

John Mulkey's Will.

The last will and testament of John Mulkey, Amos & S. P. Mulkey, being in my perfect senses but in a very weak state of health and knowing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death do hereby make and publish my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all the wills by me at any time made. First, I direct that my funeral expenses and all my just debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any money of which I may die possessed or may justly come into the hand of my Executors. Secondly, I direct that the \$1000 in money be applied to the use of the Baptist Foreign Missionary Society. Thirdly, and the remainder of my money be put in interest in good lands for my daughter Sarah Elizabeth Mulkey. Fourthly, I request that my cupboard and my Bureau and my interest in my father's estate at his death be all given to my daughter Sarah Elizabeth when she arrives at her full age or marriage. Fifthly, I direct that my watch be sold and the money added to my other money mentioned in my third direction. Sixthly, I direct that if my daughter Sarah Elizabeth should die without being married, or before she arrives at the age of twenty one years that my estate given to her shall be equally divided among my brothers and sisters.

Seventhly, I direct that my bed and bedding and my cupboard move be given to my Mother. Eighthly, I direct that my fur hat and coat and boots be given to my Mother. Ninthly, I direct that my saddle be given to my brother Simon Mulkey. Tenthly, I direct that my one coat be given to my brother Bernard Mulkey. Eleventhly, I direct that the balance of my clothing be divided between my Mother and my two brothers Philip Mulkey and Robert B. Mulkey. Twelfthly, I do hereby nominate and appoint Isaac Mulkey and George L. Gage, my Executors in full. Witness my hand to this my will, set my hand and seal this 10th day of November 1847.

Signed, sealed and published in our presence and we have subscribed our names hereunto in the presence of the Dictator this 10th of November 1847.

R. J. Ferguson,

Henry Kephau,

John L. Kephau.

The foregoing Will was duly proven in open court February Term 1848 by the oath of R. J. Ferguson & Henry Kephau, two of the subscribing witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded. Isaac Mulkey also appeared and was qualified as an Ex-

Frederick Davauld's Will.

In the name of God, Amen! Frederick Davauld, of the County of Washington and State of Tennessee, being sick and weak of body, but of perfect mind and memory, for which I thank God, and calling to mind the uncertainty of human life do make and ordain this my last will and testament. First, I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it, and my body to be buried by my Executors. And, as it respects such worldly substances as it hath pleased the Lord to bestow on me, I give and bequeath them in the following manner: And first, I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of my estate. In the next place I give and bequeath to my son, Henry Davauld, two thousand five hundred Dollars in cash, the interest of which has been paid, as receipt will show dated the 3rd of September 1832. In the next place I give and bequeath to my son, John Davauld, two thousand dollars in cash, the interest of which has been paid, as receipt will show bearing date the 3rd of September 1832.

I also give and bequeath to my daughter Mary, now the wife of James H. Davauld, sixteen hundred Dollars in cash, one thousand of which has been paid, as receipt will show bearing date the 3rd of May 1832. I also give and bequeath sixteen hundred Dollars in cash to my daughter Catharina, now the wife of J. C. Crawford, one thousand Dollars of which is paid, as receipt will show, bearing date the 22nd January 1832. I also give and bequeath two thousand five hundred Dollars in cash to my son David Davauld, eighteen hundred Dollars of which has been paid, as receipt will show bearing date the 1st of February 1832. I also give and bequeath to my son Samuel Davauld three thousand Dollars in cash. I also give and bequeath to my daughter Maria Davauld sixteen hundred Dollars in cash. And whereas there are some debts I hold on individuals that are not consistent with my good it is my desire that my Executors should collect as much of the said debts as they can and pay it over to my heirs according to the proportioning I have made in the above will. I also give and bequeath to my wife Peggy, fifty dollars in cash which is due me in Penneyharris for the spending money. It is my desire that my wife Peggy should have the use of my Bay Mare, very well and gaining during her natural life, and at her death to be equally divided between my sons John and Samuel Davauld.

It is my last will and testament that all my property should be disposed of in the following manner: 1st It is my desire that the little negro girl Martha should belong to my wife Peggy and wait on her during her natural life and at her death to fall back to my heirs. 2nd, I desire that the rest of my negroes should be equally divided among my heirs after my death. Their names are following—Betsey, Anne, Patsy, Will, Frank, Jacob, Vin, Maria, Mary, Nancy, Emily, &c. It is also my will that the old negro woman called Patsy should not be sold but should live with any of the heirs she might wish to live with. And lastly I do constitute and appoint my son John Davauld and William R. R. Davauld, Executors of this my last will and testament, and I recommend it that the said Executors should see that the said will is carried out.