

Witness
Geo. W. Leath
Jor. B. Worthington

Presented in open court and approved by
said Court Oct 2nd 1886

J. L. Long Chairman
State of Tennessee }
Anderson County, } S. M. Leath Clerk of the
County Court of the County,
and State aforesaid do hereby certify that the
last will and testament of W. H. Backworth
was proven in open court by the oaths of
Geo. W. Leath and Jor. B. Worthington the sub-
scribing witnesses and ordered to Record in
Book of Wills, Witness my hand at office
this 15th day of Oct 1886,
S. M. Leath Clerk

I Mary Larns of Anderson County and
State of Tennessee declare this to be my last
will and testament. First I devise to my
brother William Warwick the tract of land that
my father willed to me before his death
Beginning on the top of the Pine Ridge running
with the conditional line to John Pavells corner
thence East about 40 R with Pavells line to
Sarah Warwicks line, thence S. W. with Sam
Warwicks line to the top of the Pine Ridge
thence S. W. with Extreme height of said ridge
to the beginning. To have and to hold the
same to the said William Warwick his
heirs and assigns forever I hereby bind
myself and my heirs against the lawful
claims of all persons whatever. Given and
my hand and Seal. I make this my last
will and testament to my brother William
Warwick for to support me during my
natural life. Will also Read and all. I
have, This August the 27th 1886

Mary Larns
Signs in the presence of ^{mark} these witnesses
Barten Warwick
J. H. Warwick

Presented by the subscribing witnesses ^{and approved} in open
court at the Nov Term 1886,
J. L. Long Chairman

State of Tennessee }
Anderson County, } S. M. Leath Clerk of the
County Court of the County,
and State aforesaid
do hereby certify that the last will and testament
of Mary Larns was proven in open court
by the oaths of Barten Warwick and J. H.
Warwick the subscribing witnesses and ordered
to Record in Book of Wills, Witness my hand at
office this day of Oct. 1886,
S. M. Leath Clerk

I Samuel Taylor do make and publish this
as my last will and testament hereby revoking
and making void all other wills by me at
any time made. First I direct that my
funeral expenses and all of my debts be paid
as soon after my death as possible out of
any moneys that I may be possessed
of or may first come into the hands of
my Executors and should it be necessary
I authorize my Executors to sell a sufficient
-ly of my personal property to meet all
lawful demands. Secondly I give and bequest
to my wife Elizabeth S. Taylor all the lands
and money and all the personal property that I
may be possessed of after all debts are paid
for her support and maintenance during
her natural life provided she is the longest
liver to be disposed of at her will so the
lands are not sold. Thirdly at the death
of my self and my wife Elizabeth S. Taylor

I wish all of my landed Estate disposed of as follows: Permelia J. Davidson my daughter and Hm. C. Davidson her husband having bargained and sold to Dickson Vann all of her interest in said land being one fourth part land, for land joining them I hereby give unto Dickson Vann, all her claim to said landed estate provided the said Dickson Vann, make unto them good and sufficient title to the land he trades to them, I also give unto the heirs of Elizabeth S. Vann, deceased the first wife of Dickson Vann, one fourth part of the value of said land and to the heirs of Reecha E. Watson deceased wife of William A. Watson one fourth part of the value of said land and to Louisa M. Vann, the present wife of Dickson Vann, and her heirs the remaining fourth part of said landed estate. I also wish Dickson Vann, to go in possession of said land and to maintain me and my wife Elizabeth S. Taylor during our natural life with the privilege of building and improving any where that he may see proper and that no building or improvement shall be added to the value of said land in the division of the same. I also appoint Dickson Vann, my Executor and do not wish him compelled to give security.

The above named landed Estate lying and being in Roane County Tennessee in fifteenth civil District adjoining the lands of Joseph Hyatt Dr J. Haff and others this 5th of May 1866

assigned and sealed in Samuel Taylor (Seal)

the presence of
 Alfred Croft &
 Samuel Northington

Witnessed by the subscribing witnesses in open Court Nov Term 1886 J. L. Long, Chairman

State of Tennessee } S. M. Leath Clerk of the
 Anderson County } County Court of said County,
 and State aforesaid do hereby
 certify that the last Will and Testament of Samuel Taylor deceased was proven in open Court by the oath of Alfred Cross one of the subscribing witnesses to said will and proving the hand write and signature of the other subscribing witness Samuel Northington by the oaths of Alfred Cross & W. G. Hamer and said will was ordered to Record in the Book of Wills. Witness my hand at office this 1st day of November 1886.

S. M. Leath Clerk

In the Name of God. Amen.

I W. A. Hamer of Clinton Anderson County Tennessee being of sound mind and memory do make declare and publish this my last will and Testament in manner of form as follows to wit:

- 1st I direct my Executor hereafter named to first pay all of my just debts and funeral Expenses as soon after my death as practicable.
- 2^d I give and bequeath to Edna Mable Woods (a child of R. W. Woods) which I now recognize as a child of mine all of my personal property of every kind character and description together with all of my real Estate which is described as follows:
 One house & lot in the town of Clinton Anderson County Tennessee containing ten acres adjoining the Clinton Academy. D. A. Carpenters lot & two alleys known as the Turpin lot; one other house and lot in Clinton Anderson County Tennessee where I now live containing four acres purchased from J. E. Chapman M. M. Whitson and for a particular description said deeds are referred to, also the property known as the Tan Yard property in the town of Clinton Anderson County Tennessee bounded by the Jackson Road J. R. Shipes lot the street leading from Jackson road

to Defeat and the Knoxville & Ohio Railroad Company & Henry Thompson

3rd

In the event that Edna Mable Woods should die before she arrives at the age of twenty one years without issue then I direct that my Estate be divided as follows one fourth of my entire Estate both real and personal I give and bequeath to my brother W.D. Lamar and the rest residuum & remainder to be divided equally between W.B. Lamar, R.H. Woods, James S. Lamar, R.M. Lamar, Pharo Lamar Rufus Lamar, Gerilda Wallace and Alice Moore but they are to receive nothing unless the said Edna Mable Woods dies before she is twenty one years of age and without issue.

