

At Roanoke County Court, October Term 1869.

The last Will and Testament of Daniel Barnhart deceased was this day produced in Court and proved according to law by the oaths of Benjamin Keagy and David Elder subscribing witness thereto, and thereupon the said Will is ordered to be recorded, it appearing that the same has affixed thereto duly canceled United States Internal Revenue stamp of the value of Five Dollars.

A Copy from the records of Court.

Tute Hiram L. Stent Clerk.

Jacob Brunk. The last will and testament of Jacob Brunk Sr considering the uncertainty of this mortal life, and being of sound mind and memory, (besides Almighty God for the same) do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, (that is to say:) -

First, I want all my funeral expences and all my just debts paid first, then for the residue, if any left, I evlent it divided equal between my children, except those who have received the charges herein made must be deducted from their share of the Estate, which is as follows, John Brunk, To one hundred fifty Dollars. Catharine Crawford, To fifty Dollars, in money, Christopher Brunk, To one hundred Sixty Dollars, Daniel Brunk, To One Hundred, Sixty Dollars. Eva Brunk, To One Hundred, Sixty Dollars, Jacob Brunk, To One Hundred, Sixty Dollars. Ann Morgan, To One Hundred & forty Two Dollars in money (included in ten bonds, one for \$100 and four \$50) James Brunk, To One Hundred fifty Dollars.

To Two Hundred Dollars in money.

And I do hereby constitute and appoint George Brunk my sole Administrator of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Oct in the year of our Lord, One thousand Eight hundred & sixty nine, (1869)

Witness  
John John  
Adam Garman

Jacob Brunk

At Roanoke County Court January Term 1870.

The last Will and Testament of Jacob Brunk Sr deceased, was produced in Court, proved by the oaths of John John and Adam Garman subscribing witness thereto, and is ordered to be recorded.

A Copy from the records of Court.

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Hiram L. Stent Clerk.

Elias Powers.

I know all men by these Presents, that I Elias Powers make & ordain the following Instrument as my last Will & Testament. I give & bequeath to my beloved wife Henrietta L. Powers, (with the limitations hereafter specified in this Instrument) one half of all my property of every description, to be disposed of during her life, & at her death as she may direct; but in case she shall fail to have made any final disposition of it previous to her decease, as I know the following dispositions of it to be in accordance with her wishes, I direct my Executor to pay this legate to the Rev B M. Smith in trust, or a fund to aid indigent students of Union Theological Seminary in their preparation for the gospel ministry, said legate to be paid by him to the Treasurer of the Seminary to be used for the purpose above mentioned.

The other half of my property (with the limitations above excepted) I bequeath to the Rev B M. Smith as also in trust for the benefit of Union Theological Seminary of Prince Edward Co. to be expended in purchase of books for its Library, the books to be purchased for the Library, as fast as money to pay, shall be received, instead of keeping it as a fund the interest of which is only to be spent for books.

I direct my Executor to sell the land purchased by me of Col Bond, & lying adjacent to the lands of the late S. Herbert, as soon as he can find a purchaser, & if he cannot sell it at private sale within one year, (after advertising it) to sell it at public auction, for one half cash in hand & the other half to be paid in one year, secured by Bonds & good personal security, with interest from the day of sale, & title to be withheld till the whole is paid.

I direct my Executor to collect the Bonds held by me at the time, my death, & from the money derived from them, & from the sale of the above mentioned tract of land, to take five hundred dollars & put it out on interest, the interest to be paid annually, which interest my Executor will pay during his life time to Sam Gedwin for faithful service, while he belonged to me as a slave; & after his death to dispose of the five hundred dollar in accordance with directions already given for the disposal of my property. And after deducting the five hundred dollars from the money derived from my Bonds, & the sale of the above mentioned tract of land, I direct one half of the remainder to be paid to my wife, & the other half to be paid to the Rev B. M. Smith D. D. in trust for the object already designated in this Instrument.

I make the following deposition of my Library. I bequeath to my wife all the miscellaneous religious books in my Library, with the privilege of retaining during his life time any other books, she may wish to use. I bequeath to the Rev H. M. White my Colton's Atlas. I give to my Nephew Wm E. Johnson & his children all my Agricultural & literary works. I give to the minister, having charge of the Presbyterian Church at the time of my death of Big Creek, my Theological books such books as are necessary for a student in Seminary to study or for a preacher to consult in the preparation of his sermons.