

IN THE NAME OF " GOD" , Amen .

I , Melvina Bennett , being now poor in Health , but having my usual Mind and memory , and knowing uncertainty of life , do this day and in the words and figures as follows , do make constitute and declare this to be my last will & Testament .

Item 1 , I own one undived one-third interest in a part of my fathers , G.S. FDowells , Farm in Breckenridge County , Ky . that lies 4 miles west of Big Springs Ky. , that I herein will & Bequeath to my beloved sister , Georgia D. Shelby , wife & now widow of the late G.S. Shelby ; to be hers absolutely and forever , for her to dispose of as she may seem best .

Item 2 , I own a house and lot in the village of Bowleyville , in Breckenridge County , Kentucky , that after my death I will it to be sold to the best of terms that it can be sold for and the proceeds of the sale of same divided equally share and share alike between my Two Brothers , Gus T. Dowell , of Vine Grove , Kentucky & My sister , Mrs Alsa Bennett & My Sister Mrs Georgia D. Shelby , wife and now widow of the Rev ~~W.S.~~ S. Shelby , dead .

Item 3 , I have a gold watch , that I will and bequeath to my Niece , Irene Dowell , Daughter of my brother Gus T. Dowell .

Item 4 , Having full confidence in my beloved sister, and Brother , I will and bequeath to them share and share alike , all my household & Kitchen Furniture of every kind , Character and description , including all my silver-ware and will that after my death my said Brother and Sister get together and divide said Household Goods , silver-ware set out in the 4th Item hereof , between them jointly & equally without any sale of kind under this will .

Item 5 After my Funeral Expenses , Doctors Bill & C are all are paid & a neat Tomb stone erected over my grave then if there is any money left that I dies possessed of them in that event I will that my Niece Irene Dowell have \$ 20 Gold piece , I now have on hand and a \$ 20 Gold Piece to my Niece Mrs Sadie Wood .

Item 6 I hereby nominate and a point my Sister Georgia D. Shelby my Executrix to fully carry out this my last will and testament and without any bond , or security on her part knowing she will carry out my will in full .

Mrs Melvina Bennett .

Signed by Mrs Melvina Bennett in our presence and we witness same in her presence & in the presence of each other . This 27th , 1920 .

J. H. Pickett
Edward Hill

State of Kentucky
Breckenridge County Court . Reg Term March 22, 1920.

The foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Mrs Melvina Bennett , was this day produced to court and after being duly proven by the affidavits of J. H. Pickett and Edward Hill , the same was established as and for the last will and testament of the said Melvina Bennett , and as such was ordered to record , whereupon the same with the foregoing and this certificate have been duly recorded in my office .

Given under my hand this 22 day of March 1920.

A. T. Beard , Clerk .

COUNTY OF Breckenridge
State of Kentucky .

I , William E. Rhodes , being of sound mind but of advanced age , and knowing the uncertainty of life , do make this my last will and testament and all former wills , promises or gifts are hereby revoked .

FIRST , ~~All~~ all my just debts together with my burial expenses are paid . and the sum of \$ 10.00 dollars has been given to my pastor of the Catholic Church , selected by my Executors , for masses for the repose of my soul . I will and Bequeath to my two sons William A. Rhodes and Thomas Rhodes , my farm consisting of two hundred acres , it being part of the Sulphur Springs Tract of land lying and being in Breckenridge County , Ky . in the Forks of Rough Creek near McDaniels , Ky

SECOND , To W.A. Rhodes , I do will the part of the farm , beginning at a stone in Comptons line near a spring in Comptons field , thence with John Ed Wilsons line to a stone in John L. Rhodes , field , on a branch thence

thence down said Branch with John L. Rhodes line to Joe Wheatleys corner on same branch, thence with Wheatleys line to the upper corner of the School House lot thence back to the old line. Thence with the Wheatleys line until it comes to Cleared land near top of hill. Thence in an easterly course as the land was cleared as as it strike the upper corner of my orchard to John Spencer's old line. Thence with Spencers old line to W. A. Rhodes, Garden, Thence with W. A. Rhodes fence back to Spencer's line, Thence with same to Spencers corner on Branch, Thence with Comptons line to the beginning.

THIRD, To Thomas Rhodes, I do will the party of the farm beginning at John Spencers corner on a Branch, thence with the line of W. A. Rhodes as Specified in this will to Joe Wheatleys line, thence with Wheatleys line to a large branch, Thence up said Branch to a corner on a beech above a small branch, to Comptons line, Thence with Comptons line to the beginning.

FOURTH, To W. A. Rhodes and Thomas Rhodes, I do will to them, all my stock, horses mules, cattle, sheep and hogs, All of my farming implements, I do will to W. A. Rhodes and Thomas Rhodes, All Items enumerated in this fourth Clause of my will may be divided between W. A. Rhodes and Thomas Rhodes, in proportion as to amounts that each may have invested in these articles.

FIFTH. It is my desire and will that the orchard shall be free to the use of the family of W. A. Rhodes so far as to the fruit grown therein upon the same equality as the family of Thomas Rhodes and sisters ~~hereabouts~~ ^{are} provided for.

Sixth, In compliance with the disposition made to W. A. Rhodes and Thomas Rhodes of Property both real and personal willed to them in foregoing part of my will, when they have paid to my daughters Anabel Brown Fifty Dollars, it being her part of my estate, and pay to my four single daughters, Sue, Florence, Frances and Irene, the sum of One dollars each. My four single daughters, Sue, Florence, Frances and Irene are so consider in the body of this will that they are so provided for that each is to have a home on my farm so long as they remain single.

When the sixth clause of my will is complied with by W. A. Rhodes and Thomas Rhodes all the property willed to W. A. Rhodes and Thomas Rhodes is to be theirs absolutely. Upon the uncompliance of this the sixth Clause in my will the property so willed to W. A. Rhodes and Thomas Rhodes is subject to make this part of my will as intended.

Seventh. To Susan Rhodes, Florence Rhodes, Frances and Irene Rhodes, I do will all my household and Kitchen furniture after Thomas Rhodes has received an equal part with those that have gone from home.

I appoint my two sons, W. A. Rhodes and Thomas Rhodes as Executors of My will with power to settle my estate without sale or lawsuit.

In Witness whereof I William E. Rhodes, the testator have to this my last will and testament, set my hand and my seal this 27 day of March A.D. 1915.

Wm E. Rhodes.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named, William E. Rhodes, as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us, who have hereunto subscribed our names at his request as witnesses ~~hereunto~~ in presence of said testator and of each other

Attest H. T. Compton
W. M. Compton

State of Kentucky
Breckenridge County Court.
Reg term March 22, 1920.

The foregoing Instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of William E. Rhodes, was this day produced to court and after being duly proven by the oath of W. M. Compton, the same was established as and for the last will and testament of the said William E. Rhodes, and as such was ordered to record, whereupon the same with the foregoing and this certificate have been duly recorded in my office.

Given under my hand this 22 day of March 1920.

A. T. Beard, Clerk