

ment, and I do hereby revoke and disannul and disavow all former wills, and declare this to be my last will and testament in presence of three witnesses, in witness whereof I have hereunto signed my name, and fixed my seal this 1st of Oct^r 1850. In testimony, before signing in presence of Sam^l B. Cunningham, Mark Hale, Archibald Hale.

Henry Hale *Dead*

The foregoing will was duly proven in open Court at Chambers Town 1850, by the oaths of Mark Hale and Archibald Hale, two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and admitted to record.

Michael Krouse Will.

Be it remembred that Michael Krouse Sen., of Washington County, State of Tennessee, being sensible in body, but in mind, do publish this my last will and testament in manner and as follows: First, I give my body to be buried in a Christian manner & my soul to God who gave it. Item: First, My will is that all my just debts be paid, and fully satisfied. 2d. My will and desire that my beloved wife Catharine shall remain in her residence where we now live and all the household furniture & kitchen furniture that she want to make her comfortable, she is to keep. 3d. My will is that the balance of my personal property be sold, on a twelve month credit. 4thly, my will and desire is that my son Michael Krouse shall have one hundred and one acres of land when he now lives beginning at a stake in the middle of the Creek, thence 39 W. 69 poles to a large white oak stump, thence with Young's line N 52 W 196 poles to a large white oak, his corner then W. 62 poles to a black oak, S 45 E. 80 poles to a white oak thence E. 23 poles to a small black gum sapling, thence S 50 E 14 poles to a stake, thence with a dividing line S 59 E 170 to a stake on the bank of said Creek and a oak stump, thence up the Creek with the meanders of the- to the beginning. Containing one hundred and one acres by estimate of North's plat, which I consider his full share of my estate. 5th. My will and desire is that my grandson Wm^t Krouse shall have the East and North part of said tract of land including of the home place containing by estimate one hundred acres - for which consideration, the said William T. Krouse promises and agrees to support my wife in a decent like manner and to make her as comfortable as the nature of the case will admit of by rendering due attention to her in a decent situation, furnishing of her with everything necessary to make her comfortable in season, and if at any time William wife or purchase to marry or my wife, William is to him some person to wait on her in her helpless situation, and it is further understood that said William is to support her and her stock out of the rent of the farm say two cows, and my wife to continue in the room of the house now occupied, unless provided the above named William T. Krouse shall be able with the above requisition and pay to my estate four

hundred dollars in trade to be paid as follows: Four years after my decease to pay one hundred dollars, and to be paid yearly till paid up, which amount to be divided among my heirs equally, except Michael Krouse then in that my executor is to transfer the title to the William T. Krouse. My will and desire is that my daughter Susanah Krouse be made equal with my other heirs their balance of my estate to be equally divided among all my heirs share and share alike, except Michael Krouse. My will and desire is that my son Daniel Krouse be my executor and no recently let be gained of him. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal February 29th, 1851, in presence of us, George Corrach, Austin Hytten, Henry Goodby.

Michael Krouse *Dead*

The foregoing Will was duly proven by the witnesses thereon in open Court at Chambers Town 1851, and admitted to record.

John Whillock's Will

In the name of God Amen.

I John Whillock of the State of Tennessee Washington County, being weak in body & of bad health, but of sound mind & memory, but calling to mind the mortality of my body, and knowing it is appointed for all men to die do make this instrument of writing my last Will and Testament to wit; in the following manner; first I give & bequeath unto my five sons, namely Edmund Whillock, James M. Whillock, William H. Whillock, Peter B. Whillock & Green Whillock all the right title & claim that I have to all the Lands I hold & to be by them Equally divided as they see proper; 2nd I will & bequeath unto my Daughters Henry Cornwell Sarah Humphrey, Nancy Proffitt, Margaret Proffitt & Louisa Wolf all my stock of horses cattle sheep & pigs, hoes, wheel and kitchen furniture & beds & furniture all my stock of bees all the money & notes that is on hand to be sold & divided Equally among them also my black boy Lee to be sold & the proceeds to be Equally divided among my five Daughters; And lastly I nominate & appoint Edmund Whillock & Peter B. Whillock my lawful Executors of this my last Will and Testament; signed sealed in the presence of 3 this 19th May 1851. John Whillock *Dead*

Jesse Biggs

James Kincheloe

The foregoing Will was duly proven in open Court at Chambers Town 1851, by the oaths of Jesse Biggs and James Kincheloe the subscribing witnesses thereto, and admitted to record.