

Jacob Lipo Will

In the name of God Amen
I Jacob Lipo of the County of Carroll and State
of Tennessee do make and publish this my last will
and Testament hereby revoking and picking over all
other things well by me made now lawful in health
arriving to my present sickness though in proper mind
My just will and desire is that my just debts
and funeral Expenses be paid out of the first money
that may come into the hands of my Executor
and I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Sally all
the tract of Land I now live on about one hundred
and ninety four Acres during her life then to my heirs
I also give her the following slaves during her life
time viz Mary, Caroline, George and John
and all the household and kitchen furniture and
the farming utensils and the wagon and one yoke of
oxen the two choice horses and cows and two head
of killing hogs for the next season and basin and
trap & enough for the present year and two choice
Cows and Colles all the sheep that I now have and
and pounds and galles of Corn and all the produce on
the farm and a Chelate part of all the money and buried in
the few dollars that she has off her own money and clothing
all the above articles but the Land and slaves I give to
her and she may sell and dispose of at her own pleasure
and will.

And I give and bequeath to my son James I Lipo during his
natural life time and after his death to be equally divided
between all of his children by sale or otherwise
A tract of Land known as the belly woods tract containing
and hundred and eleven Acres as an arrangement value
eight hundred dollars together with what I have already
advanced to him and after a final settlement of all of
my estate and all the heirs get equally in property and
advancements if there is still a remainder going to my
son James I Lipo I wish it to be in the same way
for him to have the benefit of it during his life time
and after his death to go and be equally divided all
of his children

And Lastly I do nominate and appoint my son Aaron
Lipo and Benjamin James M Brooks my Executors to carry out
the provisions of this my last will and Testament this the
10th day of February 1840

Test
B. B. McNeill

William Jordan
John M. H. L.

Jacob Lipo. (B)
myself

I, Daniel Adams of the County of Carroll and State of Tennessee being desirous to secure what I have or may have at the time of my death as neatly to the use or benefit of my family and with a view of preventing unnecessary expenses that is common in such cases I make this my last will and testament

that will and direct that all my just debts be
paid out of the first moneys that may be collected
and it will and give to my wife the usual dower
and the ordinary book and personal and
married and books and accounts to have and
to hold for her and use and benefit and in-
crease for the use and benefit of her and all
my children in Common with herself.

3rd I desire that my wife Harriet E. Adams may
a week or more after her death give any property
that she may desire to sell either publicly or
privately and to buy other property that she may
desire it to the interest of herself and my children

4th None of any of my children, should be liable of
age or money to dissent that my wife Sarah C.
Williams direct them all that she may feel herself
able to do under the circumstances at the time
thinking me very always her warm friend and
the interest of the younger children so that
equal justice may be done to each and all others
3rd It will be that my land nor any part of it shall
ever be sold without the consent of all the parties
concerned or their legal representatives

What race of my wife, father & children should
she or mine, then, turn into her voice and the
laws of inheritance as they exist in the year 1900
be, my wife as to what may be an honest
at that time

I do not dissent my wife James & William my agent and executor
 to this opinion. I also direct that she give bonds for
 my and ~~James~~ James's Letters as such without being
 required to give security for the same.
 This 26th day of August 1803.
 James M. Adams

H. Kierulff
A. B. Christian
W. Brönnig

Hoves, Adams (2)

Henry Geo. Webb

I, J. H. The last will & Testament of Henry Geo
J. Henry Geo of the County of Harrow and State of Tennessee
being very sick and weak of body but of perfect mind
and memory calling to mind the frailties of human nature
and knowing that God has appointed all men unto death
do make, ordain and publish this my last will and tes-
tament hereby revoking and making void all other wills
by me made.

Now first it is my will and desire that my personal
Expenses and all of my debts be paid as soon as possible
after my death out of my monies which I may die
possessed or out of the first monies that may come
into the hands of my Executors

When I became ill it was my will and desire that my wife, Eliza Elizabeth, her two sons have the use of all my stock including horses, cattle, pigs, sheep or also all of stock of produce now on hand and all my farming crops also all of my household and kitchen furniture or in fact all my personal effects whatever during her life.

Of glass with and death that my soul-wife shall have
the use and possession of both of my tracts of Land
The one upon which Elmore resides containing about
thirty six acres more or less the other the tract of Land
upon which Elfarment resides containing about one
hundred & twenty five acres more or less and bounded by
the families of Luke Thomas and Rufus Thomas and
the heirs of R. B. Crull Jnr and the heirs of Barnett Mettels
Jr with all of the appurtenances thereto belonging during
her natural life or until she shall die and at her death or marriage
to be equally divided among all of my children then and
share alike those that are living and those that may be
dead three years before the share its ancestor would have taken
Item I hereby nominate and appoint my two sons James
Jr and James Alfred Jr as my Executors to this my last
will and Testament And certify whereof I have written
for my heirs and feel to this my last will and Testament
This 26th day of May 1863

signed, sealed and published in our presence by the Notary this the 21st day of May 1903

of the same

Luke Thomas

State of Tennessee
County of Carroll

June Term 1866 The foregoing was produced as the last will and testament of King, given and acknowledged to be correct the above being a copy, filed

W. H. Graves, Talish

State of Tennessee
Harris County Harris Sept Term 1800

Verbal Will of Nelson Knawhans

I wish to enjoin upon my brother Oscar to take care of my dogs. I want them educated if it requires all of my property to do it.

After this I wish my effects equally divided between my three children up an including my daughter Sarah shall deposit herself kindly to Oscar's brother if not I wish my effects equally divided between my two boys.

I wish my watch given to my son Emerson in ten or fifteen years after he shall have arrived at a sufficient age to know to do with it.

I wish my gun given to my son Lucien.

My frown horse I give to my wife Susan.