4th

I hereby nominate constitute and appoint G.J. Sawyer of Clinton Tennessee Executor of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of June 1886.

In presence of

A.H. Norcross

W.A. Miller

The foregoing Will of W.D. Lamar was signed by the testator in our presence and we witnessed the same at his request, This 16th day of June 1886.

A.H. Norcross

W.A. Miller

State of Tennessee }
Anderson County }
I S.M. Leach Clerk of the County Court of said County do hereby certify that the last Will and Testament of W.D. Lamar was proven in open Court by the oaths of A.H. Norcross and W.A. Miller the two subscribing witnesses and ordered to Record in Book of Wills Witness my hand at office in Clinton this 20th day of November 1886. S.M. Leach Clerk

The foregoing last Will and Testament of W.D. Lamar Dec^d was produced in open Court by G.J. Sawyer the Executor therein named and A.H. Norcross & W.A. Miller the subscribing witnesses thereto approved the same as required by law after being by me duly sworn, It is therefore ordered that the same be recorded in book of Wills and ~~as provided~~ by law, This 20th day of November 1886.

J.L. Kang Chairman

State of Tennessee }
Anderson County }
I S.M. Leach Clerk of the

County Court of said County do hereby certify that the last Will and Testament of W.D. Lamar was proven in open Court by the oaths of A.H. Norcross and W.A. Miller the two subscribing witnesses and ordered to Record in Book of Wills Witness my hand at office in Clinton this 20th day of Nov, 1886

S.M. Leach Clerk

In the Name of God Amen,
I Eliza P. Smith of Anderson County State of Tennessee of lawful age and being of sound mind and memory do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament,
First I direct that all of my just debts and funeral expenses be first paid by my Executors hereinafter named out of my property, I may die seized and possessed of,
Second, I give and bequeath to my daughter Florence P. Smith all of the real and personal estate I may die seized and possessed of every value and kind and I make this my Will in favor of the above named daughter first because she is without a home and maternal protector, and second because she is devoting her time and labor in taking care of me which I am not able to take care for myself, And lastly I hereby appoint

appoint my daughter Florence P. Smith Sole
Executor of this my last Will and testament
and waive her giving bond as required by
Statute, In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and seal, This 9th day of September A.D.
1886,

Eliza P. Smith Seal

In presence of
W. A. Kirkpatrick
A. A. Offutt

The foregoing last will and testament of Eliza P.
Smith dec'd, was produced in open court by A. A.
Offutt and W. A. Kirkpatrick & A. A. Offutt the subso-
ribing witnesses thereto proved the same as
required by law after being by me duly sworn
It is therefore ordered that the same be recorded
in Book of Wills, This 7th Feby 1887
W. R. Dail Chairman

State of Tennessee } J. S. M. Leach Clerk of
Anderson County } the County Court of said
County, do hereby certify
that the last Will and testament of Eliza P. Smith
deceased was proven in open court by the oaths
of W. A. Kirkpatrick and A. A. Offutt the two subscribing
witnesses to the will and the same was ordered
to record in the Book of Wills
Witness my hand at Office in Clinton this 7th
day of February 1887,
J. S. M. Leach Clerk

In the name of God amen,
I Nancy Yarnell of the County of Anderson and
State of Tennessee being of sound mind and
composing memory and considering the
uncertainty of this Mortal life, knowing that it
is appointed unto all, once to die do make
and publish this my last Will and testament
hereby revoking all others heretofore made

by me in the words and figures following:
viz: In the first place I will that all my
just debts be paid (if any) In the second place
I will to Nancy Malinda Yarnell one Masail
quilt and one German Rose coverlid, I also
will to Joseph Samuel Yarnell one patchid quilt
and one twenty five snow ball coverlid,
The remainder of all my Estate both real and
personal, I will to my sister Elizabeth Yarnell
during her life, and after death to her heirs
and in order that this Will be lawfully executed
I appoint Robert M. Yarnell my Executor to execute
this my last will and testament whereof I
have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
Seal this 27th of May 1876,
Nancy Yarnell
mark

Signed in presence of
John Black
James H. Black

The foregoing last Will and testament of Nancy
Yarnell dec'd, was proven in open court by John Black
one of the subscribing witnesses and by proving the
signature of the subscribing witness (James H. Black)
by the oaths of John Black & Jno. G. Wall as required
by law, It is therefore ordered that the same be
recorded in Book of Wills, This March 7th 1887,
W. R. Dail Chairman

State of Tennessee } J. S. M. Leach Clerk of the
Anderson County } County Court of said County,
do hereby certify that the last Will and testament
of Nancy Yarnell deceased was proven in open court
by the oath of John Black one of the subscribing witness
as to said will and proving the hand writing of
~~subscribing~~ and signature of the other subscribing
witness (James H. Black) by the oaths of John Black &
Jno. G. Wall and said Will was admitted to probate
and ordered to be record in the Book of Wills
Witness my hand at office in Clinton this 7th day of March 1887

I wish all of my lauded Estate disposed of as follows: Perithly, Permelia J. Davidson my daughter and Wm. C. Davidson her husband having bargained and sold to Dickson Vann all of her interest in said land being one fourth part land, for land joining them I hereby give unto Dickson Vann, all her claim to said lauded estate provided the said Dickson Vann, make unto them good and sufficient title to the land he trades to them, I also give unto the heirs of Elizabeth E. Vann, deceased the first wife of Dickson Vann, one fourth part of the value of said land and to the heirs of Leecha E. Watson deceased wife of William A. Watson one fourth part of the value of said land and to Louisa M. Vann, the present wife of Dickson Vann, and her heirs the remaining fourth part of said lauded estate, I also wish Dickson Vann, to go in possession of said land and to maintain me and my wife Elizabeth E. Taylor during our natural life with the privilege of building and improving any where that he may see proper and that no building or improvement shall be added to the value of said land in the division of the same. I also appoint Dickson Vann, my Executor and do not wish him compelled to give security.

