

before my Niece and Nephew is paid the Society is to appropriate the above bequest of twenty five dollars to the use of the meeting House
So as to make them comfortable

6th I make constitute and appoint My Nephew John Gourley and John McHerin to be my Executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made

I have here unto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this
5th day of November 1856

his
John X Gourley (Seal)
mark

Attest

Charles T. P. Davis

his
James M X Thompson
mark

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MARTIN RORIX

I Martin Rorix of the County of Blount and State of Tennessee, being of sound and perfect mind and memory, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following to wit.

I will and bequeath to my son William M Rorix, the following tracts or parcels of land to wit- The tract of land on which the said William now lives, containing by estimation, one hundred and sixty acres, and a piece or parcel of land adjoining the land on which he now lives which was conveyed to me by Sarah Elliot, containing about seventy three acres and another piece or parcel of land, adjoining the aforesaid lands, containing about fifty acres, which was entered by myself, all which land lies on Crooked Creek, and is now in the possession of the said William M Rorix
I also will and bequeath to my son William, all the interest I have in my Black girl Amy.

I will and bequeath to my son Joseph M Rorix, all the interest I have in my Black girl Patsy

I will and bequeath to my son John Rorix the farm on which I now live, containing about three hundred and sixty acres, upon the following express conditions, to wit- that the said John Rorix at my death, convey to my son James A Rorix, all the right, title, interest and claim, which he the said John has, in and to a certain tract or parcel of land which

he the said John purchased from William Wallace, and which said tract or parcel of land contains about two hundred and forty five acres, and also that the said John, provide for the comfortable support of my daughter Margaret during her natural life, or while she shall remain a single woman. and if the said John shall fail to perform the conditions above mentioned, then and in that case it is my will and desire that the farm on which I now live, shall go to my son James A Rorix.

I also will and bequeath to my son John, all the interest which I have in my Black girl Hannah, also one feather bed and furniture and one beadstead.

I will and bequeath to my son James A Rorix my mulatto boy named Gilbert, one feather bed, and furniture, and one beadstead.

I will and bequeath to my daughter Margaret Rorix my mulatto girl called Charlotte, and two hundred dollars in cash, and one half of all my household and Kitchen furniture three feather beds and furniture and three beadsteads, one horse, worth one hundred dollars one new saddle and bridle, two milk cows and calves, and six head of sheep.

I will and bequeath to my daughter Nancy Adeline Rorix my mulatto girl called Eliza, also two hundred dollars in cash- one horse worth one hundred dollars, one half of all my household and Kitchen furniture- two milk cows and calves, three feather beds and furniture and three beadsteads and six head of sheep.

I will and bequeath all my cash on hands, notes, and all my personal property not otherwise disposed of in this will, to my two sons, John and James A Rorix.

And last of all it is my will and request that my son's William M Rorix and James Rorix be the Executors 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 affixed my seal this 11th day of April 1842

Signed, sealed, published and Martin Rorix (Seal)
declared by the above named Martin Rorix to be his last will & Testament in the presence of us, who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses, in the presence of the Testator

Sam T. Bicknell
And M. Clain

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JAMES MCCONNELL

I James McConnell of the County of Blount and State of Tennessee knowing that this world is not our abiding place and that it is appointed for all men to leave this world and wishing to have all my worldly matters settled and being of a sound and disposing mind and memory to make this my last will and testament -

1st I desire My Body deasently Buried and all my funeral Expenses paid
 2d. It is my will that all my Last debts be paid out of my Estate
 3d. It is my will that my wife Peggy McConnell have the tract of land
 of price
 where I live as far as the condition I made with my Son James Haney McCo-
 nnell and to Inherit the Same and to have the proceeds of it to assist
 hur in Raising my children Born of hur as long as She Shall Remain a
 widdowe But if She Marry then to Revert to said Children to wit) George
 M. McConnell Isaac Right McConnell Mary Ann McConnell Margaret Emenda
 McConnell
 McConnell Josiah Hutton McConnell Eliza Moore and my youngest Son not
 named at this time until they are of lawful age and then to Revert to the
 afforesaid Boys (toWitt) George Isaac Josiah and the youngest Son not as
 yet named, and if She Remain in Widowhood until death the land to Revert
 to Said Boys after the Girls become of lawful age as before Stated, also
 to have and possess all my household furniture Beds and Bedding for the
 Same period But if She Marry to have one Bed with an Equal Share of
 household furniture With the Children before named also to have all the
 farming utensils together With the Stock of horses hoggs Cattle and Sheep
 4th It is my will that my Son John Newton McConnell one BeadReceive
 one hundred dollars of My Son James H McConnell in Some good trade at
 trade Rates
 5th it is my Will that my Son Joseph Stewart McConnell have a certain
 note of hand now in his possession one executed by John Palmer to my self
 for Seventy odd dollars if Collected
 6th it is my will that my Son James Harvey McConnell shall have and Int-
 erest that part of my land where he now lives and occupys as far as
 the condition of line made by him and myself heretofore named together
 with what I have given him heretofore By him paying to my Sons John N.
 McConnell and Wm. Elliott McConnell one hundred dollars Each in trade
 at trade Rates
 7th it is my will that my daughter Elizabeth McConnell shall have one
 horse worth Seventy five dollars in trade together with hur Bed and
 Bedding also her Saddle and Bridle with such other household furniture
 as my Wif May See proper to give hur in Witness Whereof I have hereunto
 Sett my hand and affixed my seal this 9th day of April 1833
 Attest James McConnell (Seal)
 Samuel McConnell
 Absalom McNabb

JOHN TIPTON.

Last— Will of John Tipton Sr

In the name of God amen

I John Tipton Sr of Cades Cove Blount County and State of Tennessee Being of
 Sound Mind and Memory and considering the uncertainty of this frail and
 transitory Life Do therefore make ordain publish and Declair this to be my Last
 will and Testament That is to say, first after all my Lawfull Debts are paid and
 Discharged the residue of my Estate Real and personal I give Bequeath and Dis-
 pose of as follows to wit To My Beloved Wife Neamah Tipton Lucinda Tipton
 Any Tipton Sassenamlers Tipton the land And appurtenances Situated thereon
 Known Described as the follows Track of Land Forty achors Lying in Blount
 County adjoining M Tipton and others in known as the Sparks Shuge Cove Farm
 lying in Cades Cove 16th Dist of Blount County and In the State of Tennessee
 Now possessed By Me During the term of Her natural Life, and after her Death to Be
 Divided to be devided to my three ares above mentione also all the personal
 property that I own Likewise I make Constiture and appoint N.H. Spark to be
 Executor of this my Last will and Testament hereby reveking all former Wills
 made By me

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto Subscribed my name and affixed my Seal
 the day of October In the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred and
 Eighty one

his
 John x Tipton (Seal)
 mark

The above written Instrument was Subscribed By the Said John Tipton Sr In our
 presence and acknowledged By him to Each of us and he at the same time pub-
 lished and Declared the above Instrument So Subscribed TO Be his Last will
 and testament and we at the testators Request and in his presence have Signed
 our names as witnesses hereto and written opposite our names our Respective
 places of residence

Cades Cove Blount Co Tennessee

M. W. Tipton (Seal)

his
 L. L. Stephenson (Seal)
 mark