My two year old mare I give to my daughter Sarah.

My gold I give to my son Lucien.

Sept 14th 1866

N. Knawhans

E. W. McArthur

W. W. McArthur

A. S. McArthur

J. B. McArthur

State of Tennessee, Nov Term 1866.
Carroll County.

At the above term of said Court the above was probated as the last will & testament of Nelson Knawhans, Sup in manuscript form and ordered to be recorded of which the foregoing is a copy, test

W. H. Graves Clerk

Rhoda Knawhans Will

I Rhoda Knawhans do make and publish this as my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all others with by me at any time made.

First I direct that my funeral expenses and all of my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of my moneys that I may die possessed of or may come into the hands of my Executor.

Secondly I give and bequeath to my son John I keep the skin of one Oiler.

Thirdly I give and bequeath to my son William I keep the skin of one Oiler.

Fourthly I give and bequeath to my daughter Lydia keep one Red Hides and put one trunk and Lining & Laps one Red quilt.

Fifthly I give and bequeath to my son James M. Knawhans two Chairs and state and one half of 10 pieces of bags and two pearls and twenty Acres of Land of the tract of Land on which I now live upon.

Sixthly I give and bequeath to my son E. W. Knawhans the sum of one Dollar.

Seventhly I give and bequeath to my son Abram I keep the sum of one Dollar.

Eighthly I give and bequeath to Sophia Martin wife of William J. Martin I give her the sum of one Dollar.

Ninthly I give and bequeath to Martha I shelter wife of James M. Knawhans the sum of one Dollar.

Tenthly I give and bequeath to my son Wm M. Knawhans the balance of the tract of Land on which I now live except the twenty Acres, will be to James M. Knawhans and one & half & one half of 10 pieces of bags.

Eleventhly I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth J. Bridges wife of J. B. Bridges one Oiler and under bed and one Red Hides and one trunk.

Twelfthly I give and bequeath to my son Thomas M. Knawhans the tract of Land on which I now live.

Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint William Johnson my Executor in witness whereof I do state my will let my hand & seal this 14th day of April 1866. Rhoda Knawhans
Signed, sealed and published in our presence and we have subscribed and names hereunto in the presence of the witness the day and date above written.

Witness
W. H. Knawhans & probated at the Nov Term 1866 Carroll County
A. S. Knawhans & W. H. Knawhans

Charles F. Fowler

On the 15th August 1846 Charles Fowler colored man in his last sickness at his own solicitation a paper where he had been living the present year June William Scott in behalf of the County Clerk declared in the presence of the undersigned whom he especially requested to bear witness thereto that his will was as follows to wit

I want my two Children Simpson and Sallie to have to have all my silver money and same in a bag which I made before I had Marshall I want equally divided between my two Children Simpson & Sallie I want my wife I made after I had Marshall my present wife I want divided equally between Marshall Simpson and Sallie

I want Simpson to have my wearing clothes I want Sallie to have her mother's clothes and her and her clothes I want Simpson to have my mule and pay Marshall fifteen dollars out of the mule Marshall is to have my cow & calf I want my crop gathered and I want farming my wife have I have her gear mags and of my cow and the balance I want divided equally between Marshall Simpson and Sallie The balance of all my property I want divided between the three equally

We witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this 20th day of October 1846 the foregoing will is substantially stated in the presence of the undersigned Charles Fowler as near as it is possible to his words which declaration were made as above stated in the presence of us and we were requested to bear witness to the same
James P. Wilson Frank P. Hunt

State of Tennessee
Carroll County
At the above term of said Court the above was probated as the last will and testament of this Fowler and of which the foregoing is a copy
W. H. Graves Clerk

Daniel Palmer will

State of Tennessee Henry County
I Daniel Palmer do make and publish this as my last will and testament hereby revoking and picking void all other wills by me at any time made

First I direct that my personal expenses all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of my monies that I may also preserve of it may first come into the hands of my Executors

Second I give and bequeath to Lucinda Palmer my beloved wife all my lands and other effects I have during her widowhood and after the expiration of her widowhood then I direct that all my property be sold as soon as my Executors may think expedient and the proceeds from the sale of said property be equally divided between all my Children

Last I do hereby nominate and appoint James F. Palmer and William Smith my Executors and ratify whomever I do to the my will for my heirs and seal this fourth day October and thousand eight hundred and fifty seven

Daniel Palmer

Signed, read and published in our presence and we have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the Dictator this 20th day of Oct 1857
J. H. Peoples
Wm. Brandler

State of Tennessee

Carroll County

At the term and March term 1847 of the County Court for Carroll County the foregoing paper purporting to be probated as the last will and testament of Daniel Palmer was by the undersigned witnesses and ordered to be duly recorded of which the foregoing is a copy
W. H. Graves Clerk

Charles Fowler

On the 28th August 1854 Charles Fowler (deceased) man in his last sickness at his own solicitation or place where he had been living the present year June William Bates in Carroll County this declaration in the presence of the undersigned whom he especially requested to bear witness thereto that his will was as follows

I want my two children Simpson and Lollie to have to have all my silver money and same in a bag which I made before I had Marshall I want equally divided between my two children Simpson & Lollie

For money I have made after I had Marshall my present wife I want divided equally between Marshall Simpson and Lollie

I want Simpson to have my wearing clothes I want Lollie to have her mother's clothes and her own bed clothes I want Simpson to have my trunk and pay Marshall fifteen dollars out of the same Marshall as to cash my land I want my crop gathered and I want farming my wife has to be have her year wages and of my crop and the balance I want divided equally between Marshall Simpson and Lollie The balance of all my property I want divided between the three equally

This witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this 28th day of October 1854

