

Gillesby  
John

James G. Gillesby  
Alexander Gillesby  
State of Tennessee Blount County  
May Session 1801 proven in open Court that it is his will  
Houston

Wily  
James

I James Wily do make and publish this as my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any other time made. First I direct that my funeral expenses and all my debts if any be paid as soon after my death as possible out of my money or money here possessed or may here come into the hands of my Executors secondly I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Mary Wily one third of all my personal and moveable property including money on hand notes and other evidences of debt and a third also one half of the tract of land above now in the upper half of a rail tract to have and to enjoy said property and land during her natural life or during her widowhood. If she survive my wife then she shall school educate and maintain and raise any children she may yet bring forth as well as are not of age with the remaining two thirds of my personal property together with the one third already bequeathed to her good at her death or marriage of my said wife said property and land shall rest in her and belong to her legal heirs after named  
Thirdly I give and bequeath to my sons Jackson Randolph Wily and Benjamin Franklin Lafayette six hundred and forty acres in Monroe County Tenn. containing six hundred and forty acres and an adjoining part of one hundred and forty nine acres, making in all 784 acres to be equally divided between them the upper half to Jackson Randolph and the lower half to Benjamin Franklin Lafayette  
Fourthly I give and bequeath to my daughter Ann's Ann Wily and Mahaly J. Wily a tract of land in Blount County Tennessee between the Tennessee river and known as the east tract to be equally divided between them the upper half to Ann and the lower half to Mahaly J. Wily  
Fifthly I give and bequeath to my son John Williams Wily the lower half of my former plantation  
Sixthly I give and bequeath to my son Felix Erving Wily a tract of land in Tennessee near Monroe County Tennessee containing five hundred and fifty six and a half acres known as the Mill place  
Seventhly I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Martha Wily a tract of land in Blount County

Wily  
James

Witness containing my name and Mary Wily's name Rightly it is my will and desire that all my debts lying in the Couple's Messors Blount and Rouse and not paid in before specially requested together with my negroes be equally divided between my children herein before mentioned - Monthly. It is my will and desire and I hereby give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Martha Wily in addition to what I have already given to her at the death or marriage of my wife Mary Wily the upper half of my household furniture and the lower half of my stock in the Kentucky Rail Road Company, my town lot in the town of Morgantown together with any other personal property in this will before mentioned be equally divided between and amongst my children herein before mentioned shall not sell or dispose of any of the land herein before willed to them to any person or persons whatsoever and if any of my said legatees should wish to receive to any of the nation states or any other place they can do so and in that event the land bequeathed to them shall mine to the use and benefit of my legatees who remain and such time as the heirs or legatees leaving it may choose to return and live upon it and if any dispute or difficulty should arise amongst my said legatees in relation to my estate, my will is that they avoid litigation and their suits and that they settle their difficulties (if any should unfortunately arise) in a spirit of compromise and by the arbitration and award of good honest men and that no law or Tribunal shall in any wise alter or defeat this my last will and testament, and lastly I do hereby name and appoint Mary Wily my wife, Josiah Jackson John K. Jackson, Jackson Mahaly Wily, Benjamin Franklin Lafayette Wily and Joseph Steves Executors of this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I do to this my will. Set my hand and seal this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1847. James Wily (seal) signed sealed and published in our presence and we have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the Dictator, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1847.  
Robert S. Warren  
John Singleton  
John S. McQueen

State of Tennessee Blount County  
Personally appeared before me William Lounny Clerk of the County Court of Blount County the within named James Wily the maker of the within instrument of writing with whom I am personally acquainted and who acknowledged that he executed the same at the time it was due for the purpose herein set and that therefore the same is admitted to record and certified for registration. Witness my hand and seal this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1847.

Wjly  
Jamesour said Court at office in Maryville this 7<sup>th</sup> June 1847

State of Tennessee  
County of Blount  
Register's office June 7<sup>th</sup> 1847. There was the within instrument  
sent and its private Registered in Book No. Page  
276<sup>th</sup> Remond at 11<sup>th</sup> o'clock A.M. and was noted in  
Note Book A Page 57. Witness my hand at office  
in Maryville.

