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Berry
George

1829 - Jan. 3.

In the name of God, Amen I George Berry of the State of Tennessee Blount County, calling to mind that all men have to die, and being in a feeble state of health, though in perfect mind and memory as on this third day of January One Thousand eight hundred and twenty nine make and ordain this my last will and desire as follows viz

1st It is my request that all my just debts shall be paid of by my executors out of their part of my property that my wife and family can best spare and of such articles as they may think proper to dispose of.

2^d It is my wish and desire for my beloved wife Elizabeth Berry to have all my household and kitchen furniture to use and dispose of in that way and manner that she may think proper and give her one milk cow and calf just which she may think proper to take one horse more known by the name of Mage.

3^d It is my wish and desire for my wife and family to live together as long as she lives and they all are so inclined to stay with her and keep all of my property together for the use of the family and at her death for the property left to her for that purpose to be subject to the distribution among my children and Grand children (only such articles as I shall give to my children hereafter which I shall not include as the common stock on my farm) I wish it to be subject to share shares.

4th That part of my stock of horses owned by my daughter Katty Berry I disown and acknowledge them to be her property viz. One Stead mare known by the name of Still, One Pegasus known by the name of Blue, and one half of the Chestnut Colt known by the name of Doctor, Also that part of my stock of cows owned by my daughter Peggy Berry I disown viz.

One Stead one year old, one Cow and two Calves and I hereby acknowledge them to be the property of the aforesaid Peggy Berry. 5th It is my desire that at my wife's death that one share of my property shall be equally divided between my two Grand children known by the name as follows viz. one half to go to George B. Berry and the other half to James Cummings.

6th It is also my wish that at my wife's death, for one share to be divided as follows viz. I wish my Grand Son George B. Thomson to have my half of one of said shares and my two Grand daughters Elizabeth and Sarah Cummings to have the other half of said share.

7th It is my request for my executors to furnish my daughters Abby Berry with one side Saddle worth seventy five dollars out of the common stock of my property, I also give her out of my stock of cattle one blooded calf.

8th I also desire for my daughters to be furnished with one Cow and calf (if any calves) whose names be here asserted viz.

Katty Berry, Sally Berry, Peggy Berry and Ann Berry.

9th It is also my wish and desire for my son James Berry to have the other half of the belt owned by Katty Berry.

10th It is my wish and desire at the death of my wife Elizabeth Berry for each one of my children to have a share of the common stock left on hand whereas my wishes will follow viz

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Katty Berry Sally Berry James Cummings Thomas Berry
Peggy Berry Ann Berry Dorky Smith and Abby Berry
11th I do hereby appoint my true and trusty friend John Gorman and Andy Cowie my executors to this my last will and testament given from under my hand and seal day and date first above mentioned. Signed sealed and delivered in presence of
J. Gorman
Wm Henderson
George Berry (Self)

Braunum
David P.

I all whom these presents shall come greeting know ye that I David P. Braunum of the County of Blount and State of Tennessee being of sound mind though suffering by affliction from which I soon expect to go hence and be no more, do by these presents make seal and sign this my last will and testament hereafter disavowing all others.

1st I will and bequeath to my wife Sarah Braunum my tract of land which I hold by deed of George and John Robinson in the said County and State of Tennessee situated on the waters of Sinking Creek to her the said Sarah Braunum with all my personal property of every description except so much as is necessary to pay my just debts and funeral expenses of which it is my will and desire shall be paid out of any moneys or debts if any left at my death if none remain I desire that so much of my personal property as is necessary to pay the above debt and funeral expenses be sold and applied for that purpose all the other property of every description except such as is possessed by my sons shall belong to the said Sarah Braunum to her use during her natural life and at her death the land above described with all the personal property heretofore willed to my wife Sarah Braunum with all the income and profits arising therefrom shall belong to my two sons John and William Braunum provided the said John and William shall remain with the said Sarah Braunum during her natural life to assist her in her infirmities in old age cultivating the above named tract of land for their several supports improving the tract viz. of which I strictly require on them the said John and William Braunum to do as above named and if they the aforesaid John and William Braunum should thus fail both or either of them to comply with this my last will and testament or neglect the duties assigned them then in that case it is my will and desire that my land and personal property at the death of my wife Sarah Braunum be divided equally between my lawful heirs as the laws of the State of Tennessee require but should one of the said either John or William Braunum hereafter assume the responsibility required in truth with the consent of the other then I will that the one assuming these responsibilities shall inherit the above named land and property that may remain at the death of my wife Sarah Braunum in full of which I affix my hand and seal this 25th of November one Thousand Eight hundred

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