

I, B. F. Bell, of Alexandria, St. Albans County, Vermont, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make and publish this as my last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all wills by me heretofore made.

I. I will and direct that my executor hereinafter appointed, pay all my debts and funeral expenses of the first money coming into his hands.

II. Realizing that my executor will be at considerable trouble and expense in winding up my estate, I hereby give and bequeath to him a note I hold against him, dated Feb. 9, 1922, for the sum of Two hundred and Fifty dollars, and I direct him to cancel the same and that it not be held as an asset of my estate.

III. I will and direct that executor take charge of my entire estate, both personal and real, of which I may die seized and possessed of, and convert the same into cash as soon as he deems best for the interest of my estate, that I leave to his discretion and judgment, and loan out all cash on good and solvent security, and from the proceeds or income of the same, I direct that my executor pay my daughter, Annie Ray Bell, annually, a sufficient amount to support her decently and in keeping with her former living, and in case the said income is not sufficient to do this, I direct that he encroach upon the principal, whatever amount necessary so to do.

IV. I direct that my said executor hold all my estate in trust as above set out, for the use and benefit of my said daughter, Annie Ray Bell, so long as she lives single, and if she should die before marrying then, I bequeath whatever amount that may be left in the hands of the said executor, to my grandson, Byron Dinger, but in case the said daughter, Annie Ray Bell, should marry, then I direct and bequeath my entire estate to be divided equally between my said daughter, Annie Ray Bell and grandson, Byron Dinger.

V

I hereby authorize and empower my executor to sell any or all of my real estate of which I may be seized and possessed of, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to make the purchases, or purchasers warranty deeds to the same, in as full and complete manner as if I were living and doing the same myself.

VI

I hereby nominate and appoint my beloved grandson, Byron Dinger, as my executor to carry out this my last will and testament without bond.

B. F. Bell.

This April 6th 1927.

We, Geo. L. Lester and Dallas C. Stark, at the request of B. F. Bell, the within testator, and in his presence and in the presence of each other, do hereby sign our names as witnesses to the above will and the signature of the testator.

Witnesses:

Geo. L. Lester.

Dallas C. Stark.

Filed March 9, 1934.

J. F. Roy - Clerk.

I, B. F. Bell, of Alexandria, Schell County, Tennessee, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make and publish this as my last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all wills by me heretofore made.

I. I will and direct that my executor hereinafter appointed, pay all my debts and funeral expenses of the first money coming into his hands.

Realizing that my executor will be at considerable trouble and expense in winding up my estate, I hereby give and bequeath to him a note I hold against him dated Feb. 9, 1922, for the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty dollars, and I direct him to cancel the same and that it not be held as an asset of my estate.

III. I will and direct that executor take charge of my entire estate, both personal and real, of which I may be seized and possessed of, and convert the same into cash as soon as he deems best for the interest of my estate that I leave to his discretion and judgment, and loan out all cash on good and solvent security, and from the proceeds or income of the same, I direct that my executor pay my daughter, Annie Ray Bell, annually, a sufficient amount to support her decently and in keeping with her former living, and in case the said income is not sufficient to do this, I direct that he entrench upon the principal, whatever amount necessary so to do.

IV. I direct that my said executor hold all my estate in trust as above set out, for the use and benefit of my said daughter, Annie Ray Bell, so long as she lives single, and if she should die before marrying them, I bequeath whatever amount that may be left in the hands of the said executor, to my grandson, Byron Dinger, but in case the said daughter, Annie Ray Bell, should marry, then I direct and bequeath my entire estate to be divided equally between my said daughter, Annie Ray Bell and grandson, Byron Dinger.

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I hereby authorize and empower my executor to sell any or all of my real estate of which I may be seized and possessed of, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to make the purchases or purchasers warranty deeds to the same, in as full and complete manner as if I were living and doing the same myself.

VI

I hereby nominate and appoint my beloved grandson, Byron Dinger, as my executor to carry out this my last will and testament without bond.

B. F. Bell.

This April 6th 1927.

We, Geo. S. Lester and Dallas A. Stark,

at the request of B. F. Bell, the within testator, and in his presence and in the presence of each other, do hereby sign this instrument as witnesses to the above will and the signature of the testator.