The foregoing will is substantially stated in the preceding words of the Decedent Charles Fowler as near as it is possible to be made which declaration were made as above stated in the presence of us and we were requested to bear witness to the same

Witness
James C. Wilson

Wm. (A. S. Fowler)
Frank (A. S. Fowler)
Mick

State of Tennessee

Carroll County

More Term Term 1854

That the above was probated as the last will and Testament of Charles Fowler being of which the foregoing is a Copy

W. H. Graves Clerk

Daniel Palmer Will

State of Tennessee Henry County
I Daniel Palmer do make and publish this as my last will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time made

First I direct that my personal expenses all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any monies that I may be possessed of or may first come into the hands of my Executor

Second I give and bequeath to Lucinda Palmer my beloved wife all my lands here other effects I have during her widowhood And after the expiration of her widowhood then I direct that all my property be sold as soon as my Executor may think expedient and the proceeds from the sale of said property be equally divided between all my children

Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint James F. Palmer and William H. H. my Executors to do whosoever I do to the my wife for my heirs and seal this fourth day October and Thence and eight hundred and fifty seven

Daniel Palmer

Signed, sealed and published in the presence of us here subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the Dictator this 4th day of Oct. 1854

Test
Math. Peoples
Wm. H. H.

State of Tennessee

Carroll County

That the same and March terms 1854 of the County Court for Carroll County the foregoing paper containing was probated as the last will and Testament of Daniel Palmer by the subscribing witnesses and ordered to be duly recorded of which the foregoing is a Copy

W. H. Graves Clerk

Robert N. Carter will

I Robert N. Carter do make and publish this as my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time made

First I direct that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any monies that I may be possessed of & may first come into the hands of my executor

Secondly I give and bequeath to my beloved wife all of the house hold and kitchen furniture and as much of the stock of horses and cattle and hay together with the claim in the land during her lifetime or widowhood

Thirdly I give unto my daughter Mary McKim and her heirs one fifty Dollars which she has received

Fourthly I give unto Thomas M. Carter two hundred and thirty five Dollars which he has received

Fifthly I give unto Henry N. Carter two hundred and thirty Dollars which he has received

Sixthly I give and bequeath unto Mary Elizabeth Bell two hundred and forty Dollars which she has received

Seventhly I give unto Robert Hunter ^{one} ~~two~~ Dollars which he has received

Eighthly I give unto A. C. Carter three hundred and thirty Dollars which he has received

Ninthly I give unto Harriet A. Carter three Dollars which she has received

And I further manifest is that all my children shall all be made equal in their shares in the division of my estate except Mary McKim that is if my estate has to pay a bond for J. B. McKim which I am bound in which I consider his part and

Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint R. N. Carter my executor & further more declare my estate to be assumed up by the children as they are all of age without an order from Court in matters whereof I do to this my will set my hand and seal this 4th day of October 1847

Test
J. B. McDaniel Robert N. Carter

J. B. McDaniel
State of Tennessee ³ March Term Carroll County Court
Carroll County ³ At the opening term of said
Court the foregoing paper an-
dug was offered in open Court and duly proven
by the testimony of J. B. McDaniel and ordered to be
received the foregoing being a copy true
W. H. Graves Clerk

Nancy C. Hawthins Will

May the 10th 1846

This my last will and testament I will and bequeath all my lands on the east side of the Lexington Road whereon I now live to my son Nelson Hawthins I also give him my mule and two cows all my good silver two beds and bed clothing to furnish them I also give him my dining table and parian and my chairs and such portion of my cooking vessels as necessary I give him 60 Acres of land on Roanoke Creek or there about near the Sellers also all the provisions that I may have an house 10 head of hogs the balance of what I may have to be divided equally with my other sons I give Little 25⁰⁰ I give five Dollars out of what money I may have and I want it distinctly understood if I have any money that it be loaned out for the benefit of Nelson Hawthins my son
Whereunto I offer my
Nancy C. Hawthins

State of Tennessee April Term 1847 County Court
Carroll County At the above term of the County Court 1847
was produced in open Court the last will and testament of Nancy C.
Hawthins &c and was duly proved by the testimony of J. B. McDaniel
J. B. Harrison A. C. McDaniel J. A. Johnson L. S. Hawthins and ordered
to be received of which the foregoing is a copy true
W. H. Graves Clerk

John H. Craig Will

May 3rd 1847

I John H. Craig do make and publish this as my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time made

First I direct that my funeral expenses all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any monies that I may die possessed of or may first come into the hands of my executor

Secondly it is my will that my beloved wife Mary A. Craig the possession of all my property of every description both real and personal that she dispose of the same at her entire and at the end of two years if the property is all sold including the land then and give the same to the issue of all the effects of my estate between my beloved wife Mary A. Craig and my daughter Sarah J. Craig if it should be thought best to sell the land before that time so soon as it shall be sold then the proceeds together with any rents or other increase from said land to be divided as above unless said division is made otherwise that my wife and child have an ample support out of my effects it is further my will that when the division is made as above that my father John Craig take possession of that part of my estate belonging to my little daughter Sarah but Guardianship and Control the same for her until she is of age

Lastly I do hereby appoint my wife Mary A. Craig my executor and it is my will that she be not required to give bond and security as is usual having full faith that she will execute this my will without any misgiving whereof I do to this my will put my hand and seal this day and date above written

John H. Craig

Signed sealed and published

in our presence and we have subscribed our names in the presence of the testator

this 3rd day of May 1847

S. J. Noack

C. H. Dickson

State of Maryland James Brown 1847

Carroll County of the above day was produced in Court the above pre-superscription and offered for probate as the last will and testament of John H. Craig and was duly proven by the testimony of S. J. Noack & C. H. Dickson

