

Know all men by these presents that I Alfred Roberts of the County of Breckinridge State of Kentucky being in bad health but of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time heretofore made.

1st I hereby constitute and appoint my two Nephews Alfred Roberts and James T Roberts to be my sole Executors of this my last will and testament hereby directing my said Executors to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses out of my personal property except that my horses and farming utensils are not to be sold at any time or in any year until the crop which may then be on hand is matured severed and gathered in and removed to market. This done to make good any contract which I may make with Jas. T Roberts for the cultivation of the farm during my natural life or for years.

2^d I hereby empower my said Executors to sell any real estate of which I may die seized and possessed, undisposed of, and to make conveyances or conveyances of the same to the Purchaser or Purchasers thereof, provide it may be necessary for them so to do in order to carry out my intentions and purposes as heretofore or hereinafter set forth.

3^d I do hereby ratify and confirm the Deed which I have recently made to Alfred Roberts Junr for the land on which he now resides for about 178 acres the consideration for which is all paid and declared canceled.

4th I do give to Jas. T Roberts the homestead on which he and myself now reside consisting of about 300 acres be the same more or less. Less 6 acres recently sold to Milton Squire. Also 10 acres deeded to my father by Elizabeth Henry Beavin and 25 acres deeded to me by Elizabeth Beavin with this charge on the 25 acre tract that the said Jas. T Roberts is to pay Milton Tate for me the sum of \$300.⁰⁰ with its interest less whatever sum I may pay in my lifetime. And in case the \$300.⁰⁰ is not paid to Tate either by myself nor Jas. T Roberts I desire that my Executors sell said 25 acres to pay that debt. And with the further charge and condition that he is to remain with me on the homestead and take such care of me as my condition may demand during my natural life, and pay me \$150.⁰⁰ per annum for the use and occupation of the land so long as I may live.

5th I devise to Emily of color who has lived long in my family and who is now a faithful servant, fifty acres of land off the Hudson May tract as surveyed by A. Dresser Esq of the Blount and red bounds courses and distances now in my possession with remainder to her son Thomas and grand child Willie equally conditioned that Thomas remain with his mother Emily and take care of her during her natural life in default of which the

whole is to pass to William on the death of Emily. Also to Emily one horse one cow and bed and bedding. And my Executor Jo^s D Roberts is directed to furnish her out of any and money due me fifty bushels of corn and 200 lbs of Pork.

6. I devise to Margaret, who has been raised in the family and who has been faithful ^{servant} and direct my executors to pay her that sum out of any part of my estate undivided or unappropriated.

7. I devise to W^m Roberts, Obadiah Roberts and Luther Roberts of Phillips County Arkansas all the land of which I shall be seized and possessed in Howell County Mo. about 325 acres to be equally divided to and among them.

8. I devise to Generosa Ellison all of my interest in lands which I own in Marshall County Ky now managed for me by J. C. Gilbert Esqr. of Paducah. The amount of my interest I do not now know, but I value it at \$500. whatever there may be. the interest ^{is} for her. and in default of any interest not to be made good.

9th All the rest and residue of my estate, real personal or mixed, of which I shall be seized and possessed, or to which I shall be entitled, at my decease: and which consists for the most part of about 150 acres of land part of the Patriot & Mary tracts I give devise and bequeath to Alfred Roberts and Jo^s D Roberts, W^m Roberts, Obadiah Roberts and Luther Roberts Jun. only children of my Bro Luther Roberts Sen. one share Henry Wilson only child of my sister Eliza Wilson, one share Generosa Ellison only child of Jene^s D Roberts, one share. Subject to make good any devise that I have heretofore made herein if needed, in the charges of Administration &c. And as the land is not susceptible of division it is my will and desire that my executors herein take the land at \$25 per acre and distribute the fund according to this my will, or they are hereby empowered to sell the same for the best price they can obtain make deeds for the same and distribute the fund accordingly.