The above named lauded estate lying and being in Roan County, Tennessee in fifteenth civil District adjoining the lands of Joseph Hyatt Dr J. Waff and others this 5th of May 1866

assigned and sealed in

the presence of
 Alfred Long &
 Samuel Worthington

Samuel Taylor (Seal)

Witnessed by the subscribing witness in open court Nov Decm 1886 ~~Wm. C. Davidson~~ J. L. Long, Chairman

State of Tennessee } S. M. Leath clerk of the
 Anderson County } County Court of said County,
 and State aforesaid do hereby
 certify that the last Will and Testament of Samuel Taylor dec'd was proven in open court by the oath of Alfred Cross one of the subscribing witnesses to said will and proving the hand write and signature of the other subscribing witness Samuel Worthington by the oath of Alfred Cross & W. C. Garner and said will was ordered to Record in the Book of Wills
 Witness my hand at office this 1st day of November 1886.

S. M. Leath clerk

In the Name of God. Amen.

I W. D. Lamar of Clinton Anderson County Tennessee being of sound mind and memory do make declare and publish this my last will and testament in manner of form as follows to wit:

- 1st I direct my Executor hereafter named to first pay all of my just debt and funeral expenses as soon after my death as practicable.
- 2^d I give and bequeath to Edma Mable Woods (a child of L. W. Woods) which I now recognize as a child of mine all of my personal property of every kind character and description together with all of my real estate which is described as follows:
 One house & lot in the town of Clinton Anderson County Tennessee containing ten acres adjoining the Clinton Academy, J. H. Carpenters lot & two alleys known as the Turpin lot; one other house and lot in Clinton Anderson County Tennessee where I now live containing four acres purchased from J. E. Chapman W. M. Whitson and for a particular description said deeds are referred to, also the property known as the Tan Yard property in the town of Clinton Anderson County Tennessee bounded by the Jackson Road, J. R. Shipes lot the Street leading from Jackson road

to Depot and the Knoxville & Ohio Railroad Company & Henry Thompson

3rd

In the event that Edna Mable Woods should die before she arrives at the age of twenty, one year without issue then I direct that my Estate be divided as follows one fourth of my entire Estate both real and personal I give and bequeath to my brother W.M. Lamar and the rest residuum & remainder to be divided equally between W.B. Lamar, R.W. Woods, James S. Lamar, R.M. Lamar, Pharo Lamar Rufus Lamar, Gerilda Wallace and Alice Moore but they are to receive nothing unless the said Edna Mable Woods dies before she is twenty, one year of age and without issue,

4th

I hereby nominate constitute and appoint E.J. Sawyer of Clinton Tennessee Executor of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made,

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of June 1886,

In presence of
A.W. Norcross }
W.A. Miller }
W.D. Lamar (Seal)

The foregoing will of W.D. Lamar was signed by the testator in our presence and we witnessed the same at his request,
This 16th day of June 1886.

A.W. Norcross.

W.A. Miller

State of Tennessee }
Anderson County, }
I S.M. Leach Clerk of
said County, do hereby
certify that the last Will and Testament of
W.D. Lamar was proven in open court by the oaths
of A.W. Norcross and W.A. Miller the two subscribing
witnesses and ordered to be recorded in Book of Wills
Witness my hand at office in Clinton this 20th day of
November 1886. S.M. Leach Clerk

The foregoing last will and Testament of
W.D. Lamar Sec^d was produced in open
court by E.J. Sawyer the Executor therein
named and A.W. Norcross & W.A. Miller the
subscribing witnesses thereto approved the
same as required by law after being by me
duly sworn, It is therefore ordered that the
same be recorded in book of Wills as provided
by law, This 20th day of November 1886.

J.L. Lang Chairman

State of Tennessee }
Anderson County, }
I S.M. Leach Clerk of the
County, Court of said
County do hereby certify that the last will
and Testament of W.D. Lamar was proven
in open court by the oaths of A.W. Norcross
and W.A. Miller the two subscribing witnesses
and ordered to be recorded in Book of Wills
Witness my hand at office in Clinton this 20th
day of Nov, 1886
S.M. Leach Clerk

In the name of God Amen,
I Eliza P. Smith of Anderson County, State of
Tennessee of lawful age and being of sound mind
and memory do make publish and declare this
my last Will and Testament,
First I direct that all of my just debts and funeral
expenses be first paid by my Executors hereinafter
named out of my property, I may die seized and
possessed of,
Second, I give and bequeath to my daughter Florence
P. Smith all of the real and personal estate I may
die seized and possessed of every value and kind
and I make this my Will in favor of the above
named daughter first because she is without a
home and maternal protector, and second because
she is devoting her time and labor in taking
care of me when I am not able to take care
for myself, And lastly, I hereby appoint

appoint my daughter Florence P. Smith Sole
Executor of this my last Will and Testament
and make her giving bond as required by
Statute, In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and seal, This 9th day of September A.D.
1886,