Witnesses:

Geo. S. Lester.

Dallas A. Stark.

Filed March 9, 1934.

J. F. Ray, Clerk.

Being of sound mind and disposing memory, but, old and in feeble health, I, Maggie Driver, do hereby make and publish this, my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time made.

I direct, my executor hereinafter named to sell the property herein after provided for and pay my burial expenses and any doctors bills I may incur, this to be done as soon as practical after my death, and he is authorized to sell either publicly or privately, as he deems best.

I will and bequeath to Fannie Allen, Bud Allen's widow, all of my property consisting of household and kitchen furniture, except one drugget and one cooking stove and one heater.

I will and bequeath to Maude Susan Betty, one drugget herein excepted from the other devise, and direct my executor to sell the two stoves and pay my burial expenses if my insurance fails to pay it, and to pay any doctors bills.

I hereby nominate and appoint L. M. Williams executor to this will, and excuse him from making bond or settlement with the County Court, this in order to save the expense of a full administration. And if there is anything left after paying my funeral expenses and doctors bills from the money from the estate he will keep that as his compensation.

Attest:

Elizabeth Williams
Macon (ump).

We hereby certify that Maggie Driver published the foregoing paper as her last will and testament, and signed her names as witnesses to its execution in the presence of the testator and of each other.

This March 5, 1934.

Elizabeth Williams
Macon (ump).

I, Sam E. Odom, DeKalb County, Tenn. being of sound mind and disposing memory and memory, and wishing to make just disposition of all my worldly effects, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former or other wills or testamentary writings, of whatever nature, heretofore made or signed by me.

1st. I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid by my executor as soon after my decease as possible.

2nd. I give and bequeath to Bonnie Estia, all real estate known as the Carrell Johnson land, and all the land in the 4th. Civil District of DeKalb Co., Tenn.

3rd. I give and bequeath to my Three Brothers, Robt L. Odom, Bailey P. Odom and Hall Odom, should they survive me, all the balance of my residue and remainder of my estate, real and personal, of every kind whatsoever.

4th. I direct that the said Robt L. Odom and Bailey P. Odom and W. H. Odom, shall pay over each and every year, during the life, to Sarah Johnson the sum of one hundred and eighty dollars, being interest on three thousand dollars, and request and require my executor to require bond from the said Robt L. Odom, Bailey P. Odom and Hall Odom, that they will pay to said Sarah Johnson the said amount set out in this will.

5th. I nominate and appoint R. L. Odom, Executor of this will.

6th. The amount will Bailey P. Odom in this will is during his life, and to revert back to the said Robt L. Odom and Hall Odom should they survive Bailey P. Odom.

I in witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name, This the 8 - day of January 1923

S. E. Odom

Witness W. M. Davis
Witness G. E. Gindagriff
This January 8 - 1923

Filed March - 17 - 1934
J. F. Roy Clerk.

I, Mrs. Catherine Adcock, being of sound mind and disposing memory do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void any and all other wills by me made at any time heretofore.

First — I will that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of any money that comes into the hands of my Executor hereinafter named to pay the same as soon as is practicable.

Second.

I want a good wire fence put around the graves of my and my husband's graves.

(Fourth) — Third, I want George Young to collect all that is coming to me out of the estate of my husband that is being wound up in the County Court of this county.

(Third) — Fourth.

I want the said George Young to be my Executor of this my last will and testament, without Bond.

Fifth.

I will that the said George Young, Executor, sell all of my personal property and all my real estate which is located in the 7th Civil District of DeKalb County, Tennessee, and out of the proceeds pay Two Hundred Dollars to my daughter, Pearl Young. I will that my Executor sell any and all of my property, private sale, and not public auction.

Sixth.

After the executor complies with the first, second, and fifth paragraphs of this will, I want my following named children to have the remainder of my estate share and share alike: Pearl Young, John Adcock, Benton Adcock and Eric Cope. I hereby authorize the said George Young to make and deliver deed or deeds to my land after my death, and with the same authority as I could do myself while living.

Witness my hand,

on this September 14, 1933.