In testimony whereof I the said Alfred Roberts have to this my last will and testament contained on four pages and more of paper, subscribed my name to this the last full page sheet thereof & affixed my seal this 9th day of March 1851

Alfred Roberts Sen
Signed published and delivered by the said Alfred Roberts as and for his last will and testament in presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses hereto

Jo^s D Howard
Henry M. Jolly

Whereas I Alfred Roberts of Breckinridge County Ky. have made my last will and testament in writing bearing

date the 19th day of March 1884 And whereas in and by my last will and testament I have in article 21 thereof made Jas S Roberts to pay me \$150⁰⁰ per annum for the use and occupation of the land so long as I may live. Now I do by this writing which I hereby declare to be a codicil to my said will, and to be taken as part thereof that the said Jas S Roberts is not to pay me any thing for the use and occupation of the land so long as I live. But he is required to pay the taxes on the land, divided to him and the 50 bushels of corn and 400 lbs of pork to Emily Golly as in article 5 of the will

And whereas in and by my last will and testament in article 9 I have said that my executors herein take the land at \$25⁰⁰ per acre and distribute the fund according to this my will or they are hereby empowered to sell the same for the best price they can obtain make deeds for the same and distribute the fund accordingly; and Now I desire to be more explicit and it is my will and desire that my ^{and} executors may elect to take the land devised in article 9 of my will at \$25⁰⁰ per acre and if not they may sell the same at public sale and they are directed to do so. may become bidders themselves at the best bid they can get. at said public sale: and it is my will and desire that they take the land themselves at such best bid and the land shall pass to them by this my devise to them and they are directed to distribute the fund as directed in this article 9 of my will. But and if anyone should give more than my executors want to give then my executors are directed to take their bid. and make deeds to him or her or so purchasing

And lastly it is my will and desire that this my present codicil be annexed to and made a part of my last will and testament to all intents and purposes
In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand ^{and} seal this 15th day of April 1884

Alfred Roberts

The above instrument of some two pages was at the date thereof declared to us by the testator Alfred Roberts to be a codicil to be annexed to his last will and testament and he acknowledged to each of us that he subscribed the same and did subscribe the same in our presence and we there at his request signed our names as attesting witnesses in the presence of each other. The words "public" was interlined in two places before signing. Dated this April 15th 1884

Jas S Haswell
William Miller Jr.

Kentucky Breckinridge County Court

August 18th August Term 1884

The foregoing instrument of writing was produced to court duly proven by the oath of Jas S Haswell

Henry M. Kelly William Miller Jr. established as the and
for the last will and testament of Alfred Roberts and
ordered to record Whereupon the same and this certificate
have been duly admitted to record
Attest Will Miller Clerk

Kentucky Breckinridge County Court

August 18th August Term 1884

The foregoing instrument exhibiting was produced in court and
being put upon oath the original will of Alfred Roberts is
declared duly proven by the oath of J. M. Kelly and Henry
M. Kelly subscribing witnesses thereto and the will is there-
fore proven by the oath of J. M. Kelly and William Miller Jr.
subscribing witnesses thereto and the whole established as the
and in the last will and testament of Alfred Roberts is do
and ordered to be recorded Whereupon same and this certificate
have been duly admitted to record in my office

Attest Will Miller Clerk B. C. C

In the name of God Amen I William Basham
of the County of Breckinridge and state of Kentucky
do make and publish the following as my Last will
and Testament (To wit)
I will and bequeath to my wife Amanda Basham
all the property real and personal that I possess consisting
of 1 1/2 acres of Land 3 cows 3 Cattle 3 Hogs 3 sheep farming implements
House hold and kitchen utensils &c &c To have and to hold
to her and her heirs so long as she remains my widow
and at her death to be Equally divided amongst her heirs
and at my death I desire the court to appoint the said
Amanda Basham Administratrix of my Estate and require
of from her no Security of any kind whatever And if the
said Amanda Basham should marry then I will
and bequeath that all the property I have what she is
Entitled to by Law be sold and the proceeds thereof be
put out on interest until the heirs become of
age and then Equally divided amongst them
Given under my hand this 19th day of
August A.D. 1886

Signed sealed and delivered William Basham
in presence of the undersigned &
acknowledged by Wm Basham to be his
Last will and Testament 1 date above