

satisfied, and go to law to break this my last will and Testament, they shall be entirely cut off from receiving any more of my estate.

Witness my hand and seal this 15th day of May 1873.
Witness: *George F. Karst* *Seal*

Henry A. Beahm
Jeremiah Karst,

At Roanoke Circuit Court October Term 1886.

The last Will and Testament of George Karst deceased was this day produced in Court and proved according to law by the oaths of *Henry A. Beahm*, *Jeremiah Karst* and *Henry A. Beahm*, the subscribing witnesses thereto, and thereupon the said Will is admitted to probate.

A copy from the Records of Court.

Teste: *Wm M. Canby, Clerk.*

E. E. Bell

Feb'y 20th 1888

This paper is to certify that I do bequeath my deceased my entire personally and all interest in Real Estate. The same purchased of Thos. M. Barnett or any other property which may be bequeathed by one in One Simple from my Husbands (*M^{rs} A. Bell*) Estate to my sister Sarah J. Nottingham to be held by her or disposed of by her for the mutual benefit of herself and sister Mary M. E. Nottingham. That in case my decease occurs before Sept 1st 1888 there will be a small amount to be paid out of sale of said Farm at the rate of 18 1/2 cts per mo to satisfy a fraudulent claim of hers according to contract.

Witness my hand and seal

E. E. Bell *Seal*

At Roanoke Circuit Court April Term 1888

The last Will and Testament of E. E. Bell deceased was this day produced in Court and proved according to law by the oaths of *E. C. Gordon* and *P. H. Hogan*, and thereupon the said Will is admitted to probate.

Isidore Turner In the name of God Amen.

I, Isidore Turner being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make publish, and declare this to be my will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made.

First- I order and direct that my body be decently buried in a manner corresponding to my estate in life.
Secondly- I direct that all my just debts be paid as soon after my decease, as conveniently may be and to that end charge my whole Estate real and personal, with the same.

Thirdly- I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Amanda Turner, and my daughter Charlotte L. Bown, the plantation I now live on together with all my household and kitchen furniture- my carriage, two horses, and carriage harness, and two Milch Cows-

John Turner's Heir, Lewis Arthur's Heir, Lewis Kirkwood's Heir, Eliza Turner, and James Turner, all having been fully provided for by me, I give nothing more.

My daughter Ann Riff, has been paid (\$1125.⁰⁰) eleven hundred and a twenty five dollars, my daughter Elizabeth Riffey has been paid (\$1300.⁰⁰) thirteen hundred dollars- Luke Arthur (\$100.⁰⁰) One hundred dollars, Willie Arthur (\$100.⁰⁰) One hundred dollars, and Frank Arthur (\$100.⁰⁰) One hundred dollars, and it is my will and desire and I so will and direct- that out of the proceeds of my personal Effects not heretofore disposed of, that the last mentioned parties be paid- so that each shall have an equal share of my Estate- viz- Luke Arthur, Willie Arthur, and Frank Arthur, Ann Riff and Elizabeth Riffey, all my estate not heretofore disposed of my Executor is directed to sell, and apply the proceeds as above directed-

Lastly I hereby nominate and appoint my son James Turner Executor of this my will.-
All the property, given to my beloved wife Amanda Turner, and my daughter Charlotte L. Bown- it is my will and desire, and I so direct, that at the death of my wife all of the property given them shall descend to my daughter Charlotte L. Bown & her heirs.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed
my name this day of March 1889.
Gideon Turner

Signed and published by Gideon Turner as
and for his last will in the presence of us, who in
his presence, and in the presence of each other have
hereunto, subscribed our names as witnesses.

Geo. H. White
Eleazar E. Johns

At Roanoke Circuit Court, April Term 1889.

The last Will and Testament of Gideon Turner
deceased was this day produced in Court and proved
according to law by the oaths of George H. White
and Eleazar E. Johns, the subscribing witnesses
thereto, and thereupon said Will is admitted to pro-
bate.

A copy from the records of Court
Teste.

Wm McCauley, Clerk.

Amanda Turner

Renunciation of Will

Whereas Gideon Turner, late of Roanoke County,
Virginia, died on the 27th day of March, 1889, in the said
County, leaving a will & last testament which was ad-
mitted to probate in the Circuit Court of said County
at its April term 1889, and whereas he left the under-
signed Amanda Turner, his widow, who was entitled
to dower in his real estate and to her distributive share
of his personal estate, but for whom he, by his said
last will and testament, made provision. Now therefore
upon reflection, and consideration of all the circumstances,
the undersigned, Amanda Turner, widow as aforesaid,
does, by these presents, and in pursuance of section 2059
of the Code of 1887, renounce the said provision, and

~~does~~ hereby claim her said dower and distributive share under
the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness the annexed signature and seal this 18th day of March
1890. Amanda Turner (seal)

This day before me the undersigned Wm McCauley, Clerk of
the Circuit Court of Roanoke County, in my official person-
ally appeared Amanda Turner, the widow of Gideon Turn-
er, deceased, whose name is signed to the foregoing
paper writing, dated this day, and acknowledged the
same to be her act.

Given under my hand this 18th day of March 1890.

Wm McCauley, Clerk.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Roanoke
County the 18th day of March, 1890. This Renunciation of
the Will of Gideon Turner, deceased, by his widow
Mrs. Amanda Turner, was filed, acknowledged by the
said Amanda Turner as her act and deed, and admit-
ted to record.

Teste: Wm McCauley, Clerk.

Benjamin Bublaker

In the name of God, Amen. I Benjamin
Bublaker of the County of Roanoke and State of
Va. being of feeble health, and conscious of the
brutality of human life, but being of sound mind
and disposing memory do make and ordain
this my last will and Testament. It is my will
to make the following disposition of my worldly
estate.

1st I direct that all my just debts due at my
decease and my funeral expense be paid by my
Executor hereinafter named, out of my estate, as
soon after my decease as convenient.

2nd It is my request that my whole estate both
personal and real shall remain as it is, and