M. C. Adcock.

We, J. F. Trapp and J. F. Roy the subscribing witnesses, at the request of the said Mrs. Catherine Adcock, being in the presence of each other and also in the presence of the said Mrs. Catherine Adcock, signed said papers as subscribing witnesses after seeing the said Mrs. Catherine Adcock sign said will.

This Sept 14, 1933.

Filed Apr. 2-1934

J. F. Trapp.
J. F. Roy

10/6/33

Dear Mr. Roy

I request you to take Eric Cope's name out of this will + put Mackey Adcock here inst it.

Yours truly,
Catherine Adcock

M. C. Adcock

D. L. Adcock witness

L. C. Adcock

Filed April - 7 - 1934

J. F. Roy clk.

M. L. Love will:

Being of sound mind and disposing memory I M. L. Love, hereby make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void any and all other wills by me at any time made.

First I direct my executor as soon after my death as practicable to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses out of any cash on hand or that may come into his hands.

Second. I will, devise and bequeath to my daughters, Shirley Cantrell and Leticia Chahbom all the property I may die seized and possessed of including my farm in M^o Han County, Ky. and all notes, cash, accounts, and choses in action of every kind and character, each to take one half of said property.

Third. I hereby nominate and appoint Zolla Cantrell Executor of this will.

This May 1-1934

M. L. Love

We certify that M. L. Love executed the foregoing will in our presence, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and we signed the same as witnesses thereto at the request of the testator.

in his presence and in the presence of each other.

This May 1-1934

J. R. Moore

Herbert Pedigo

Filed June 11-1934

J. J. Roy Clerk.

I, J. W. Garner, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time made.

First. First I direct that my executor as soon after my death as practicable pay all my debts and funeral expenses out of any money on hand, or that first that may come into his hands if there should be none on hand. He will also put a monument to my grave of about the same value as that placed at the grave of my deceased wife, and he shall provide a nice casket in which to bury me.

Second. I give and bequeath to my children, B. H. Garner, Finsley Garner, Eula Pedigo, Elsie Helm, Lela Love and Wealthy Garner, all of my property, both real personal and mixed, share and share alike, except my daughter wealthy Garner is to have the same amount of furniture out of the house-hold furniture that the other children got when they married, and if they can all agree on a division of the remainder of the house-hold goods the same is to be divided equally among them, but in the event they cannot agree the executor hereinafter named is to sell the same and equally divide the proceeds.

Third. Any notes or accounts I may hold against any of my children are to be charged to their share of my estate and they are to account for the same.

Fourth. I nominate and appoint my Son Finsley Garner executor of this will.

J. W. Garner

We hereby certify that we sign our names to the foregoing will of J. W. Garner, at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, he declaring the same to be his will in our presence.

This April 13-1928

J. L. Conger

John J. Christian

Filed Aug - 8th 1934

J. J. Roy, Clerk.

Last Will and Testament of
= W. H. Smithson =

I, W. H. Smithson, of Schall County, Tennessee, being of sound mind, but ill health, do hereby make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all wills by me at any time heretofore made,

First: I direct that all my just debts including my funeral expenses and these costs of the administration of my estate, to be paid first by my Executor.

Second: I direct that a suitable marker be placed at my grave by my executor.

Third: I will and direct that my Executor, as soon after my death as possible and practicable, convert all my property of every kind and nature of which I may be seized and possessed, both real estate and personal property into cash and divide and distribute the same to the following named persons, to whom the same is hereby willed and bequeathed by me, in the following amounts and proportions, to-wit:

1. To my grand nephew Bob Smithson, \$3000.00
2. To my grand nephew Jack Henry Smithson, 2000.00
3. To the Trustees of Clear Fork Methodist Church 200.00
4. For tombstone or marker for grave of Ed. Smithson 150.00
5. The balance, or residue, as follows:
 One fifth ($\frac{1}{5}$) to my brother J. B. Smithson;
 One fifth ($\frac{1}{5}$) to my brother A. J. Smithson;
 One fifth ($\frac{1}{5}$) to my brother George Smithson;
 One fifth ($\frac{1}{5}$) to my sister Alice Brizzle;
 One fifth ($\frac{1}{5}$) to my grand nephew Bob Smithson;
 One tenth ($\frac{1}{10}$) to my grand nephew Jack Henry Smithson;
 page two will of W. H. Smithson

Fourth: It is my wish and desire that the amount bequeathed to the Clear Fork Methodist Church, of Massawary, be invested or kept intact and only the interest or income be expended and that for the maintenance and expense of the church and its church property.

