by his

This day signed a conveyance thereof and after
 granted his right of award in and to a certain
 tract of $26\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land sold and conveyed
 to J. H. Cuckles by said Matthew and others the
 receipt of which is hereby acknowledged as being
 by full payment and convey to the Agent of the
 United Post-Office and of the following
 the said Joseph, viz. three hundred and thirty
 acres of land in Marion County on the waters
 of Duck Creek being the same farm and the
 same will be said Matthew by his father the
 same and does, and also the one half of the
 United States tract of two hundred and twenty
 acres the same will be to said County by his
 father to have and to hold to the said Joseph and
 as breaks as before for the sole and separate
 use of his said father to his heirs and his
 children now or hereafter born and the survivors
 of them with full power in said father by conveying
 with said said father in the said to full conveyance
 or change the same and to assign all the same
 in other property to him in the said power and the same

will proceed with the said papers as if General. have any
 A testimony thereof being our duty, done this 16th day of October
 1865.

State of Kentucky
 Marion County

John W. Linn
 John E. Linn

J. William J. Linn, Clerk of the County Court
 of Marion County in the State of Kentucky do certify that on
 the 16th of Octo 1865 the foregoing deed was produced to me in
 my Office and acknowledged by Mr. W. Linn and wife
 John E. Linn. due there to be their act & deed which deed is
 duly stamped as required by act of Legislature and is added to our
 list of minutes of 10 October 1865. We do hereby certify that it
 and this same Certificate in my said Office.

Witness my hand this 16th day of October 1865.

Wm. Linn. Clerk

By J. Linn, Clerk

This J. Linn in and entered into this 16th day of October
 1865. before me at Shelbyville and Marion County he wife
 of the County of Marion and State of Kentucky of the first of the
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May 1865