John Morgan Will

In the name of God amen I John Morgan of the County of Carroll and State of Tennessee being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life do therefore make and publish this to be my last will & testament that is to say first I will and bequeath to my present & beloved wife Catherine Morgan two hundred acres of land beginning at the south East Corner of the mill tract running north so as to include the improvements where I now live then west & south for Compromise for her have & to hold during her natural life and then to go to her son Lewis Esq. & Thomas also one negro boy by the name of west for her to have and to hold during her natural life and then to go to her son Lewis Esq. & Thomas also all my house hold & Kitchen furniture including two beds with stools & furniture also two cows & calves and one horse value to be worth one hundred dollars I also bequeath to Lewis Esq. & Thomas as I believe him to be my son one negro girl by the name of Lavinia also one small filly and one bed and furniture I also will & bequeath to my daughter Minerva Morgan one negro girl by the name of Mary valued at \$200 and her increase for her to have and to hold during her natural life and then to go to her brother Lewis also one mare and saddle valued at 45 dollars and two cows and calves valued at \$200 and one bed and furniture valued at \$15 all of which has been delivered

I also will and bequeath to my son Alexander G. Morgan one horse and saddle valued at \$100 and one tract of land valued at \$500 all of which he has received I also will and bequeath to my son Robert Morgan one horse and saddle valued at \$100 and one cow and calf valued at \$120 and one house and lot valued at \$150 and one bed & stool & furniture valued at \$200 and one hundred acres of land valued at \$500 all of which he has received I also will and bequeath to my son David G. Morgan one horse and two mules valued at \$200 and one saddle value at \$100 and one stable horse valued at \$300 and one mare valued at one hundred and one bed valued at \$100 all of which he has received I also will and bequeath to my son Robert Morgan one horse and saddle valued at \$100 and one mare valued at \$100 all of which he has received I also will and bequeath to my son Robert Morgan

John Morgan Will

and saddle valued at \$1000 and \$500 in cash and 110
 acres of land valued at \$10000 and one horse valued
 at \$100 all of which he has received. Also I will and bequeath
 to my daughter Martha Morgan one negro girl by the name of
 Liddy for her to have and to hold her and her increase
 during her natural life and then to her lawfully born children
 at once and one bed and furniture and saddle valued at \$200
 all of which she has received. Also I will and bequeath
 to my son John Morgan one horse and saddle valued at \$400
 and one mare valued at \$1000 all of which he has received
 and one hundred acres of land valued at \$10000 to his
 children where he has lived also I will him one negro boy
 by the name of Calum for him to have and to hold during his
 natural life and then to his children in whole for any debt
 he may contract during his life and three dollars in money which
 is all he is to have of my estate. Also I will and bequeath to my
 daughter Sarah E. Morgan one negro girl by the name of Carry
 and her increase hereafter for her to have and to hold
 during her natural life and then to her lawfully born children
 at five hundred dollars and one bed and furniture and one
 saddle valued at \$200 all of which she has received. Also I
 will all the balance of any of my property after paying
 my just and lawful debts to be held by my executors and
 after settling in what they have old debts received the
 residue to be equally divided between Marianne E.
 Morgan, Susan E. Morgan, David C. Morgan, Robert M. Morgan,
 Albert E. Morgan, Martha Morgan, Sarah E. Morgan.
 Likewise I constitute and appoint Alexander E. Morgan to
 be executor of this my last will and testament hereby revoc-
 ing all other wills by me at any time made in witness where-
 of I have hereunto subscribed my hand and affixed
 my seal the twenty eighth day of June in the year of our
 Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty.

John Morgan

The above written instrument was subscribed by the said John
 Morgan in our presence and acknowledged by him to each of
 us and he at the same time published to be his last will and
 testament and we at the testator's request and in his presence
 have signed our names as witnesses.

Peter Roper

Shes Roper

William M. Cobb's will

In the name of God being of sound mind I think
 proper to make this my last will and testament
 First I recommend my soul to almighty God my body I
 desire to be decently buried and concerning my tempo-
 ral estate I give and bequeath as follows
 First that my funeral expenses and just debts be paid
 Secondly I give and bequeath to my unmarried daughters Catharine
 & Martha Susan Cobb each individually as much in
 money or property as I have hitherto given to my married
 daughters Margaret Benson Ella Caroline Hope Elizabeth
 John from my own and Lucretia Forrest's
 Thirdly I give and bequeath to my wife Sarah whatever she has
 of this State (Tennessee) allow in such case during her
 natural life and after her death whatever may be left
 of it to go to my youngest son James Samuel Allen &
 bequeath to her Sarah Cobb & one third interest in a
 note which I hold against William J. and A. S. Cobb my
 Elder sons for one thousand dollars to be paid in money
 or land to her during her natural life and at her
 death to go to my youngest son James Samuel from
 dues this should be any thing left
 Fourthly I give and bequeath to my youngest son James Samuel
 the remaining part of two thirds interest in the above
 named note and William J. & A. S. Cobb to be disposed
 of as follows until the process of law finds of said note
 shall be put to interest at my death and kept at interest
 to the best advantage till the James Samuel is twenty
 one years of age and then paid over to him
 Fifthly after the full first articles of this my last will and
 testament I give and bequeath to my two elder sons
 J. and Alexander S. Cobb whatever may be left of my
 personal estate to be divided equally
 I do make William J. and Alexander S. Cobb the executors
 of this my last will and testament revoking all others here-
 tofore made by me in witness whereof I hereunto set my
 hand and affix my seal this 28th day of June 1847.