Fifth: I give to my Executor hereunder full power and authority to do any and all things necessary and proper to carry out the provisions and direction of this will including the sale of

real estate and the execution of deeds of conveyance thereof.

Sixth: The bequest and dispositions of property herein set out are to the exclusion of all other persons and purposes and is for the distribution of disposition of the entire estate of which I may die seized and possessed.

Seventh: I hereby nominate and appoint my brother A. J. Smithson Executor of this my last will and testament to serve without bond.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this August 27th, 1934

W. H. Smithson

State of Tennessee,
 Schall County,

Signed by the said W. H. Smithson as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us, the undersigned, who, at his request, and in his sight and presence, have subscribed our names hereunto as attesting witnesses the day and date last above written.

J. H. Cummings
 A. L. Colthart

Filed September 10, 1934
 J. Mayberry County Court Clerk.
 By F. B. Young Deputy Clerk

Will of Henry P. Thomas

Near New Middleton Penn
Nov 26. 1907

I Henry P Thomas being in good health & having the right exercise of my mind make this my last will & testament revoking any and all wills that I may have made.

Sec 1 I desire first that my funeral expenses be paid & any other lawful debts that I may owe at my death.

Sec 2 I will & bequeath to my loving wife Martha Ann Thomas all my property both real & personal during her natural life.

Sec 3 I hereby appoint without bond my wife Martha Ann Thomas executrix of this my will.

Sec 4 As to a sale of my property or any part thereof I leave that to her best judgment.

attest
W. H. Lincoln
attest
J. W. Bridger

H. P. Thomas

Filed this Sept 19, 1934

J. Myring County Court Clerk
By F. W. Young D.C.

Will of Willie Stamer

I Willie Stamer, do make and publish this as as my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time heretofore made.

Sec #1 I will and direct that my executor hereafter named pay, all my debts and funeral expenses out of the first money coming into his hands.

" " 2 After section #1 is complied with, I will all the remainder of my real and personal property to my beloved husband Thomas Stamer to do with as he pleases.

" " 3 I, do hereby nominate and appoint my husband Thomas Stamer as my Executor to this my will without bond.

In witness whereof I do to this my will set my hand on this the sixth day of November 1925
Willie Stamer.

The said Willie Stamer on the 6th day of November 1925 signed the foregoing instrument and ~~declared to us as and for her last will & testament~~ as declared to us as and for her last will & testament and we at her request, and in the presence of each other have hereunto written our names as subscribing witnesses on the 6th day of Nov 1925.

O. D. Adonson
Del Singer

Filed Sept 19, 1934

J. Myring County Court Clerk
By F. W. Young D.C.

Will of R. L. Lamberson

I, R. L. Lamberson, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make and publish this as my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void any other wills by me at any time made.

First, I direct that my executor pay all my just debts, including my funeral expenses, out of any money that we be on hand at my death, as that may come into the hands of my executor, and if there is not sufficient personal property to pay the same then my executor is authorized to sell enough real estate to do so.

Second, I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Lavinia Lamberson, all of my property, real and personal and mixed, including my real estate now consisting of one half interest in a tract of land that J. E. Hale and I own and my one half interest in the mill property that he and I now own jointly, together with any other real estate I may own at my death.

Third, I hereby nominate and appoint my wife Lavinia Lamberson, my executrix to carry out this will, and excuse her from making bond as making settlement with the County Court.

This Nov. 28, 1930

R. L. Lamberson

We hereby certify that we have signed our names to this at the request of R. L. Lamberson, in his presence and in the presence of each other, the said R. L. Lamberson declaring this to be his last will and testament.

This Nov. 28, 1930

J. E. Hale
J. L. Rich

Filed October 1st 1934

J. Myyoung, Clerk
By J. H. Young - D.C.

Will of J. F. West

I, J. F. West of DeKalb County Penn. make and publish this as my last will and testament. 1st I appoint my wife Harriett E. West as my executrix to this will to act without bond and asked that the Court does not require bond of her.

