

November, 1876

Nathaniel Harris' Will.

April 20th 1876.

I Nathaniel Harris of the County of Blount and State of Tennessee do make and publish this my last will and testament,

I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Catharine the Farms wherow I reside, & bring all the real estate I own and possess to have and hold and use as her own as long as she lives and at her death it shall go to my daughter Hanner J. Harris.

I further will that all the personal property of which I may die seized and possessed shall go to my wife Catharine for her own use as long as she lives and at her death the same shall go to my daughter Hanner J. Harris.

The conditions upon which my daughter Hanner J. Harris is to have said lands above mentioned are as follows:

That she pay all expenses arising out of sickness or death of one am my wife Catharine and further that she pay the sum of twenty dollars to all my children except Samuel Harris John Harris and Ellen Bruce the same to be paid as soon as the said Hanner J. Harris shall dispose of said lands or within two years at most after the death of my wife Catharine.

In testimony whereof I have this day set my hand and seal in day and year first above written

Attest,

L. D. Johnson
Witness John J. Rovale.

Nathaniel Harris

Michael Harris' Will

I, Michael Harris, being of sound mind and in good health do make and publish this as my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all others by me at any time made.

I give and bequeath to my son, James M. Harris a parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the 17th civil district of Blount County, Tennessee containing (100) One hundred and

sixty acres described as follows: Beginning at a locust corner on the bank of the Little Tennessee river near Pleasant Hill Church running down the river to a red oak corner, thence North to a stake, thence East to a stake thence South with W. M. Bright's line to the beginning.

I also give and bequeath to the said James M. Harris a parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the 17th civil district of Blount County Tennessee containing One hundred (100) acres joining the one hundred and sixty acre lot on the West, and known as the Bell's place.

In witness whereof, I do to this my will, set my hand, this, the 16th day May, 1873.

Michael Harris.

Signed and published in our presence, and we have subscribed our names thereto in the presence of the testator, this 16th day of May, 1873.

J. H. Harris.

W. C. Milligan.

State of Tennessee, Monroe County,-

I, L. A. Elbert, Clerk of the County Court of Monroe County, do hereby certify that the above is a true, perfect and correct copy of the last will and testament of Michael Harris, now dead, so far as it in any way affects the title of James M. Harris, to the lands herein described, and that it is all of said will that in any way has reference to the above described lands, that this was the County in which the testator had his residence at the time of his death, and that the entire will of which this is a part was admitted to probate in the County Court of the County, on the 6th day of August, 1874, and letters of Administration granted thereon, this Aug. 5th, 1876.

L. A. Elbert

Clerk.

January, 1877.

William Jones' Will.

I, William Jones of Blount County, Tennessee being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void any former will by me at any time made.

First. I give and devise to my beloved wife, Ruth Jones all

January.

Real estate, situated in the 5th Civil District of Blount County, Tennessee, for and during her natural life, and her death said land is disposed of as herein as follows:

I. I devise to my grand children, Shirley Jones and Orpha Jones, Children of my son S. H. Jones fifty acres, more or less, beginning on the corner of Ignatius Jones, near the top of the ridge and running thence a straight line by a big chestnut on the top of the ridge, to the Franklinville road, thence with the Franklinville road to the Clover Hill road; thence with the line of M. A. Lane, J. C. Edmondson and Ignatius Jones to the beginning.

2. I devise to my grand children, Frederic Jones, Octavia Jones, and Joseph C. Jones, Children of my son W. L. Jones, thirty five acres, more or less, beginning on a corner, near a big chestnut below the pond and near where W. L. Peirce, now lives and running a straight line in a Southern direction through the pond and with the Franklinville road to M. A. Lane. Corners near the fork of the Big Springs and Franklinville road, thence with M. A. Lane and James Phelps to corner on the ridge near Phelps house; thence a direct line to S. T. Lane; thence with said Lane and Sarah A. Moore to the beginning. But it is provided that in case all of said children should die without living issue, then their share shall go to my lawful heirs.

3. The remainder of all my real estate I devise to my son Ignatius Jones on his paying to my son S. H. Jones two hundred dollars to be due in one year after my death.

It is also provided, that in case of my death and the death of my wife, occurring before the year 1903, then my son Ignatius Jones shall have the possession of all my lands, with all the rents and profits until the the said year 1903, and at which time, should myself and wife not be living, the duries of said land shall be entitled to the possession of the part herein devised to them.

Second. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Martha Peirce, one bureau, now on hand at my house. This with what I have already given her makes her part of my estate.

Third. I direct that my Executor dispose of all my personal estate in such way and in such manner as he may think best; be paying all my debts and charges of power.

January, 1897.

Fourth. I nominate and appoint my son, Ignatius Jones, Executor of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name in the presence of the subscribing witnesses, this November 29, 1895.

Witnesses,

J. C. Stanfield }
Sam P. Rowan. }

Robert Pickens, will.

I, Robert Pickens, of Blount County, Tennessee, being of sound mind and disposing memory of sound mind do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking and superseding all former wills by me at any time made.

First. I give and devise to my wife, Elizabeth R. Pickens, the tract of land upon which I reside, situated in the 13th Civil district of Blount County, for and during her natural life, and at her death to my son, Oliver C. Pickens, on his paying to my daughter, Mary Alice Cannon, the sum of seven hundred and forty (\$740) dollars.

I also give and bequeath to my said wife all my except personal property and a reasonable years support, and also all the household and kitchen furniture on hands at my death, and all my farming implements and wheeled vehicles.

Second. I give and devise to my son, Oliver C. Pickens, the tract of land in the 13th Civil district of Blount County, and upon which I reside, at the death of my wife, Elizabeth R. Pickens, on his paying to my daughter, Mary Alice Cannon, the sum of Seven hundred and forty (\$740) dollars, said sum to be due at the date of the death of my said wife, and to be a charge upon said land until fully paid.

Third. I direct that all of my personal property not herein specifically bequeathed be sold and applied by my Executor to the payment of all my just debts and funeral expenses, and any remainder to be paid to my son, Oliver C. Pickens, to whom the same is bequeathed.

Fourth. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Mary Alice Cannon, the sum of Seven hundred and forty (\$740) dollars to be paid