

In the name of God a men, I Sarah Stewart of the City and County of Henderson State of Kentucky, conscious of the fact that it is allotted to all to die, and being weak in body, though sound in mind, do ordain and publish this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and other wills heretofore made, I am first I will and devise that all my just debts be paid and after that is done, I will and devise to my son, Alexander W. Stewart my house and lot situated on Drion between Green and Elm streets in the City of Henderson, lot fronting fifty feet on Drion running back one hundred and twenty six feet together with all appurtenances thereto belonging. I also give to him the aforesaid Alexander W. all my house hold goods wares and furniture, with kitchen utensils. Item 2^d I direct that my son Alexander W. Stewart shall pay my debts, and pay to my son John H. Stewart the sum of two hundred dollars, and to my son Charles J. Stewart the sum of one dollar and I hereby create the legacy of two hundred dollars which I give my son John H. Stewart a lien upon the house and lot herein devised to Alexander W. Stewart to secure its payment. Item 3^d I hereby nominate and appoint my son Alexander W. Stewart my sole Executor to be taken without security. This 7th day of July 1878.

Sarah Stewart

Signed and acknowledged in the presence of
Martha L. Galloway
Margaret Fowler
Jesse J. Bunch

State of Kentucky, Jackson County Court 1878 (36th day of Aug 1878)
Henderson County

This day this Paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Sarah Stewart late of Henderson County Ky. deceased, was produced in open Court and proved according to law by the testimony of Martha L. Galloway, Margaret Fowler and Jesse J. Bunch subscribing witnesses thereto, and the same was adjudged to be the true last Will and Testament of said Sarah Stewart dead and ordered to be recorded as such, which is done accordingly.

Attest

Geo. W. Smith C. C. C.
By Saml. W. Sigmore D. C.

R. G. Rouse Sr.
Will
In the name of God Amen. I R. G. Rouse Sr. being of sound mind and disposing memory do make and publish my last Will as follows. 1st I desire all my just debts be paid as soon after my decease as is practicable. 2^d It is my will and desire that all my property of every kind go to my wife Ann Eliza Rouse for the period of her natural life, to be held and used by her to secure her a comfortable support, but not to be sold unless a sale be decreed by Court to pay my debts, this devise includes lands houses & personal property notes & all other things I own. 3rd After the death of my said wife Ann Eliza. It is my will and desire that all my real estate and such personal estate as may

be left after the death of my said wife Ann Eliza, go to and belong to my daughter Mary Ann Rouse, and her heirs. 4th I hereby nominate John H. Smith Executor of this my last Will and request that he be qualified without security. Subscribed and published as his
last Will in the presence of M^r M. A. Walden
James E. Williamson who sign in his presence and in the presence of each other Sept 2^d 1878
M. A. Walden
James E. Williamson

State of Kentucky, Jackson County Court 1878 (25th Oct)
Henderson County
This day this paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of R. G. Rouse Sr. dec'd. late of Henderson County Ky. deceased was produced in open Court and proved according to law by the testimony of M^r M. A. Walden and James E. Williamson subscribing witnesses thereto, the same was adjudged to be the true last Will and Testament of said R. G. Rouse Sr. dec'd. and ordered to be recorded as such, which is done accordingly.
Attest Geo. W. Smith C. C. C.

R. G. Bailey
Will
I Mr. H. Bailey of Henderson County Kentucky, being in my usual state of health, but knowing that it is once appointed for all mankind to die, and wishing to dispose of what little worldly goods and chattels I may have while in health. - Item 1st I do hereby make my last Will and Testament in the words and figures following (to wit) I do hereby will and bequeath to my wife Hecurilla P. Bailey the tract of land upon which I am now living containing about one hundred and fifty acres of land (more or less) to her and to be hers, and for her use, support and support during her natural life, and all the rents profits and proceeds arising therefrom are to be hers, while she may live, and after the payment of all my just debts funeral expenses &c. I do give and bequeath to my wife all of my stock of Horses, Cattle and Hogs, that I may have at the time of my death, also my farming implements of every kind and description including Wagon and Buggy, should I have them, and also all of my house hold and kitchen furniture of every kind and description, except the articles hereinafter mentioned (namely) It is my wish and desire that my son John A. Bailey have a good feather bed and my sewing machine given him by my wife after my death. Item 2^d After the death of my wife it is my Will and desire that the land herein bequeathed to my wife during her natural life, be divided in the following manner