Eliza P. Smith Seal

In presence of
W. A. Kirkpatrick
N. A. Offutt

The foregoing last will and testament of Eliza P.
Smith dec'd, was produced in open court by N. A.
Offutt and W. A. Kirkpatrick N. A. Offutt the Subscr-
ibing witnesses thereto proved the same as
required by law after being by me duly sworn.
It is therefore ordered that the same be recorded
in Book of Wills, This 7th Feby 1887
W. R. Dail Chairman

State of Tennessee } J. S. M. Black Clerk of
Anderson County } the County Court of said

County, do hereby certify
that the last Will and Testament of Eliza P. Smith
deceased was proven in open court by the oaths
of W. A. Kirkpatrick and N. A. Offutt the two subscribing
witnesses to the will and the same was ordered
to record in the Book of Wills
Witness my hand at Office in Clinton this 7th
day of February 1887,
J. S. M. Black Clerk

In the name of God Amen,
I Nancy Yarnell of the County of Anderson and
State of Tennessee being of sound mind and
composing memory and considering the
uncertainty of this Mortal life, knowing that it
is appointed unto all, once to die do make
and publish this my last Will and Testament
hereby revoking all others heretofore made

by me in the words and figures following:
viz: In the first place I will that all my
just debt be paid (if any) In the second place
I will to Nancy Malinda Yarnell one massail
quilt and one German Rose coverlid, I also
will to Joseph Samuel Yarnell one patchwork quilt
and one twenty five Snow Ball coverlid,
The remainder of all my Estate both real and
personal, I will to my sister Elizabeth Yarnell
during her life, and after death to her heirs
and in order that this Will be lawfully executed
I appoint Robert M. Yarnell my Executor to execute
this my last will and testament whereof I
have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
Seal this 27th of May 1876,
Nancy Yarnell
mark

Signed in presence of
John Black
James H. Black

The foregoing last Will and testament of Nancy
Yarnell dec'd, was proven in open court by John Black,
one of the subscribing witnesses and by proving the
signature of the subscribing witness (James H. Black)
by the oaths of John Black & J. H. Wall as required
by law, It is therefore ordered that the same be
recorded in Book of Wills, This March 7th 1887,
W. R. Dail Chairman

State of Tennessee } J. S. M. Black Clerk of the
Anderson County } County Court of said County,

do hereby certify that the last Will and testament
of Nancy Yarnell deceased was proven in open court
by the oath of John Black one of the subscribing witness
as to said will and proving the hand writing of
~~subscribers~~ and signature of the other subscribing
witness (James H. Black) by the oaths of John Black &
J. H. Wall and said Will was admitted to probate
and ordered to Record in the Book of Wills
Witness my hand at office in Clinton this 7th day of March 1887

S. M. Leath Clerk

Mindful of the uncertainty of life and being now in the full possession of all the faculties of mind and memory I William Pemberton of the County of Anderson and State of Tennessee do hereby make public and declare this my last will and testament in the manner and form following that is to say,

- 1st I hereby expressly revoke and cancel any and all other wills heretofore made by me,
- 2nd I hereby nominate and constitute and appoint W. W. Medaris my Executor under this my last will and testament,
- 3rd I hereby direct the said W. W. Medaris my Executor as soon after my death as possible to collect all the notes and accounts I have out,
- 4th I hereby will and bequeath to Alice Pemberton daughter of Daniel Pemberton the sum of three hundred dollars to be paid to her mother Martha Pemberton and direct the said Martha Pemberton to use it in the education of the said Alice Pemberton or in any other way that she may see fit,
- 5th I hereby will and bequeath to Bertie Pemberton the sum of three hundred dollars to be paid to her mother Martha Pemberton and direct the said Martha Pemberton to use it in the education, or in any other way that may see fit,
- 6th I hereby will and bequeath to Ann Martin wife of Rufus Martin the sum of fifty dollars,
- 7th I hereby will and bequeath to Sherman Pemberton son of Daniel Pemberton one yoke of Oxen, one two horse wagon all my farming tools and gears and all my corn fodder and oats,
- 8th I hereby will and bequeath to Charles Pemberton son of Daniel Pemberton

- my watch and chain,
- 9th I hereby will and bequeath to M. Cagy Portwood the sum of ~~ten~~ ^{ten} dollars, provided he puts a stone wall 2 ft high around my grave and neatly cover it in,
 - 10th I hereby direct that 1st out of the remainder of my Estate my doctor bill and funeral expenses be paid,
 - 11th I hereby direct and authorize the said W. W. Medaris my Executor to liberally compensate himself for his services out of the remainder of my Estate,
 - 12th I hereby will and bequeath the remainder of my Estate to Martha Pemberton wife of Daniel Pemberton,
- In witness whereof I the said William Pemberton the above testator have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 16th of February in the year 1887,
- William Pemberton (Seal)
Wm. R.

The foregoing being the last will and testament of William Pemberton the testator herein named was on the 16th day of February in the year 1887 subscribed at the end thereof and duly signed by the said William Pemberton in our presence and in the presence of each of us and at the time of subscribing the said instrument the said testator declared the same to be his last will and testament in our presence and hearing and in presence of each of us and we have signed and do hereby sign our names as witnesses to the said last will and testament at the request of the said testator and in the presence of each other.