Witness
 David McDaniel
 W. B. Chandler

Wm. M. Cobb
 made

State of Tennessee August Term 1847.
 Court of the County of the County Court
 said will was duly proved by subscribing witnesses
 and ordered to be recorded the above being a copy of the
 M. H. Graves Clerk

Hardy Todd Will

I, Hardy Todd do make and publish this my last will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any other time made

First I will that funeral expences be paid as soon as possible after my death out of any moneys that I may die possessed of or may first come in into the hands of my executor 2^d It is my will that my wife Amanda remain at my present residence and have a sufficiency of Land for her support during her life time or widow here. I also will that she have all my household & kitchen furniture with the exception of one Brause and one bedstead and feather bed. I will one grey mare one cow and calf and my stock of hogs & sheep one half of the present crop on the farm belongs to my son F. C. Todd by contract the half I will that my wife Amanda have all of my part of the corn crop out of the proceeds my part of the present crop of cotton. I will that my debt be paid and out of what may be left after paying my debts I will that my son F. C. Todd having money enough to buy bricks enough to build a brick chimney to the house in which he now lives and pay for the putting up of same the remainder money from the proceeds of said cotton crop. I will to my wife Amanda I will that my son F. C. Todd have my wagon and Oxen but that he is allow my wife to have the use of wagon and Oxen to do what hawking she may need done as he keeps them. I also will F. C. Todd one saddle one shot gun my stock in the Memphis & Ohio Railroad Company and all other notes and accounts due me I will to my son F. C. Todd Lastly I do hereby nominate & appoint F. C. Todd my executor In witness whereof I do to this my last will set my hand and seal this 15th Sept 1866.

Witness Samuel M. Cracken
L. R. B. Hamilton

Thompson Enochs Will

In the name of Amen I Thompson Enochs being awake in body but of sound mind do make and publish this my last will and Testament
Item 1st I will my soul to God and my body to the Dust out of which it was taken

Item 2^d My Land Consisting of 341 Acres more or less I will to my well beloved Daughter Cynthia Enochs to have and to hold to her only child during her natural life and then to be divided among my other children here according to the Law of Decent. Said Land lies in 15 Civil Dist. of Garret County Tennessee

Item 3^d My Mare and Cow which cost Two hundred Dollars I will to my said well beloved Daughter Cynthia

Item 4th My Gun wheel & Shaft which are at B. Williams Sales will to my said Daughter Cynthia they are worth seventy five Dollars

Item 5th My Rifle gun I will to my Son Gabriel Enochs

Item 6th My shot gun I will to Grace A. Reed

Item 7th All my house hold property I will to my Daughter to Dispose of as she thinks proper and I hereby appoint my sons Gabriel B. and Isaac S. my lawful Executors In Testimony of which I hereunto assign my name and affix my seal November 14th 1867

Int G. Smith

J. N. Wood

Thompson Enochs

John Pickler Will

In the name of God Amen I John Pickler of Carver County Minnesota being sick in body but of sound disposing mind & memory do declare & make this my last will and Testament revoking all others

1st I request that after my Death my body be decently buried and my funeral expenses paid and all my just debts paid

2nd I bequeath the tract of land 113 acres or which I live to my wife Eda Pickler During her Natural life also two horses Cattle & big sheep farming tools & all my house hold & kitchen furniture After the Death of my wife my said tract of land & all other property that may then be on hand I leave & bequeath to my friend Ephraim W. Williams & his heirs In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal

May 26th 1882

Witnessed & sealed in the presence of us
G. D. Cox
W. S. Patterson
minn

John Pickler (Seal)
mark

James L. McDonald Will

I James L. McDonald of the County of Carver and State of Minnesota do make and publish this my last will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time made

1st I Direct that my funeral Expenses and all my Debts be paid as soon after my Death as possible Out of any monies that I may be possessed of or may first come into the hands of my Executors here after named

2nd I have given and Delivered to my son John L. McDonald a Negro boy named Green and other property to the value of Twelve hundred & forty five Dollars and twenty seven cents as per Account charged to him and to him forever

3rd I have given to my son James M. McDonald a Negro boy named Manuel and other property amounting to Eleven hundred & sixty six Dollars and sixty two cents Delivered to him since the delivery of said Negro I have redeemed him by paying for my son James M. McDonald One Thousand Dollars as per Bill of sale I hold for said Negro I wish him to keep the said Negro by accounting for an additional Thousand Dollars Making in all Twenty one hundred & sixty six Dollars and sixty two cents all of which is charged to him

4th I give to my Daughter Tabitha Person in her life time One hundred and eighty eight Dollars and eighty seven cents I also give to her husband Five Dollars & I now give in the hands of my Daughter Jane as Trustee a Negro girl named Betty of the value of eight hundred Dollars with her future increase Also One Cow & Calf for the sole benefit of Anne Persons and her being heirs I also leave in the hands of my Daughter Jane as Trustee a Negro girl named Asaelin of the value of Eight hundred Dollars with her future increase Also a Cow & Calf for the sole benefit of Anna Persons and her being heirs Ann and Asaelin being the only heirs of my Daughter Tabitha Person Dec.

5th I have given to my son Joseph E. McDonald a Negro boy named Gabriel together with other property amounting to Eleven hundred & forty nine Dollars as paid

6th I leave in the hands of Robert Green and his wife Catharine Trustees for my daughter Jane a Negro girl named Jennie worth One thousand dollars with her future increase also One Cow & Calf for the sole benefit of my said daughter Jane and her heirs of her body I also give to my Daughter Jane with her Charge my slave Leason with all her house servants & bridle Cow land & furniture taken she may need such & account for same

7th I have given to my son Samuel L. McDonald a Negro man named Tom of the value of One Thousand Dollars I deliver the same as per Account also one Horse

8th I have given to the care of Joseph E. McDonald Trustee for my Daughter Catharine Green One Negro girl named Parvella with her future increase together with other property amounting to Eleven hundred and fifty two Dollars & sixty cents as per Account

9th I give to my son William L. McDonald One Negro boy named Granite worth One Thousand Dollars also a brown Colt worth One hundred Dollars

10th I give to my beloved wife Charity McDonald my say Man Buggy & Harness One Feather bed and furniture to Dispose of as she may think proper all the rest and residue of my Estate real personal and Movable of which I shall die seized and possessed or to which I shall be entitled at my death I bequeath to my beloved wife Charity McDonald as a Court During her Natural life Should the Estate become bankrupt from the income of any share of business

James L. McDonald's will

I wish my Executors hereafter named to reduce the same by selling of such surplus as they may think proper at the Death of my wife Charity McDonald I desire that the whole of the Estate both real and personal and mixed be the same and a Credit of one hundred pounds with approved security required and a lien on the same retained until paid for.