between my children (namely) Cornelius Bailey, John R. Bailey and Eliza Ball who is intermarried with Charles C. Ball, that after the death of my wife, I do hereby give and bequeath to my son Cornelius Bailey one half of the above tract of land adjoining the land I sold to my daughter Eliza Ball, and the balance of the of the tract at not 75 acres including the mansion house, I will and bequeath to John R. Bailey, and Eliza Ball to be equally divided between them according to quality and quantity or in any other way that may suit them best, I do hereby nominate and appoint my son Cornelius Bailey my Executor to this my last Will and Testament, In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this 15th day of December 1878
 Witnesses John R. Bailey
 Eliza H. Dixon
 A. C. Bailey

State of Kentucky, 2nd October County Court 1878
 Henderson County, 29th and 31st October 1878

This day this paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Alexander H. Bailey late of Henderson County Ky deceased, was on the 29th day of October 1878 produced in open Court and proved according to law by John R. Bailey a subscribing witness thereto, and on this day (31st Oct 1878) proved according to law by Eliza H. Dixon the other subscribing witness thereto, and the same was adjudged to be the true last Will and Testament of said Alexander H. Bailey dec^d and ordered to be recorded as such, which is done accordingly.
 Clerk Geo. W. Smith, C. C.

He C. Sandefur
 Will

In the name of God, Amen, I Henry C. Sandefur of Henderson County Kentucky, being sick and weak in body, but of sound mind and disposing memory, and calling to mind the brevity of human life, and being desirous to dispose of all such worldly estate as it has pleased God to bless me with, I give and bequeath the same in manner following that is to say, First I desire that all the perishable part of my estate be immediately sold after my decease and out of the money arising therefrom pay and satisfy all my just debts and funeral expenses, should the perishable part of my property prove insufficient for the above purposes then I desire that my Executor hereafter named may sell a part of the farm on which I now reside sufficient to pay and satisfy the remainder of my indebtedness; Second, After the payment of my debts and funeral expenses I give to my wife Lucy Sandefur the whole of my estate real and personal for and during the term of her natural life, and after her decease I give

the same to my children equally to be divided among them and to be enjoyed by them forever, and lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my friend C. C. Eades Executor of this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all other former Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made, In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand signed sealed and acknowledged Oct 15th 1878
 Signed sealed and acknowledged
 as and for the last Will and Testament of the above named
 Henry C. Sandefur in the presence of
 J. M. Willingham
 G. C. Katabell

State of Kentucky, 2nd November County Court 1878
 Henderson County, 25th day of November 1878

This day this paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Henry C. Sandefur late of Henderson County Ky deceased was produced in open Court and proved according to law by the testimony of J. M. Willingham and G. C. Katabell subscribing witnesses thereto, and the same was adjudged to be the true last Will and Testament of said Henry C. Sandefur dec^d and ordered to be recorded as such, which is done accordingly.
 Clerk Geo. W. Smith, C. C.

James C. Butler's
 Will

Henderson Nov. 14th 1878.
 In the name of the Father, & of the Son, & of the Holy Ghost, I make this my Will & Testament. Immediately after my death my Executor must send \$100 one hundred dollars to Rev J. D. Burin, Watertown, Jefferson Co., New York, for Mass to be said for the repose of my soul on the first Friday of every month in perpetuity. It is my Will that Miss Mary A. Henderson (during her life time) receive annually \$500 five hundred dollars out of my Estate, & if the interest does not amount to \$500 it must be made good by drawing on the Principal. To my niece & namesake Miss Frances, M. South, of Ashland, Ohio I will the sum of one hundred dollars. Then after my debts are paid the remainder of my Estate I will to Rev J. D. Burin for the benefit of the "Apostle's Work" for which he provides.
 I choose Mr. Watelton
 Yeaman, my Executor.
 Frances C. Butler.

State of Kentucky, 3rd January County Court 1878
 Henderson County, 31st January 1878

This day this paper purporting to be the last Will & Testament