

Mary Farmer

In the name of God Amen I Mary Farmer of Franklin County Kentucky knowing the uncertainty of life and being now of sound mind & disposing memory do make this my last will & testament in manner following

1st I will to each of my two daughters Susan Mary Rogers & Anna Farmer a horse worth one hundred dollars I will to my son Henry & my daughter Anna each a bed & furniture

I will to Mary Frances Farmer wife of Benjamin F Farmer & her children by said Farmer one fourth part of the balance of my estate in trust of Phelps Saunders for their use & benefit

I give my daughter Susan Mary Rogers wife of S. H Rogers one fourth part of the balance of my estate

I give my son Henry Farmer one fourth part of the balance of my estate

I give my daughter Anna Farmer one fourth part of the balance of my estate

The four shares last named are intended to be equal I appoint S. H Rogers my Executor to this my last will & testament and give him power to sell all my estate both real & personal at his discretion in the space of eighteen months from my decease

In witness whereof I hereto subscribe my name this 4th day of July 1866

Witness

Peter Cott

S. H. Rodgers

Mary Farmer

State of Kentucky ss

Franklin County Court August 25th 1866
A writing purporting to be the last will & testament of Henry Farmer dec^d was produced in Court & proved by the oaths of Peter Cott & S. H. Rodgers the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded Whereupon the said will is truly recorded in my office
A. H. Remnick cfc

L. D. Walker

Truly aware of the uncertainty of life but trusting in the mercy of God - I Leonidas D Walker of the town of Frankfort & State of Kentucky do hereby make & establish this as my last will & testament I hereby give devise & bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth C Walker the whole of my property & estate of every description whatever be it real personal or mixed

for & during her life; the same at her death to be equally divided among my children I also appoint my said wife Elizabeth C Walker my executrix, and do not wish the Courts to require of her any security as I have full faith in her prudence, discretion & integrity.
Done at St. Louis this 6th day of October 1865

witness

Saml B Churchill

Henry Berry

This will was signed by the testator in our presence and declared by him to be his last will & testament

Henry Berry

Saml B Churchill

State of Kentucky ss

At a County Court for the County of Franklin at the Court house in the City of Frankfort on Monday the 5th day of September A D 1866

A writing purporting to be the last will & testament of Leonidas D Walker dec^d was produced in Court and was proved by the oaths of Samuel B Churchill & Henry Berry the subscribers witnesses thereto to have been subscribed by the testator in their presence and to have been acknowledged by him as his last will & testament in their presence and to have been subscribed by them as witnesses thereto in his presence at his request & in the presence of each other.

Whereupon It is ordered that said will be recorded as the last will & testament of said Leonidas D Walker dec^d Whereupon the said will is truly recorded in my office
A. H. Remnick cfc

P. Duval

Being of sound mind and feeling the uncertainty of life I Benjamin B Duwall of the county of Franklin and State of Kentucky, revoking all former wills do make this my last will and testament in manner & form as follows

First I desire that my executors hereinafter named shall pay all the just debts I may owe at the time of my decease

Second - I desire said executor to collect all the debts that may be due me at time of my decease or that may become due thereafter

Third - It is my desire that my estate shall be distributed as follows among my children
My son Benjamin B Duwall having received from

me heretofore. One thousand dollars over & above what
the rest of my children have received it is my desire that
that amount shall be taken from his share before a
final distribution shall be made; then that my estate
shall be equally divided among my children Benjamin
F Duvall excepting the one thousand dollars before
mentioned, Cornelius H Duvall, Joseph P Duvall,
William H Duvall, Martha A Went and Susan M
Duvall

Fourth - It is my desire that the farm shall not sell
or disposed of until after my daughter Susan M Duvall
shall have attained the age of twenty one years.

In witness whereof I herewith subscribe my name
affix my seal this the 23^d day of October 1866

Made & subscribed
in presence of
R. B. M^c Kee
W. J. Steele Jr
A. S. Ireland

Benjamin P Duvall
By R. B. M^c Kee

Codicil. I appoint Edward C Went and
my son Joseph P Duvall the Executors of this my
last will & testament - Benjamin P Duvall

By R. B. M^c Kee

Made & subscribed
in our presence this 23^d day of October 1866

R. B. M^c Kee
W. J. Steele Jr
A. S. Ireland

State of Kentucky

Franklin County Court Nov 3^d 1866

A writing purporting to be the last will & testament of
Benjamin B Duvall dec with a codicil thereto attached
was produced in court & proved by the oaths of R. B. M^c Kee
W. J. Steele Jr & A. S. Ireland the subscribing witnesses
thereto and ordered to be recorded which is truly done

A. H. Remnick cfc

Frankfort Ky Nov 9th 1866

The undersigned witnesseth this writing to be my
last will & testament Witnesseth

1st That I give to my wife Hannah M Blackburn the
residence in which we are now living together with all the
appurtenances attached. Also all the furniture, household
kitchen furniture including bedding &c &c

2^d She shall have One thousand dollars in cash - I give
the above named property to her as absolute, she assigns

all claims to any property that may be left or that may come from
the estate of my father. After all my just debts are paid the
balance of my property I wish divided equally between my
three children

R. W. Blackburn

I hereby appoint my Edmund Botts as my executor
he agreeing to act as such

R. W. Blackburn

State of Kentucky
Franklin County Court December Term 8th 1866

A writing purporting to be the last will & testament of
Robert W Blackburn dec was this day produced to court &
there being no subscribing witnesses thereto, James Tate and
Edmund Botts being sworn testified said writing with the
signature thereto is wholly in the handwriting of the
deceased and thereupon same is ordered to be recorded as
the last will & testament of said deceased, Whereupon
the said will is truly recorded in my office

A. H. Remnick cfc

I Theophilus Brauner of Franklin County Kentucky being
weak of body but of sound mind and memory and being
desirous of making disposition of my little personal estate do
do declare the following to be my wishes in regard thereto
After the payment of my funeral expenses and any just debt
I may owe I give the whole of my property of every description
to my wife Rachel Brauner to be used and disposed of by
her as she may see proper - In witness whereof I have
herewith set my hand this 19th day of May 1866

Witness
Wesley Wade
John J Snow

his
Theophilus x Brauner
mark

Franklin County Court
January Term 1867

A Writing purporting to be the last will & testament of
Theophilus Brauner dec was produced to court and was
proved by the oaths of Wesley Wade & John J Snow subscri-
bing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded which is
truly done.

A. H. Remnick cfc

I Mason Brown of the city of Frankfort and State of Kentucky
do hereby make this my last will & testament and do hereby revoke
all other wills by me heretofore made:

I have paid my son Benjamin Grady Brown the legacy he
is entitled to by my father and have given him