2nd I give unto her all my property, both personal and real estate to be used by her as she likes, during her life time for her and the family with full power to sell, transfer or mortgage as she may think best, and should she die before my children all income of age, 21 years old, the minors to have an income or support from same until they become 21 years old, and at my wife's death and the minors reach 21 years of age what is left to be equally divided between all my children.

I acknowledge this as my last will in the presence of the witnesses and here place my signature

Nov. 11, 1934.

Witness

J. E. Longes

Jodie Longes -

Witnessed Nov. 11, 1934

his
J. F. West
mark

Filed Nov. 21, 1934

J. Myyoung, Clerk
By J. H. Young & C.

"Will of A.L. Reynolds"

I, A.L. Reynolds, of Liberty, Penn. R.F.D. #. 4. Co. of Schuylb, State of Penn. being of sound mind and memory and of my own free will and accord, do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills here before made by me,

First: I desire and request that all of my just debts be paid as soon after my death as possible with due respect to my death,

Second: I give, devise and bequeath all that I may die seized and possessed of both real estate and personal property to my beloved wife Ida Reynolds to have and to hold during her lifetime for her benefit to use as she sees fit but no real estate as to be transferred by her.

Third: I give, devise and bequeath to my son H. Clint Reynolds the sum of One Thousand dollars to be paid within one year from the death of my wife Ida Reynolds out of the proceeds of my estate.

I give devise and bequeath to my daughter Chancie Walker wife of Robt. Walker the sum of five hundred dollars to be paid within one year from the death of my wife Ida Reynolds out of the proceeds of my estate.

I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter Gladys Reynolds the sum of five hundred dollars to be paid within one year from the death of my wife Ida Reynolds out of the proceeds of my estate. I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter Daratha Reynolds the sum of five hundred dollars to be paid within one year from the death of my wife Ida Reynolds out of the proceeds of my estate.

Fourth: At the death of my beloved wife Ida Reynolds after the division, bequeaths as set out in section three, have been made or paid I request, devise and bequeath that the remainder of my property be divided equally between my six children as their heirs, namely, Hoyt Reynolds, H. Clint Reynolds, Chancie Walker, wife of Robt. Walker, Bonnie McMillian, wife of Bernice McMillian Gladys Reynolds, Daratha Reynolds.

Fifth: I am making this to be my last will and testament for the purpose of making my six children as named in sec. four equal and should any of my children or beneficiaries with draw from the provisions of this will and attempt to protest or break the same, then in that event the one or ones attempting to protest or break this my will shall cease to be a beneficiary and shall be eliminated as though they had never been named in this Will and the remaining ones share equally.

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after the ones protesting have been eliminated.

Fifth: I hereby designate and appoint my two sons Hoyt Reynolds and H. Clint Reynolds as Executors to this my last Will and testament hereby releasing them from making bond, and empowering them as Executors to sell my real estate within one year from the death of my wife Ida Reynolds after advertising said land for twenty days or as the law directs in Executor sales and execute a deed to the purchaser for the purpose of division as winding up my estate as set out in this my last Will and testament.

Witness my hand this Sept. 6th 1934.

A.L. Reynolds

Witnesses, { P.E. Drives
S.C. Robinson, M.D.

We P.E. Drives and Dr. S.C. Robinson witness the signature of A.L. Reynolds the testator to the above Will at his request he having signed said will in our presence and we having signed the same as witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other.

Witness our hands this Sept. 6th 1934.

P.E. Drives,

S.C. Robinson, M.D.

Probated and filed Jan. 7, 1935.

J. Mayoring, Clerk.
By F. H. Young, D.C.

Will of P. H. Starnes

I, P. H. Starnes being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make publish and declare this to be my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

- 1; I will that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid by my executor hereafter named as soon after my death as practical, out of any money that may come into his hands.
- 2; Having already given and delivered to Mrs. Maggie Jackson all of my household and kitchen furniture. I will and request to my cousin Mrs. Maggie Jackson all the rest, residue and remainder of my property both real and personal of whatever kind and nature that I may be seized and ~~possessed~~ possessed of.
- 3; I nominate and appoint Mrs. Maggie Jackson my sole executrix without bond to execute this my last will and testament.