L. W. Henson
J. M. Pemberton

The foregoing last will and testament of William Pemberton Decd. was produced in

open court by W. N. Medaris the Executor therein named and E. N. Henson of M. Pemberton the subscribing witness thereto approved the same as required by law after being by me sworn. It is therefore ordered that the same be recorded in the book of Wills as provided by law. This 7th day of March 1887
M. P. Sall Chairman

State of Tennessee } I S. M. Leath Clerk
Anderson County, } of the County Court
of said County do hereby
Certify that the last Will and Testament of William Pemberton deceased was proven in open court by the oaths of E. N. Henson and J. M. Pemberton the two subscribing witnesses to the Will and the same was ordered to record in the Book of Wills.
Witness my hand at office in Clinton this 7th day of March, 1887.
S. M. Leath Clerk

Know all who by this ~~business~~ concerned that I Jacob Leinart of the County of Anderson and State of Tennessee being of sound mind and good memory and discretion do hereby declare this to be my last Will and Testament hereby by it revoking all former wills by me at any other time made or talked of And: First; I fully commit myself into the care and keeping of Almighty God, and unto his tender mercies: And Second, I desire that my Executor as soon after my death as is possible pay all of my burial expenses (which burial I desire done in decent manner) out of any monies or effects which I may die seized or possessed using for this purpose, first any monies

on hand or collectable from any notes or accounts which I may then (at my death) own, Third I desire that my Executor as soon after my death as is proper pay out of any monies or effects of which I may die possessed, all of my just debts and liabilities of whatsoever nature using monies on hand or notes or accounts due me which may be then collectable: And:

Fourth: That I desire my Executor out of any further personalty of which I may die seized and possess pay to each of my children or their children the sum of one dollar each child taking one dollar and the children of each child together taking the sum of one dollar the children together getting together the same as they would have received had he or she lived: And

Fifth: I desire that my wife now living for herself and her children by me (in consideration of her tender care for me and what I feel to be my duty towards her to have all of my ~~possessions~~ utensils of whatever nature including all wagons plows rakes or machines: Also all of my ~~hatchets~~ and kitchen furniture of whatever nature or description including all bedding bedstead tables, chairs bureaus or machines of whatever nature, and also including what I owned when I married her; what she then owned and also what she has since made, and

Sixth: I desire that my little daughter L. L. Leinart have one certain cow "called Beauty" and her passy and future increase: And, Seventh, I desire my son John L. Leinart to have the certain yoke of young cattle now being broken and used by Shindlers with the thrasher - and

Eight: Of all my other personalty I make no disposition except always I desire my

said wife to have of the same the full benefit the same as she would have had by law, had I died intestate or without will, it being my intention to secure this for her and especially to not deprive her of anything the Statute allow her, either as Exemptions in her favor years support or otherwise and this clause must not be construed, so as to take from her anything by the Statute provided;

And of all my realty, I desire that my said wife for the benefit of herself and her children by me have the full control use and benefit until the youngest of said Children shall arrive at the age of sixteen years and should she die before this time then this benefit use and control shall come to the benefit of said Children or of such of them as may then be living, but this said benefit use and control will be governed by the rights and privileges as are allowed widows and children in Married Women's Acts, And.

At such time as the youngest of said Children then living shall arrive at the age of sixteen years I desire all of my realty to be divided the same as if I had died intestate or without will my said wife for herself and her said Children by me taking thereof the same as if I had made no provisions for any of my said Children who may then be minors, And Lastly, I do now nominate and appoint J. A. Prosser to be my Executor of this my last will and Testament and I desire him to see the provisions of the same executed,

Jacob Reinart (Seal)

Witness

N. J. Leonard
W. P. Burkaby

Signed sealed and published by the above

name Jacob Reinart as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who have hereto subscribed our names and at his special request and instance as well as in the presence of each of us (each other) and the said Executor

N. J. Leonard (Seal)

W. P. Burkaby (Seal)

The foregoing last will and Testament of Jacob Reinart deceased, was produced in open court by J. A. Prosser, the Executor therein named and N. J. Leonard and W. P. Burkaby the subscribing Witnesses thereto proved the same as required by law after being by me sworn, It is therefore ordered that the same be recorded in the book of Wills as provided by law,
This 16th day of April 1887,

W. A. Dail Chairman

In the name of God Amen,
I, Stakely, Dagley, a Citizen of Anderson County, State of Tennessee weak in body, but sound in mind do make and declare this instrument signed with my proper name to be my last will and Testament revoking all others respects debts, 1st I want all of my just debts paid, 2nd And my burial expenses, Third I give and bequeath to John R. Cox and his wife Emily and their heirs forever all that I possess at my death, one hundred acres of land more or less lying and being in the third district of Anderson County, Tennessee, bounded as follows: North Miller East N. S. Moore South N. S. Moore West James Carden which is the old farm where I now live, also one mare and colt, also all my household and kitchen furniture also one wagon and gears and all farming instrument for the consideration of the above John R. Cox and Emily Cox and their heirs and ourselves to build this

a house and maintain and keep him and our house as long as he lives from this date March the 10th day 1880, I do hereby nominate and appoint John R. Cox my Executor in witness whereof I do this my last will set my hand and seal this the 10th day of March 1880.

Stakely ^{his} Dagley
mark

Signed sealed and published in our presence and we have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of testator. This the day of — 1880.

Attest
A. S. Moore
Calvin Wallace

The foregoing last Will and Testament of Stakely Dagley deceased was produced in open court by John R. Cox the Executor therein named and A. S. Moore and Calvin Wallace the subscribing witnesses thereto proved the same as required by law after being by me sworn. It is therefore ordered that the same be recorded in the book of Wills as provided by law. This may 2nd 1887.