It is my will that of the proceeds arising from the sale of every species of property belonging to my estate shall be divided among all of my legitimate issue to make each one's part equal taken in account the amount ^{made} received by each as share in alive should I not receive pay in full and a deed to the same I desire to John Woodgate in my life time I hereby Direct my Executors to make a deed for same when they receive payment in full.

And lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint my son William P. McDonald Executor and my wife Charity McDonald Executrix to this my last will and Testament.

In Testimony whereof I the said James L. McDonald have this day August 27 1863 subscribed my name and affixed my seal.

James L. McDonald (Seal)

Signed sealed and Delivered by the said James L. McDonald as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us both at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

John B. Terry
James Greer
Samuel H. Ferguson

(Seal)

J. R. A. Martin's Will.

I J. R. A. Martin Do Make and publish this as my last will and Testament hereby Revoking and making void all other wills by me made at any other time first I Direct that my funeral Expenses and all my Debts be paid as soon after my Death as possible out of any Money that I may be possessed of or may first come into the hands of my Executors. I desire to give and bequeath to my wife Charity all my property after my Debt is paid to be hers during her life time or to remember them to my heirs I do hereby nominate and appoint J. R. A. Martin my Executors without reserve of I do to this my will set my hand and seal this 6th day of July 1867.

J. R. A. Martin (Seal)

Signed and Sealed in Our presence And we have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the Testator this July the 6th 1867.

(Seal)

W. F. Rogers
F. J. Brant
(Seal)

John Province, Will.

In the name of God Amen I John Province of the County of Carroll and State of Kentucky Considering the uncertainty of this mortal life and being of sound mind and memory Bless be almighty God for the same Do make & publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First All my Just debts I owe any at the time of my death to be punctually paid

2^d All my Estate Real & personal of whatever kind it may be it is my will and desire that it be sold to the best advantage either publicly or privately and that the proceeds of the same be equally divided between my Daughter Mary Jane Bellett and my three Grand Daughters (Wife) Mary Ann One formerly Mary Ann Bellett Susan Jane Bellett Jane Eliza Bellett Bellett that is to say my Daughter Mary Jane Bellett to have one half of the proceeds of my Estate and the other half to be equally divided between my three Grand Daughters above named

Lastly I appoint My son Andrew M. Province Executor of this my last will & Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made in writing whereby I have heretofore set my hand and seal this 24th day of August 1861

Signed sealed & published in the presence of us

Marling Garde

J. H. Tillman

John D. Carroll

John Province

James Greer Will

In the name of God Amen

I James Greer of the County of Carroll and State of Tennessee being of sound mind and disposing memory but calling to mind the transitoriness of all earthly objects and that it is appointed to man once to die do hereby declare and make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following First it is my will that my Just debts and funeral expenses be paid Second I will and bequeath to my wife Eliza Greer all the Slaves that I got with her at the time of our marriage viz Eliza Henry Julia and child Polly Jane married Elmer Aron and also gave her Polly and her three children in lieu of two that I got with her which I have sold

It also will and bequeath to her my said wife the Tract of land wherein Henry married now lives this all in consideration of means being furnished me by her to pay for the same there not due me on the same twelve months labour at the Bay Henry mention above I also will and bequeath to her my said wife the one and half of my present residence together with one hundred acres of my cleared and tillable land to be sold off by my Executors so as to include my gin house and to include a fair proportion of the poorer and more fertile land also free accip and use of timber for firewood and other necessary purposes to keep up said buildings and frame to have and be held by her for her own proper use during her natural life or widowhood or so long as she may choose to live thereupon during her widowhood I also give to her two work horses three cows and a sufficient portion of my farming utensils for the cultivation of her farm together with an equal division of my hogs with my several children I also will and bequeath to her all the household and kitchen furniture that I became possessed of by marrying with her giving her the right to designate and select the same

3rd I also will and enjoin it on my Executors to retain in their hands a sufficient amount of my effects to support comfortably my aged Mother Sarah Greer giving to her the right and privilege of choosing the place in which to spend her last days I also will and appoint that the remainder of my perishable and real Estate be equally divided among my four children taking into consideration the amounts already given to them either in Slaves or furniture Stock &c. said amounts to be accounted to them at a fair valuation as belonging to the Estate giving to my Son Robert Aron in the sum of \$1000 &c &c &c

& preference of that division of my land on which he
now lives and in order that this my last will and
testament may be faithfully executed and carried out
I do hereby appoint A. B. Cooper James Butler and
Robert Greer Executors of this my last will and
testament. In testimony of which I do hereunto set
my hand and seal this 31st day of July 1852 in the
presence of A. B. Cooper & W^m G. Cooper

