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Carver  
Thomas

Set of Summers Blount County February the 9<sup>th</sup>  
of Thomas Carver for being of a sound and perfect mind and  
memory de make and publish this my last will and testament to man-  
ny and forf following. I give to my daughter Elizabeth Colter five  
Shillings. I give to my son older five Shillings. I give to my  
daughter Mary five shillings. I give to my daughter one pound and give  
to my son William. I give to my daughter Elizabeth one pound and give to my  
son John two pounds and give to my son James giving James be-  
ing a brother land beginning out of than P. S. L. with others and  
one acre opposite the dock there a tract to which runs North  
State to the east and West River, thence East to about Butter Creek line  
there with said line south to Francis James line thence west to his  
house with his one acre and Nathan Ross to the beginning on  
the tree stakes above and the way stand let the same be no other and  
a Right given and give to my son Rubin to one pound and give to my  
daughter Anna five shillings. I give to my son Seany Carver a  
daughter of Francis Carver property one fifth bed and furniture  
I give to my son Sam Cornelius daughter one fifth bed and  
furniture. Testimini when William Carver made James Carver is to give  
him the rest of the property his father gave him with  
with more as was stated in the presence of Thos. Carver Esq.  
Attest J. John Colter  
Attest John Colter  
Attest John Colter

Colter  
John H

I, John H. Colter of the County of Blount and State of  
Tennessee being weak of body of sound mind and disposing memory  
do make and publish this as my last will and testament hereby making  
and revoking all other wills by me made at any time before this.  
I bear that in my best judgment and knowledge of men to put out of the  
first money that may come into the hands of my executors hant-  
ing to be divided  $\frac{1}{2}$  I give and bequeath to John Colter for James  
P. Colter and Andrew Colter children of Elizabeth Colter deceased on  
hand of my intention the land lying on the north side of the Spring  
loung of John H. Colter belonging to me and to the estate of  
Mary Colter deceased.  $\frac{3}{4}$  I give and bequeath to Nancy White James  
White, Elizabeth C. White, Joseph White and Mary White the  
other two thirds of the above described tract of land  $\frac{1}{4}$  I give and bequeath  
to Alfred White one note of hand given by said White to myself  
for fifty dollars.  $\frac{5}{8}$  I give and bequeath to Anna H. Colter the sum  
held the tract of land lying on the south side of the Spring  
which I bought of William Young and he is to a trust to and take  
care of his mother and sister while they remain single and without  
they sent come to want  $\frac{1}{2}$  I give and bequeath to Elizabeth Colter  
Harriet Colter Anna Colter Nancy Rutherford Caroline Colter and  
Louisa Colter the other half of said tract of land lying on the  
South side of the Spring. I desire that all the balance of my prop-  
erty of every description not disposed of in this will be put to sale  
to pay my debts and funeral expenses and if there should be any  
over paying the same it is to go the use of Elizabeth Colter and  
her family that is with her and Dorothy A. Compton and appear  
Elizabeth Colter and John Colter. See the executors of this my last

Colter  
John H

will and testaments witness my hand and seal this 9<sup>th</sup> day of December  
1854  
Signed sealed and published in our  
presence and we have signed it in the presence of the testator and in  
the presence of each other  
A. Daniels  
John Reagan  
I, John Colter do make and publish this codicil to my last will  
and testament that is to say the consequence of the same I have  
given Elizabeth Colter in my land shall pay Nancy White one  
hundred dollars in three years and likewise for the same reason  
Elizabeth Colter Nancy Colter Anna Colter Nancy Rutherford Caroline  
Colter and Louisa Colter shall pay Nancy White one hundred dollars  
in three years to witness my hand and seal the 17<sup>th</sup> day of December  
1854  
John H. Colter Esq.

Signed sealed and Acknowledged before us  
who in the presence of the testator and at his request and in the  
presence of each other have signed the same A. Daniels  
John Reagan

Carver  
Carver

Be it remembered that I Amel Carver of Tennessee State and  
Blount County Considering the uncertainty of this mortal life and being  
of sound and perfect mind and reasoning, blessed be Almighty God for  
the same to make and publish this my last will and testament  
in manner and form following:

I first of Carver my self to God and my body to be buried in a  
decent manner.  $\frac{1}{2}$  I give and bequeath unto my eldest son Pitts  
an iron one dollar. Also I give and bequeath unto my two dear  
daughters Mary and Elizabeth Carver the sum of one dollar each  
Also I give and bequeath unto my several son James Carver a small  
horse which said horse now belongs together with a new saddle and  
bridle with one horn and tail. Also a plan and gears a Mattok  
and so. Also I give and bequeath unto my third daughter Nelly Carver  
a horse saddle and Bridle which said Nelly now骑着 with a re-  
sider bed and etc. to written also fifty dollars out of a note of hand I  
have on John Wilson, with a Slaving child. Also I give and bequeath  
out my youngest daughter Anna Carver fifty dollars to be paid when  
and require it. Also my main woman Rose. I give and bequeath to  
my two daughters Nelly and Anna Carver to be divided equally but  
not that what ever becomes of Rose. Also the above mentioned  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  
be divided out until Anna becomes of age. Also the above mentioned  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  
be divided out until Anna becomes of age and the profits arising  
from the horse to be equally divided amongst my five youngest  
children. I will that my six youngest sons be joint to Trust or the  
discretion of my executors. Also the remainder of my personal  
good and chattels of whatever kind not before mentioned to be sold  
and the money arising to be divided equally amongst my six sons. My  
Thomas goes to the service of the French and Patrick P. Carver  
also each income of age. Also my Plantation with all its oppor-  
tunities I state and by my the waters of Tennessee Creek in the  
State and County before mentioned, I have and bequeath to my son  
sons the Carver Thomas, Joseph, James, John, Benjamin and  
Patrick P. Carver to be equally distributed between them when  
the youngest becomes of age. I declare the rest among them.