W. R. Dail Chairman

I Isaac M. Dineen make my last will and Testament as follows:

I Will to my son M. D. Dineen the farm known as the Samuel Seiber farm for which I have Executed to him a deed, I will to my son John C. Dineen the farm known as the John Ross and Levi Seiber farm for which I have Executed to him a deed, and to my daughter Jennifer Seiber a portion of the farm which she now lives on lying above a cross fence near the upper end of the meadow running straight with the cross fence to the out line on the Big Ridge, and I will to my

daughter Prude Dineen the farm she now lives on and the remainder of the farm that my daughter Jennifer Seiber lives on South of the cross fence near the upper end of the meadow and a straight line running through to the back line over the Big ridge and I will to my daughter Rany J. Dineen the farm she now lives on known as the Grace N. Dineen farm all except that what is known as the Ridge field and I will and bequeath to my wife Annie Dineen the farm we now live on known as the Phillip Seiber farm during her mortal life and all the personal property goods and Chattel money notes, due bills, accounts judgments and all the property debts and effects belonging to me for the purpose of schooling of my children daughter Betty Dineen and Sarah Dineen and Liza Dineen and Andrew Dineen and all of whom are minors, and I appoint my eldest son M. D. Dineen to take into his possession all of the above described property and manage and control the same for the use and benefit of my wife Annie Dineen and the above named minor children ^{during the mortal life of said wife} and at the death of my wife Annie Dineen, I will to my son Andrew Dineen the home place known as the Phillip Seiber farm,

and I will to daughters Sarah and Eliza Dineen the farm known as the Mass Dineen farm to be equally divided between them and I will to my daughter Elizabeth Dineen the farm known as the Adeline Davis farm and a field known as "Ridge Field" and a certain field known as the Mill field and a small portion of the five acre,

and if there is any personal property debts money, notes, due bills, acct. judgments and other property belonging to my wife Annie Dineen at her death it is still to remain under the control of M. D. Dineen

until the minor Children is twenty one years of age, it shall be divided equally among all my heirs.

My Witness I have here set my hand and seal this 22nd day of June 1887

Isaac M. Duneau

Witness

S. D. Duneau
M. M. Duneau

John C. Duneau

R. J. Duneau

S. J. Serber

Matilda Disney

The foregoing last Will and Testament of Isaac M. Duneau decd, was produced in open court by M. D. Duneau the Executor therein named, and S. D. Duneau and M. M. Duneau the subscribing witnesses thereto proved the same as required by law after being by me sworn. It is therefore ordered that the same be recorded in the Book of Wills as provided by law, This July 4th 1887.

W. R. Dail Chairman

I Mary Kirby do make and publish this as my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all others by me at any time made. Firstly I direct that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any money that I may first come into the hands of my Executor. Secondly I give and bequeath to J. B. Kirby Sarah Pafflor and Mary Purpiss one dollar each. Thirdly I give and bequeath to Anna Kirby J. B. Kirby Matilda Thaler and S. E. Thaler the remainder of my personal property to be divided between them equally. Fourthly I nominate and appoint Thos. A. Johnson my Executor

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this the 26th day of July 1887.

Mary Kirby (Seal)
mark

Witness

Geo. W. Keith

John S. Halloway

The foregoing last Will and Testament of Mary Kirby decd, was produced in open court by J. W. Davidson the administrator with the Will annexed and Geo. W. Keith and John S. Halloway the subscribing witnesses thereto proved the same as required by law after being by me sworn. It is therefore ordered that the same be recorded in the Book of Wills as provided by law, August 1st 1887.

W. R. Dail Chairman

I, Elizabeth Black a citizen of Anderson County and State of Tennessee, while in health and in the enjoyment of my mental faculties, and after fully considering the uncertainty of life and owing to my advanced age, and being desirous of disposing of all my property both real and personal as it hath pleased God to bless me with I therefore make and publish this my last will and Testament it being the only will made at any time by me. I therefore give and bequeath the same as follows I wish all my just debts paid and funeral expenses out of the first monies that comes into the hands of my Executor. 2nd I wish my land sold to the highest bidder after giving legal notice on a credit of one and two years except the sum of ten per cent paid down. 3rd I wish the proceeds of sales of land and my personal

property divided among my relatives as follows
to my sister Elly McMurtry one hundred dollars
to her two daughters (to wit) Jane McCall and
Sarah McMurtry each one hundred dollars,
I give and bequeath to Nancy J. Bogle widow of
my brother John Bogle two hundred dollars, and to
her daughter Jane Dillard formerly Jane Bogle
two hundred dollars, and to Joseph Bogle a son
of my brother John Bogle two hundred dollars

I give and bequeath to the three children of my
sister Polly Cummings (to wit) Ellen Cummings
Jane Cummings and Philander Cummings each
two hundred dollars

I give and bequeath to the daughter of my brother
Joseph Bogle (to wit) Ellen Bogle four hundred
dollars

I give and bequeath to S. B. Thompson son of
Jane Bogle two hundred dollars

I give and bequeath to Catharine Worthington
formerly Catharine Black one hundred dollars divided
equal between her and her children

I give and bequeath to Mary S. Bogle formerly
Mary S. Black and her children ninety dollars

I give to the children John Watlington one
hundred dollars, to be applied to their education

I, by my executor give and bequeath the remain-
der of my estate after paying all necessary ex-
penses and charges to be equally divided between
the children of ^{James and the children of} Elizabeth Cox and I hereby ap-
point William Cross my executor of this my
last will and Testament this 8th day of May
1884 Signed and acknowledged in our presence

Elizabeth Black

Witness Dolph Lowe

Witness J. B. Hall

The foregoing last will and Testament of Elizabeth
Black deed, was produced in open court by Wm
Cross the Executor therein named and Dolph Lowe
and J. B. Hall the subscribing witnesses thereto

proved the same as required by law after being
by me sworn, It is therefore considered by the court
that the same be recorded in the book of wills
as provided by law, This June 4th 1885,
J. S. Kincaid