This the 11 day of Jan. 1935

P. H. Starnes

We B. N. Nixon and H. L. Anderson, at the request of P. H. Starnes and in his presence and in the presence of each other, hereby witness his signature to this his last will and testament.

This 11 day of Jan. 1935.

H. L. Anderson
B. N. Nixon

Filed Jan. 26, 1935

J. M. Spring, Clerk

By J. M. Spring D.C.

"Will of Mrs. Rebecca Exum"

I, Rebecca Exum, of Schell County, Tennessee, being in feeble health of body but of sound mind and disposing memory, do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking any former will by me made.

- Item I. I nominate and appoint my son James Howard Exum executor of this will, and direct that he be permitted to qualify and serve as such Executor without giving surety or his bond.
- Item II. I direct my Executor to pay all my just debts, including expenses of my last illness, funeral expenses, and expenses of administration, including my estate, as well as all taxes, including estate or inheritance taxes that may be assessed on the devise and gifts under this will.

Item III. My home place of about 140 acres located in the sixteenth Civil District of Schell County, Tennessee, I devise in the following way:

- (a) An undivided one half interest in and to said lands to my son James Howard Exum;
- (b) The other undivided one half interest to Mrs. Jewel Carlisle, of Nashville, Tennessee, in trust for the following stated uses and purposes, to-wit:

So long as my son Drake Exum lives she is to use the net profits as income or rental therefrom for his care, maintenance and support. At his death said trust shall cease and terminate and said one half undivided interest shall belong to said Mrs. Jewel Carlisle absolutely, to do with as she pleases.

Should said Mrs. Jewel Carlisle die before said Drake Exum, then upon his death said trust estate shall be the absolute property of the heirs at law of said Mrs. Jewel Carlisle, to do with as they please.

Said Mrs. Jewel Carlisle as such trustee is hereby given full power and authority to sell, transfer, rent, lease and convey, and to execute all necessary and proper papers and deeds to sell, transfer, lease rent and convey, said one half interest in said tract of land, as well as to likewise sell, transfer, rent, lease and convey any other property in which the proceeds therefrom may be invested or reinvested by her, and she is likewise given full power and authority to invest and reinvest such trust funds.

Will of Mrs. Rebecca Exum continued

Item IV. Should there be any personal property left after payment of the expenses, ~~as~~ as directed in Item II hereof, I give and bequeath such residue to my son James Howard Exum.

Item V. Said Mrs. Joel Carlisle, Trustee, is further authorized and empowered to use any part of the corpus of the trust fund that she may deem necessary for the support and care of my said son Drake Exum. I have great confidence in her judgment and integrity, and know she will do what is for his best interest. She is excused from giving ~~any bond~~ any bond as such Trustee.

Item VI. Should my son Drake Exum die before I do then the one half interest in my home place which I have hereinabove provided to go to Mrs. Joel Carlisle in trust, shall go to her absolutely, to do with as she pleases.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 20th day of November, 1934, at Nashville, Tennessee.

Mrs. Rebecca Exum

Signed by the said Mrs. Rebecca Exum as and for her last will and testament in the presence of us, the undersigned, who, at her request, and in ~~her~~ sight and presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names hereto as attending witnesses, the day and date above written.

Miss Polly Head
address: Springfield, Penn.
Earl C. Lowry, M.D.
address: Resident Surgeon,
St. Thomas Hosp.
Nashville, Penn.

Filed this February
2nd 1935.