Test A. B. Cooper for
W. G. Cooper

James Greer Test

Chas. Wingo, Secy. of A. B. Cooper

Salmon Wingo Will

Know all men by these presents that I Salmon Wingo of
Cassell County Tenn being about to leave home do hereby
make these provisions about my matters after all of
my just debts are paid & my wife shall receive her
portion according to law the balance to be equally divided
between my four sons to wit Chas. Wingo J. R. Wingo W. G.
Wingo & J. A. Wingo and that I Salmon Wingo I do appoint
to manage all my lawful matters without being compelled
by the Court to give bond and security. & also in
succession J. R. Wingo & W. G. Wingo & J. A. Wingo in part of
wish all my business to be managed by my family or my
sons if they should want men to value and divide or let off
for them as they may agree as all are of age I would prefer
that all my estate be kept together for two years or longer
I have advanced \$300 in advance of the others for his
expenses at Waverly College for which he will
account for at the proper time of division. & 1 January 1853

Witness
Jas. Adkins
Wm. Leamore

Salmon Wingo in
fact

J. G. Noell's Noncupative Will

On the 1st day of March 1868 J. G. Noell deceased in his last sickness at his own habitation in Carroll County, Tennessee declared in the presence of the undersigned whom he especially requested to bear witness thereto that his will was as follows that he wanted his wife Harriet to have and control all of his property that he wanted her to dispose of any thing privately or publicly. She did not want that he wanted her to keep everything together and raise the children that he wanted her with the assistance of ^{pay his debts} ~~his~~ ^{her} ~~husband~~ ^{husband} to wind up and settle his business that if necessary to be wanted his property on the square of Huntington to be sold that he wanted his stock &c. sold privately to go the payment of his debts but he wanted nothing sold at sacrificing prices that he wanted his wife Harriet to have all of his property after paying his debts the said J. G. Noell died on 2nd day of March 1868

J. M. Beckwith
H. A. Bryant

James M. Martin's will

The noncupative will of James M. Martin made by him at his residence in Carroll County, Tennessee, in his last sickness on Tuesday the 14th day of April 1868 when he died on the 21st day of April 1868 to which we Newton Cox and Elizabeth Cox were called upon by the said James M. Martin on said first mentioned day that it was his last will and testament, when he specially requested that we should bear witness to the following disposition of his Estate

That is to say After the payment of all his just debts he desired his wife Mary L. Martin to have all and every part of his estate for her support and the support Education and maintenance of his children.

He further desired that his wife should complete the funeral, the material of which he had purchased and was the material in so doing; but that the offer should not be completed; that she should sell his books medicine and other property and collect his debts and pay off his debts, and finally that she should be his executrix to this his will. In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals the 28th day of April 1868

Newton Cox ^{Witness}
Elizabeth Cox ^{Witness}

Protested in open court June 1st 1868

Carroll County Court June Term 1868

This day came into open court the subscribing witnesses, Newton Cox and Elizabeth Cox and proved the foregoing to be the last will and testament of J. M. Martin deceased and it is ordered by the Court that the same appear of record

Cyrus Wilson ^{clerk}

I Sanford Edwards of the County of Carroll and State of Tennessee being of sound memory but feeble in body, do make and publish this as my last will and Testament hereby revoking and declaring null and void all wills heretofore made by me,

1st I desire all of my just debts to be paid by my Executor herein appointed out of any monies that may be on hand at my death or that may come into his hands thereafter,

2nd I have heretofore advanced to my sons Joseph Edwards Anderson Edwards and James F Edwards and my daughter Nancy Fuzzell Two hundred dollars each and to my daughter Elizabeth Terry fifty dollars which I desire them to account for as advancements in the distribution and final settlement of my estate,

3rd I will and bequeath to my son S W Edwards the lot of land known as No 1 in the division of my three hundred acre tract and which he drew at that time valued at three hundred ^{and fifty} dollars and the said S W Edwards is hereby commanded to pay William H Edwards one hundred and fifty dollars as so much advanced to him of the two hundred dollars intended to be given to each child in this Testamentary and a lien is hereby retained in favor of the said W H Edwards for the payment of said debt, only, but not subject to the payment of any debt the said Wm H Edwards may now owe or may hereafter contract,

4th It is my will that my executor to be hereinafter appointed, after my death, shall proceed to sell publicly or privately the lot of land known as No 2 in said allotment and lying north of the one given to S W Edwards, also lot No 6 lying in the north east corner of said three hundred acre survey, and purchased by me from Joseph Edwards and Nancy Fuzzell, and the proceeds thereof to be paid over as follows, to Mrs Elizabeth Terry one hundred and fifty dollars, she having already received Fifty dollars, and Two hundred dollars to Jas Edwards and the balance if any to be paid as hereafter directed,

5th It is my will that S W Edwards have lot No 5 in said division, allotted to Anderson Edwards, the said S W Edwards (as I am informed and believe) having paid the said Anderson two hundred dollars, his distributive part as intended in this paper, provided always that the said S W Edwards shall pay or cause to be paid unto the heirs of Wm Sedford deceased, one hundred and fifty dollars and a lien is hereby retained in favor of said heirs until the above amount is paid, or

It is to be understood by those interested in this will that the lots of land above alluded to, is sufficient to contain fifty acres each or one sixth of the original tract, conveyed to me by Thomas H Hays.

6th It is my will and desire (that if S W Edwards shall provide for and take that care and interest for my comfort and ease, due one of my age, and that due from a child to a parent, for and during my natural life) after my death that the said S W Edwards is to have the fifty acres of land on which I now live at my death, or at that rate for the length of time he does provide for me, But should he fail or neglect to take care of and provide for me, then and in that event my Executor is to sell the same at his discretion and the proceeds thereof, after paying expenses &c to be equally divided between my children then living or their representatives and all other shares or monies are to be equally divided between them all.