Chairman

I Malinda Brown do make and publish
as my last will and Testament hereby revoking
and making void all other wills by me at
any time made; first, I direct that my
funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as
soon after my death as possible out of any
money that I may die possessed of or may
first come into the hands of my Executor.
Secondly I give and bequeath to first to
Albert M. Brown my tract of land bounded
as follows: Beginning on a sweet gum corner
a South East corner to R. Moors corner, then
a North course with Moors line to a rock
on the valley road, then with Moors line
to J. A. Brooks line; then with J. A. Brooks
line to Albert Brooks, then with Albert
Brooks line to the beginning,
Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint
J. A. Brown my Executor,
In witness whereof I do this my last will set
my hand and seal this 27th day of April
1885

Malinda ^{her} Brown (seal)
mark

Signed sealed and published in our
presence and we have subscribed
our names hereto in the presence of
the Testator this 27th day of April 1885
Witness

M. M. Foster

J. H. Davis

The foregoing last will and Testament
of Malinda Brown deceased was produced

in open court by J. A. Brown the Executor herein named, and M. N. Foster one of the subscribing witnesses proved the said by proving the handwriting of the other subscribing witness J. N. Davis who is now dead by the J. A. Brown & J. A. Hicks as is required by law. It is therefore considered by the Court that the same be recorded in the book of Miles.

This Aug, 6th 1888

J. S. Kincaid
Chairman

I William Raines of Anderson County State of Tennessee declare this my last will and testament. I give and devise to my beloved wife Nancy Raines all of my plantation on which we now reside situated in the County and State aforesaid and containing 75 acres ~~thereabout~~ or thereabouts during her natural life. And all the live stock horses, cattle, sheep, swine &c by me now owned and kept thereon, also all the household furniture and other items not particularly named and otherwise disposed of in this my will during her said life. And that at the death of my said wife all the property hereby devised or bequeathed to her as aforesaid or so much thereof as may then remain unpended, I give unto my six daughters and my second son - my first son having been given his part of land by deed.

I give and devise to my second son James Rains at the death of my said wife Nancy Rains all of what is known by us as the Great tract of land lying North of the Public road, beginning

at a stake in the Poor House farm at the roadside near John Rains's house, runs with said Poor House line to the Henderson Co. line now owned by Mr. Morron, thence with the said Henderson Co. line to the North west corner of my said farm adjoining J. J. Henderson, thence in a South west corner with said Henderson line to the public road, thence with said road to the beginning supposed to contain 40 acres, also one acre laid off so as to include my stables and stable lot, and to his heirs and assigns forever, provided however that in case the said James Rains becomes an invalid or otherwise unable to make his living, then all that I hereby devise and bequeath to him shall go to the one that takes care of him during his natural life.

I give and bequeath to my said son James Rains one horse, one yoke of cattle, one wagon and one cow, and each and an equal share of all swine, sheep &c that may be on hand at the death of my said wife Nancy Rains.

That residue of the land formed by me at the death of my wife, I give and devise to my six daughters equally divided between them, Mattie's share however to be laid off so as to include the Mrs. Hickson house. I give and bequeath to my two daughters Martha and Mattie a cow and each.

And it is my intention to hereby give and devise to all my heirs including my first son an equal interest in the water or the benefits that may at any time be derived from my Springs. And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint

Said wife Nancy Rains my Executrix
and R. H. Baker my Executor of this
my last will and Testament, revoking
and annulling all former wills by me
made and ratifying and confirming
this and no other my last will and
testament, In witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand this twentieth
day of July 1888.

Wm. Rains
mark

Signed published and declared by the
above named Wm. Rains as his last
will and Testament in presence of us
who at his request have signed as
witnesses to the same.

W. E. Baker
Adier Large

The foregoing last will and Testament
of William Rains deceased was produced
in open court by Nancy Rains the
Executrix therein named, and W. E.
Baker and Adier Large the subscribing
witnesses proved the same after
being sworn according to law.

It is therefore considered by the
Court that the same be recorded
in the book of Wills.

This Sept 10th 1888.

J. E. Kincaid
Chairman

I J. E. Cross being of sound mind and
memory do make and publish this my
last will and testament revoking all other
wills made by me at any time.
First: I will that my funeral expenses
be paid out of any money that I may
die seized of or may come into the hands
of my Executrix, together with all of my
just debts: Secondly I give to my wife
all of my lands during her natural life
and at her death to be equally divided
between my three youngest children viz:
Margaret Cross, Florence Louisa Cross and
William C. Cross. Thirdly I give Mary
Catharine Cross two dollars and a half,
J. N. Cross two dollars and a half, Sarah
Malinda Cross two dollars and a half
and Joseph E. Cross two dollars and a
half. Fourthly I give to my wife all
money notes or accounts that I may
die seized or possessed of for the use
of herself and children. Fifthly I
appoint my wife Nancy Ann Cross my
Executrix without bond, this the 13th day
of October 1888.

John E. Cross

Witness
W. Garner
M. D. Giles

The foregoing last will and Testament of
John E. Cross deed, was produced in
open court by Nancy A. Cross the
Executrix therein named and W. Garner
& M. D. Giles the subscribing witnesses
therein proved the same as required by
law after being sworn. It is
therefore considered by the Court that
the same be recorded in the book
of Wills as provided by law, this Dec 3, 1888.

