

them that they receive their share of said property meaning thereby that it be equally divided between my two children Heziah & Elizabeth after the death of my wife Rebecca M & in the event of the event of the death of either of said children before ariving of age or marry the survivor to have all-

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand this the 9th day of September 1856
eighteenn hundred and fifty six-

James Murphy (X his mark)

In presence of: John T Smith John Leach Isaac Adair-

I mean hereby that my wife Rebecca M give to my children Keziah or Elizabeth when they marry such property as they agree about & in the event they cannot agree to be equally divided my wife Rebecca only keeping enough for her support during her life & then to go to my said children-

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand &c Sept 9th 1856

James Murphy (X his)

In presence of: John T Smith John Leach Isaac Adair-

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF HOUSTON. COUNTY COURT of said County pertaining to estates of decd persons ward s &c January term 1859-

Personally appeared in open court Isaac Adair & Joh-n Leach two of the subscribing witnesses to the last will and testament of James Murphy who being duly sworn says that they were present and saw James Murphy sign and publish the above and foregoing as his last will and testament and that said testator was of sound mind and disposing memory That they signed said last will and testament in the presence of said testator and in the presence of the other subscribing witnesses viz: John T Smith ad witnesses at the request of the said testator-

Isaac Adair John Leach

Sworn to and subscribed in open court this the 31st Ja uary 1859

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF HOUSTON. I hereby certify that the, above and foregoing attached will & the affidavit thereto or- are duly recorded in Book M pages 456 & 457 of the records of said Co- for deeds &c

To certify which I hereto set my hand and affix the seal of my office at Crack-