7th I hereby nominate and appoint my friend George H Finner to execute and carry out this my last will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 19th day of March 1868

Witness
N B Shoffner
J. J. Tate

Sanford
X Edwards
mark

Carroll County Tennessee 25th November 1855

I David Tugua This day being in my good mind and senses do make my last will and testament in the name of God amen. I give to my loving wife Mary Tugua a tract of land lying on dry creek so called about two miles East of ~~Chilmanville~~ ^{Chilmanville} a tract of called the Cut Lane tract, of land, ^{supposed} to be one hundred and twenty acres to be the same more or less to be, and my wife Mary Tugua to have and hold in peaceable possession during her life if said Mary Tugua should marry again she has no more claim on said land, so soon as she marries, and if my daughter Elizabeth Tugua should be married at the death of her mother said land to be equally divided among my three children (viz) Walter S Tugua and William H H Tugua and my daughter Elizabeth and if said E Tugua should not be married, at the death of her mother nor dead herself said tract of land to be sold at the highest bidder and my daughter E Tugua to have seventy dollars more of said land money than the two boys (viz) W S Tugua and W H H Tugua and if there should not be personal property enough to pay my just debts for to take the land money and to pay said just debts against me

Witness J F Caraway
W C Gilbert

David Tugua Test

September Term 1868 Carroll County Court

This day a paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of David Tugua deceased, was produced in open court and was duly proven by the testimony of W C Gilbert one of the subscribing witnesses and the hand writing of J F Caraway the other subscribing witness being dead, was proven by the testimony of David McDonald and the said will was by the Court admitted to probate, and ordered to be recorded,

A written will and testament } State of Tennessee
Carroll County

Know all men by these presents that I Joshua Park make and publish this as my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all other will by me at any time made,

first I direct that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any moneys that I may die possessed of or may come first into the hands of my executor

secondly I give and bequeath to Robert W Park my son my home tract of land on which I now reside containing my my residence which tract of land containing one hundred and fifty eight acres to be his forever

Thirdly all the balance of my property to be equally divided between the rest of my heirs, only I want J P Park to have the tract of land in which he lives provided he pays a reasonable portion to the rest of the heirs

Fourthly I do hereby nominate James P Park my executor in witness whereof I do to this my will set my hand and seal

Joshua Park

assigned and sealed and subscribed in our presence and we have subscribed our names in the presence of the testator this 31st day of July 1868

attest J H Stokes

J M Hodge

Proven in open Court October the 5th 1868
and ordered to be recorded Cyrus W. Allen clerk

James Rogers will

In the name of God amen. I James Rogers of the County of Carroll county and State of Tennessee being in good health and sound in mind do this 6th day of February 1868 doth make and publish this to be my will and desire, that all of my just debts and burying expenses be paid; secondly my wish and desire is that J. N. Rogers son of Benjamin Rogers that I raised have one thousand dollars out of my estate secondly my wish and desire is that Crook commonly call a darkey and Newton Buchanan his brother have the remainder of my estate to be equally divided between them by my executors to be herein after mentioned, which will see that this be executed. last of all I make and appoint J. N. Rogers and Isaac Pritchard executors to this my last will wherof I assign my name

James Rogers

State of Tennessee, November Term 1868 Carroll County Court
Carroll County

The above will was produced in open Court and admitted to probate on the sworn testimony of Atlas Rogers, Norwood Rogers and H. C. Brannon that they believed it to be in the hand writing of the testator and thereupon ordered by the court to be recorded and letters testamentary issued to Isaac Pritchard.

Cyrus Wilson clerk

George Whitehorn will

I George Whitehorn of the County of Carroll State of Tennessee planter do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking ~~all~~ making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made. And first I direct that my body be decently interred at the graveyard near James Hamptons in said county in a manner suitable to my condition in life, and as to such worldly estate as it hath pleased god to entrust me with I dispose of the same as follows.

first. I direct that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any monies that I may die possessed of or may first come into the hands of my executor from any portion of my estate real or personal.

secondly. I wish all my estate both personal and real to be sold by my executor on a credit of two or three months after giving thirty days notice at three public places in said county.

Thirdly. I wish all the proceeds of my estate equally divided among my living children to wit Jacob H. Whitehorn, Rebecca Starn, Martha C. D.

George Whitehorn will continued

Joseph N. Whitehorn, Virginia Whitehorn, John Whitehorn; I further more wish my two grand children heirs of David Whitehorn to have the part of my estate due their father (to wit) my distributive share.

Fourthly. It is my desire that the note I hold against J. M. Egell for ninetythree dollars due the 2^d January 1856 with all the interest that accrues thereon be taken out of the part due Martha Egell and the remainder I wish to go to the said Martha Egell and her heirs lawfully.

Fifthly. I wish my son Jacob H. Whitehorn to have the entire care and benefit of my servant Martin, free of charge until my death to remunerate him the said Jacob H. Whitehorn for my support and maintenance in my old age. I do hereby make certain and appoint my beloved son Jacob H. Whitehorn executor of this my last will and testament, in witness whereof I George Whitehorn the said testator have to this my will written on one sheet of paper set my hand and seal this 25th June in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and fiftyseven,

George Whitehorn (State)

signed sealed and published in the presence of us who have subscribed in the presence of the testator and of each other

Jacob Keumble
Wilson Nesbitt

State of Tennessee, November Term 1868 Carroll County Court
Carroll County

The above will was produced in open court and proven by the oaths of the subscribing witnesses, and ordered by the court to be recorded and letters testamentary issued to

Cyrus Wilson clerk

Thomas Rowlands will

In the name of God amen. I Thomas Rowlands of the County of Carroll and State of Tennessee being aged and infirm in body but of perfect mind and memory and not knowing the time of my death do appoint and constitute this my last will and testament in manner and form following.

First. I resign my spirit to God who gave it, and my body to the land to be buried in a neat and christian like manner and as to my earthly goods of which I am possessed if I dispose of them in the following manner.

Item 1st. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Rowland all my land and plantation whereon I now live, with all necessary farming utensils, one horse