J. E. Kincaid Chairman

I Joseph Richards of Poplar Creek Anderson
County State of Tennessee, do make, publish
and declare this to be my last will and testament
hereby revoking all former wills by me made:-

First I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Ann
Richards absolutely all my household goods
and furniture of every description, also my live
stock - horses, cows, hogs and sheep and all
my farming implements, my buggy with
the harnesses on hand,

Second I give and bequeath to my wife for and
during her natural life the following real
Estate: My dwelling house where we now live
with ten (10) acres of land around it, the
line to be run with the road leading to
Knoxville and to include the barn and out
houses and the building now used as the
store house. My intention is for my wife
to have the exclusive use and benefit of the
same for life,

Third I order and direct that my Executors and
either heirs and royalties, arising from my
Estate to pay over each year to my wife an
amount or amounts at all times to be
sufficient to keep her and the family in
comfortable circumstances, and that will allow
her to live in the same style and manner
as we now do,

Fourth After the death of my wife should any of my
children remain single, the property including the
dwelling house and other buildings with the
furniture in them, shall remain as a home
for them, but on their marriage or on the death
of my wife the said premises shall go equally to
all my children or heirs, and be held as my other
lands are,

Fifth I give, bequeath, and devise all the rest and
residue of my Estate and property real, personal
and mixed, of which I shall die seized, possessed
or entitled (including on the death of my wife

or if she should not be living the real Estate bequea-
thed to her for life, and the personal property
set apart for her benefit) to my children to
be divided between them share and share
alike, after paying the devises or legacies and
any debts I may owe, as hereinafter provided,

Sixth I desire and direct that my Executors without
delay pay off and satisfy any and just
claims or debts I may owe, and for this purpose
I authorize them to sell at either public
or private sale, for cash or on limited
time not to exceed two years, what is
known as my "Mountain farm" the Cedar
farm "and lease" Straw Berry Plains farm"
or so much of these as may be necessary
for the purposes of paying my debts and the
legacies hereinafter bequeathed, and should
these not be sufficient to satisfy the same
then I authorize them, to sell any share of
Stock that I may have on hand at my death

Seventh I give bequeath and devise to my son
Joseph Richards my gold watch with my
name in it and after the death of my wife
he is to have my gold and silver cups and
my gold-headed cane,

Eighth I give bequeath and devise to Sarah
Lewis Richards my adopted daughter the
sum of three thousand (\$3000.) Dollars to be
paid her in real Estate or money as she may
elect, to be paid within one year after she
arrives at her majority, but she is to be
supported as one of my family so long
as she shall remain at my house or with
my wife. This to be in full satisfaction
of any claim on her part on my Estate on
as one of my heirs,

Ninth I give bequeath and devise to my
niece Ann Jane Thomas the sum of
five hundred (\$500.) Dollars to be paid
out of my Estate by my Executors

Tenth

two years after my death without interest I give bequest and devise to my three (3) grandchildren to wit: Joseph Prier son of my daughter Ann, and Ann and Mary Richards daughters of my son John Richards each the sum of Five hundred (\$500.) dollars, to be paid them when they respectively arrive at the age of twenty one without interest, there being my only grandchildren at this time.

Eleventh

For Spring and twenty (20) acres of grounds surrounding the same, including in the grounds the "Richards house". I intend to put in a joint stock company but should I fail to do so, then I desire and direct my Executors to incorporate the same into a joint stock company and to divide the stock equally amongst the children, or if my Executors think it best, and to the interest of all they may keep the Springs just as they now are, and part of the other real estate.

Twelfth

I direct and order as it is my wish, that all of my debts not necessary to pay debts be kept together until the death of my wife and my youngest child arrives at majority, and as this consist largely of coal lands which I intend to lease for a term of years to persons to mine the coal at a royalty per bushel, but should I fail to lease all of my coal land, then I authorize my Executors to make such leases and for such term or terms of years as they may elect, at such royalties per bushel as is customary at the Gap, and the royalties arising therefrom after defraying the taxes and expenses shall be equally divided ~~between~~ all of the children. And I further desire if it be possible

that my children do not sell any of said lands, but retain them as the royalties ought to bring in a good sum of money each year.

But if any of the children shall be so circumstanced as to be compelled to sell their portion, then I desire the other children to purchase such share or shares so that it may be in the family and transmitted to future children of the family. And during the life of my wife no property shall be sold without her consent not necessary to pay debts.

Thirteenth

I desire that Benjamin Thomas my wife's brother shall be taken into my family as one of them and be supported, providing he will come and live with them and be a sober man and at his death receive a decent and respectable burial at my expense.

Fourteenth

And finally, all the rest and residue and remainder of all my estate and effects real and personal whatsoever and whosoever situated, not hereinbefore otherwise effectually disposed of (after payment of my debts, legacies and funeral expenses and other charges and directions) I do give devise and bequest to my children share and share alike, "wherever in this will I use the word 'children' I mean children begotten of my wife and I."

Fifteenth

I nominate, constitute and appoint my wife Ann Richards, my sons, William D. John and David C. Richards and my son in law Thomas R. Prier my Executors, and when my son Joseph Richards arrives at majority he shall also be one of the Executors of this my last will and testament, and should either of them die, or fail to qualify, then in that event the others shall have power

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power to act, And having full confidence
in the uprightness and integrity of my
Executors, I hereby Excuse them from
giving the usual bond, to the faithful
discharge of their duties, or of making
any settlements or settlements with
the County Court clerk as required by
~~law~~ statute in such cases: But during the
life time of my wife nothing shall be done
without her concurrence,

And my solemn wish and prayer is for
my wife and children to be and live harmonious
to be united and go through the world happy
and do right and above all to keep out of
litigation,

In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and seal this 18th day of July
1883

Joseph Richards
Signed Sealed and ~~deposited~~
and declared by the Testator

Joseph Richards as and for his last will
and testament in our presence who at
his request and in his presence and
in the presence of each other have hereunto
subscribed our names as witnesses

A. S. Prosser

Lewis Nelson

Knobville, Tennessee

The foregoing last will and testament of
Joseph Richards deceased was produced
in open court by John Wm. D. Richards
two of the Executors therein named for probate,
And A. S. Prosser one of the Subscribing
witnesses proved the same after being
sworn according to law.

It is therefore considered by the court
that the same be admitted to probate and recorded
in the book of wills, This January 8th 1889

J. B. Carlen Chairman