

James

I Sikes Harris being old & do not expect to live long now being
 in my right mind & in good health I have previously on aid my will is
 my will that my son James Harris have fifty acres of land bounded
 as follows beginning at two white oaks & a hickory standing in an old
 line of a 400 acre claim entered by Sikes Harris & divides it to the
 Survey beginning South 25° E 40 poles to a white oak & Dogwood
 & a black walnut standing between them thence North 69° East
 200 poles to sugar tree sweet gum & elm thence North 80° N 40 poles to a
 stake thence to the Beginning this is my will for James to have the
 land at my death & may before it is my will for my son James to have
 the 50 acres that he claims it is my will for my son James to have half
 the crop that is raised on the place at my death it is my will
 that my son James is to have his sippate & desink from the
 rest it is my will for James to have my rifle gun I make this
 my last will & testament this 19th June 1841

Teste

Sikes Harris
 mark

Bevilock Coleman
 James C. Coleman
 James Smith

Altered in presence of
 Samuel W. Bennett
 H. M. C. Ming

H. M. C. Ming

Muhlenberg County Geo
 January County Court 1845

The foregoing last will & testament of Sikes Harris
 was exhibited into court & proven to be the act & deed
 of the said S. Harris by the oath of H. M. C. Ming & W. H. C.
 Ming subscribing witnesses thereto & ordered to be
 Recorded

H. M. C. Ming
 W. H. C. Ming