Forance  
Comer

of the above mentioned land, unto the youngest Child bearing 7 years  
to be equally divided amongst my nine youngest children. And  
all that my debt be immediately satisfied. And that the State  
right for my land be first obtained and the surplus money if  
any be equally divided amongst my nine last mentioned children  
it is to be understood that the fifty dollars will to my daughter who  
is to be paid out of my surplus money last mentioned and the remainder if  
any to be divided amongst the nine youngest children. And that there be no  
such a sum to be given as before mentioned by Henry Appling John Davis Wm  
Farr James Comer And Jas Clegg for Executors of this my last  
will and testament. I do witness hereunto I have written and set my hand  
and seal this 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 1841.

Forance Comer Attest  
Signed sealed published and delivered

To the above named Forance Comer to be his last will and testament  
as the measure of his wife at his request And in his presence have hereunto  
subscribed our names as witnesses to the same.

John Kirk Comer  
Patriot of government  
James Comer

Mary  
Mell

John Delge, Last will and testifying  
I want my mare fattened and sold and the doctors said and  
the balance the price of the mare to be divided equally between my  
wife mother and the living Sisters. I will to my beloved Sister  
Catharine my Saddle and my new quilt. And to my beloved sister Anna  
my bed and bedding and one of my dresses at her choice. And to  
my beloved Sister Isabella Shurt and all my fine cloes and my blouse  
this is my last will. July 15<sup>th</sup> 1841. James Comer  
John L. Maxwell

Delge  
John

October the 23, 1867

I John Delge of 136 and County, calling to mind the failing  
of man being in perfect mind and memory, do make and ordain  
this my last will and testament. First I order all my just debts be  
paid off my estate. I order and appoint my wife Peggy Delge  
all house furniture to be at her disposal and farming utensils  
not to be removed off the premises until she die. And to be  
continued in said premises during life or till she changes her  
name then to be divided betwixt my sons John and Samuel Comer  
and Cedric Blasheim Delge and my daughters Peggy to have  
a horse and Saddle out of the family younger sons pearl and  
the horse and Saddle is to be kept for the support of the family  
and to go to help to enter the land likewise Sixty dollars in  
John Vicks hand to go towards working the land my son William  
is to live on said land till he reaches his majority for clearing the land  
my son Robert to get a horse worth a hundred dollars in their  
saddle and David when he is of age. David and James the same  
property if they continue on to work the farm and to receive their  
share of the same. I do disown all other will or wills hitherto  
made by me. And declare this to be my last  
Witnesses } Robert Ferguson  
} Wm Delge

John Delge

Delge  
John

John Delge of the County of Belmont and State of Tennessee  
Being in ill health but of sound mind and disposing memory  
and being sensible of the uncertainty of life have made and to make  
this my last will and testament  
of my, of which all my just debts and funeral expenses to be paid  
out of my property. I cordially give and bequeath to my wife  
Priscilla Almona Delge, all the residue of my property both real  
personal and mixed to be here absolutely and in full simplicity  
Partly at home constitute and appertaining Henry Blalock of Belmont  
County my executor to execute this my last will and testament  
honestly rectely and faithfully at home or other wise and testament  
by me made. In testimony whereof I have written at my hand  
and seal this 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 1842  
Signed sealed published and declared  
to be the last will and testament of  
the said John Delge in presence of  
David L. Jones  
David K. Comer

John Delge

In the name of God Amen. I James Davis of the  
State of Tennessee and County of Belmont being very sick but  
of sound mind and disposing memory for which desire to have  
had to constitute make and appoint this my last will and  
testament in writing. As it is my will that after  
my decease my body shall be buried in a Christian like manner  
the 1<sup>st</sup> of October is my will that all my just debts be punctually paid  
2<sup>d</sup> It is my will that my wife Sally Davis shall have a comfortable  
of the farm during his life or widowhood and also the dwelling  
house kitchen and spring house during his time and also my two  
more and the two cows she now claims and all the sheep and  
hogs that I possess at my death. After all the household and  
kitchen furniture the moveable or portable property I give to  
her she is to dispose of at her death  
3<sup>d</sup> I give my son Peter Davis my Sord mome  
4<sup>th</sup> It is my will that my son George Davis shall have my stud horse  
5<sup>th</sup> It is my will that my son William Davis shall have my cord mome  
and Smith tools  
6<sup>th</sup> It is my will that my daughter Catharine shall have my cord mome  
7<sup>th</sup> It is my will that my daughter Mary shall have twenty dollars in  
trade notes at trade sets that she attests for it herself  
8<sup>th</sup> It is my will that Edward Delge shall have one dollar  
9<sup>th</sup> It is my will that my son James Davis shall have the farm and  
plantation I now live on at my death and that he shall furnish  
his mother with a comfortable support with those articles left her in  
her own name and also the late money of mine I leave to my son  
James and wish him and William to divide the same as to their  
greatest advantage for both it is my will that James shall have  
my land horse to keep on the farm for the use of the farm  
and also that my son James shall furnish Scott Covington whom he  
is of age with as good a horse as the house can find for the use  
of the farm. In witness whereof I have written at my hand  
and seal this the ninth day of September in the year

1867