And: M. McClain  
Register of Blount County

A. Codicil to last will,

of James Wjly, having heretofore made and pub-  
lished my last will and Testament, do make and  
declare this as a codicil thereto with new assen-  
dants. Myself being now dependent this life. And  
I do hereby declare in my will that all the property that  
I am possessed of both real and personal be  
equally divided between and sister to wit, Aris Amy  
Wjly, Gertrude Ann Wjly, Benjamin Franklin  
Lafayette Wjly, John Calhoun Wjly, Maria Grundy  
Wjly, and Miss Martha Wjly, Lastly, it is my desire  
that this codicil be attached to and constitute a  
part of my will, so all intents and purposes this 5<sup>th</sup>  
June 1847.

Witness: Mark A. Sherman  
James Wjly Seal

And: M. McClain

State of Tennessee

County Court of the County of Blount do hereby certify that the  
within was recorded in open Court on the same day  
the same purports was date. Witness my hand at  
office in Maryville June 5<sup>th</sup> 1847.

Robert A. Deaford Clerk  
By J. R. Lee Del.

Tuck  
Susannah

Susannah Tuck do make and publish this as my  
last will and Testament hereby revoking and making  
void all other wills by me at any other time made,  
First I direct that my funeral expenses and all  
my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible  
out of my moneys that I may be possessed of  
or may hereafter come into the hands of my Executor  
Secondly I give and bequeath to my daughter Eliza-  
beth Tuck, Thomas Tuck, Nancy Lee Susan Rose,  
Pamela Brooks, Wilmore Copeland, Lucinda and  
one dollar each. Thirdly I give and bequeath to my  
daughter Ellen Tuck, my Cow and all my household  
and Kitchen furniture with the exception of one  
large pot. Fourthly I give and bequeath to my son  
Carrison Tuck and his wife Patience one large pot  
and all of my traps and all of my land and  
proceeds of the same by the said Carrison and Patience  
maintaining of me during my lifetime. Lastly I

Tuck  
Susannah

do hereby nominate and appoint Francis M. Powerman my  
Executor in witness whereof I do to this my will set my  
hand and seal this 16<sup>th</sup> day of July 1847.  
Signed sealed and  
published in our presence  
and we have subscribed our names hereto in the  
presence of the said Editor this the 16<sup>th</sup> July 1847.  
F. M. Powerman  
J. B. Jones

Dundlap  
Adam

June 6<sup>th</sup> 1796. In the name of God Amen I Adam Dundlap  
of Blount County in the State of Tennessee consid-  
ering the mortality of man and knowing it is ap-  
pointed for all men here to die do make and ordain  
this my last will and Testament as follows. (1<sup>st</sup>)  
I do of all recommend my soul to God that gave it  
and my body to the ground from whence it  
came to be buried in a decent Christian manner.  
2<sup>nd</sup> I bequeath to my dear beloved wife Elizabeth  
after my debts are discharged all the household  
furniture and the house we now live in and  
the third of the benefits of the land we live on  
and two Cows and Calf the Household furniture  
to be disposed of as she pleases at her death and the  
benefit of a horse to ride when she pleases.  
3<sup>rd</sup> I bequeath to my son James Dundlap the upper  
end of my land as follows down from M<sup>rs</sup> M<sup>rs</sup>  
Branck to the creek to the side Branck and one  
two year old Heifer. 4<sup>th</sup> I bequeath to my son John  
Dundlap the lower end of my land as follows to run  
a straight line across the creek at the upper  
end of his field, true to run up the branch Spring  
pole Run a direct course to the upper part of  
the hill and one twenty year old Heifer.  
5<sup>th</sup> I bequeath to my daughter Margaret Dundlap  
the one acre house and her saddle on a cow and calf  
the horse to be kept on the plantation for the use of  
the place while she remains in the family.  
6<sup>th</sup> I bequeath to my daughter Agnes Dundlap one  
Cow and calf and the horse mare calf to be  
raised on the place and give to her and a  
saddle to be bought her out of the rest of the  
upper field. 7<sup>th</sup> I bequeath to my son Adam  
Dundlap the plantation I now live in agreeable  
to the lines already mentioned to the other boys  
and the dwelling house at his mother's death  
and the black mare and the cow and calf and  
the rifle gun he now has and all the farming  
implements and as much glass as will glass the  
windows and the rest of the glass to  
be equally divided amongst the rest of the family  
the debts to be paid in a reasonable time.