

Chambers

I Thomas Mass of the County of Franklin and State of Kentucky, being of sound mind and judgment, do make this my last will and testament Viz: 1st I leave to my wife Harriett Mass the whole of my Real Estate &c. consisting of a farm of about Seventy Acres more or less, 70 Acres situated and being as follows. The said farm began at the Red Oak, from thence running to a stone adjoining Mr. Green's fence from there across the bridge to a white walnut tree from there to a hickory & white oak both fallen down, from there to the place of beginning &c. It is my particular wish and desire, that my wife Harriett Mass, do at her pleasure with my Farm &c.

I leave to each of my Sons One Dollar.
 Witness my hand this 21st day of Decr. 1864 the Year of our Lord 1864
 Witness J. A. Addicks Samuel Shanon Mass
 John Angrove
 I leave to each of my Sons One Dollar.
 Samuel S. Mass.

Franklin County Court
 Monday May 2nd 1875
 A writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Shanon Mass deceased, was produced in court and proven by the oaths of John M. Addicks a subscribing witness and also proven the attestation of John Angrove the other subscribing witness, whereupon it was ordered that said will be recorded.
 Which is done.

July 14th 1861.
 Camp Boone Tennessee.

Dear John - I take the present time of writing you a few lines to let you know how I am, I am going along I. well and doing very well, there is about a Thousand Soldiers here they are in very good spirits though some of them going home. But one mill John Henderson went home the same day they got down, there was a man cut his throat but the doctor says he will get well. John tell all my friends in Frankfort and persons good by for me. John I want you to write to me, you must write to George W. Vacarow in Louisville, put this letter in

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envelope and direct to George W. Vacarow the outside envelope and to Frank Brady Camp Boone, no more at present but tell all of the family to take care of them - advise, tell Pat good by and tell him to stay at home or my Ky. J. M. Chambers

P.S. John you know I spoke to you the day I left home concerning my property, I have concluded to give sister Rachel my farm, that is if I never come back, tell her to take care of the old papers and if I never come home the farm is hers. J. M. C.

Franklin County Court
 Tuesday August 3rd 1875
 A writing (in pencil) purporting to be the last Will and Testament of J. M. Chambers dec'd was produced in court and offered for probate, and there being no subscribing witnesses thereto, J. M. Chambers and Margaret J. Truitt were sworn and testified that said writing and the signature thereto, including a Pet. Seal &c. and the initials J. M. C. are wholly an the hand writing of said J. M. Chambers dec'd, whereupon it was ordered that said Will be accepted.
 Jas. S. Crockett Clk. Ct.
 By Howard J. M. C.

In the name of God Amen
 I Mary W. Steadman of Franklin County, State of Kentucky, being of sound mind but feeble in body, do make this my last Will and testament 1st To give and bequeath to my son Herman Steadman all my right title and interest being the one undivided half of the paper mill at Steadmanville, Franklin County Kentucky, being the same divided to Samuel Martin and to James Martin as my trustees as shown by deed from Newport and Hoodsfield on record in the Franklin County Court Clerk's Office, my son Herman Steadman to have the full and complete title to said property. It is however understood in and by this bequest that my son Herman is to take care of and support his father my dear husband Ebenezer Steadman during his natural life.

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July 24th 1875

Mary ^{her} ~~W~~ ^{mark} Stradman

Witnesses

R. A. Thomson

James Martin

Franklin County Court.

Monday Sept. 6th 1875

A writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary Goodman Old, late of this County was produced in Court and proved by the oath of James Martin a subscribing witness thereto, who also proved the attestation of R. A. Thompson the other subscribing witness. Whereupon it was ordered that said will be proved.

Jas. G. Crockett left.
By Howard Jett Ill.

Frankfort. November 12th 1842.

Frankfort, November 12th 1892.
 I, William Flynn of the City of Frankfort, State of
 Kentucky, Now of Sound Mind do this day make the
 following Will and Testament:

First That all of my lawful debts are to be paid by
my two sons James and William I. Flynn. And that
these, my two sons James and William I. Flynn shall
have the whole of my real estate comprised in a
certain house and lot 40 feet front and 131 feet deep
back on St. Clair street. That said property shall be
divided equally between them. I have and I have
alike

Witness
J. W. Grant
Rich^d Sharp

William Flynn

Shereby appoynt Mr. William Allen, and James
my Executors of the above will, without bond or security
Wm Allen
James

Franklin County Court.

Monday September 6th 1872

Monday September 6th 1875.
A writing purporting to be the last will and testament
of William Flynn died late of this county was produced,
read and proved by the oath of J. Allen Grant a subscribing
witness thereto, who also proved the attestation of
Richard Sharp the other subscribing witness.
Whereupon it was ordered that said will be recorded.

Jas. G. Crockett left
 By Howard Pett

In the name of God, Amen. I John L. Bates of the County of Franklin and State of Kentucky, being of sound mind and memory, and being desirous to make equitable disposition of what property the Lord has blessed me with, among my Children, do make constitute and establish, this my last will and Testament, hereby revoking all other wills heretofore made by me. I wish all my just and honest debts to be paid first out of my Estate, and I do hereby ordain and declare that after the payment of all my just and honest debts, that all my property, personal, real and mixed, shall be equally divided between my seven Children, except as hereinafter provided to wit: Mason L. Bates, Mary Ellen, Flynn, Susan L. Malone, John W. Bates, A. J. Bates, Emma Bates and Zida Bates to be given to them as follows to wit: The interests herein and hereby given to my W. S. sons Mason L. John W. and A. J. Bates shall be given and conveyed to them absolutely, subject to their own individual and personal control un-influenced and unincumbered by any legal restrictions.

His interests herein and hereby given to my four
 daughters Mary Ellen Flynn Susan & Malora.
 Anna and Zada Batts shall be held in trust for
 their sole and exclusive use and benefit during
 their natural lives and after the death of each or
 either of them then the interest of such of them being
 dead shall revert to and vest in the legal and
 natural heirs of the body of such daughter being
 dead and in case that either of my said daughters
 shall die without issue then the interest of such
 daughter so dying shall revert to and be equally
 divided between my surviving children in the
 same manner as my property is herein bequeathed
 to be divided among my children now living and
 should any daughter die leaving issue and such
 issue should die without leaving heirs of their body
 then the interest of such daughter shall revert equ-
 ally to my surviving children or their heirs.
 And I do further ordain and declare that the
 education of my two youngest daughters Anna
 and Zada Batts having been neglected and
 limited than that of my other children I do