J. Mayhew Clerk
By J. Mayhew D.C.

Will of William Oakley

I William Oakley do make this my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all all others say me at anytime made. First I direct that my wife Mary shall have all my property real and personal so long as she lives. And at her death I direct that my son J. C. Oakley shall have all of said property, that is my real and personal property remaining at the death of myself and wife, upon the performance on his part of the conditions and obligations herein mentioned. That is the said J. C. Oakley is to take care ~~and~~ provide for me and my wife Mary during our lifetime, pay all doctor bills and all other legal debts that we may incur during our lifetime, and funeral and burial expenses that may be legally brought against my estate. I further direct and require of my son J. C. Oakley that within two years after the death of my wife he shall pay to my son B. V. Oakley six hundred dollars, to my son P. D. Oakley six hundred dollars, to my daughter Sarah Williams ~~five~~ ^{four} hundred dollars. To my daughter Martha Hill wife of H. D. Hill five hundred dollars. If any of my children herein mentioned shall die before my wife and myself, then all the requirements, conditions and obligations herein mentioned are to pass to their legal heirs, my household and kitchen furniture to be divided equally between J. C. Oakley Sarah Williams and Martha Hill. I further direct that none of my children, herein mentioned as their representatives shall not bring any action against each other for anything they may owe me or for any benefits they may have received from my effects. I hereby relinquish and cancel all debts and obligation that any of my children owe me. Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint J. C. Oakley my executor. In witness whereof I do to this my will set my hand and seal the 28th day of February 1891.

his
William X Oakley
mark

Attest
F. W. Hobson
J. L. Foutch

Filed May 18, 1935.
J. Mayhew Clerk
By J. Mayhew D.C.

-Will-

I, Jim C. Amoret, of the town of Dovelltown, in the County of DeKalb, and the State of Tennessee, being of sound mind memory, and understanding, do make this my last will and testament in manners and form following:

First, I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Lurie Amoret, all my personal and real estate to have and hold in trust, during her life as long as she remains my widow, subject only to the payment of my just debts, funeral and testamentary expenses, and the charge of proving and registering this my will.

Second, at her death what is left to be divided equally between my four children, Floyd Amoret, Charlie Amoret, Lillian Hobson, and Kinnie Palmer.

Third, I hereby appoint my wife Lurie Amoret executrix of this my will, with out bond, and hereby revoke all other wills.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand this the 17th day April 1930.

Witness: P. L. Colthart
 witness: E. F. Adkins

J. C. Amoret

Filed June 1st 1935.
 J. W. Young, Clerk
 By F. H. Young, D.C.

In the name of God, Amen

I, Tennessee Thomas of in the County of Wilson, 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 declare this to be my last will and Testament.

First, I ordain and direct that my Executors hereinafter named, pay all my just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as conveniently may be.

Second, After the payment of such funeral expenses and debts, I give, devise and bequeath to my husband Hardy Thomas all my property both personal and real estate

Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint S. H. Hamilton to be Executor of this my last will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made. In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal, the 17 day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred twenty four

Tennessee Thomas-deal

This instrument was on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said testator Tennessee Thomas to be her last will, and Testament in the presence of us who at her request have subscribed our names thereto as witnesses in her presence and in the presence of each other.

Carl Bass
 H. S. Kennedy
 W. B. Kennedy

Filed June 10, 1935
 J. W. Young, Clerk
 By F. H. Young D.C.

State of Tennessee,
County of Shelby,

I, Lucy Ann Vickers, of said state and County,
being sound and disposing mind and memory, do make
this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all others
that I have heretofore made.

Item one:

I direct that my will be probated and my estate
inventoried under the laws regulating such matters
and the inventory placed of record, and that after
this is done my executor, hereinafter appointed, make
no further return to the County Court ~~there~~ as any other
Court of law acting and doing as such executor.

Item two:

It is my wish and desire that my just debts be paid
as soon as practicable after my death.

Item three:

I give and bequeath to my daughter, Mrs. Ethel Campbell,
and my son-in-law, J. A. Campbell, all my personal property
of whatsoever nature which consists of notes, money,
household furniture, cows, hogs, etc.

Item four:

Any property not already disposed of, which I may own
at my death, I herein and hereby give unto my daughter,
Mrs. Ethel Campbell, and her husband, J. A. Campbell, to
be theirs absolutely.

Item five:

I hereby name and appoint my daughter, Mrs. Ethel
Campbell, as the executor of my will, and I hereby expressly
relieve my said executor from giving any bond or making
any return to any Court, and all that is required of my
said executor under this will is to probate the same,
and then enter upon and take charge of all my property
as provided in items three and four.

Item six:

I hereby declare and publish this my last will and
testament and in witness thereto, I sign my name and
affix my signature on this and each of the preceding and
following pages of this instrument, there being two
pages in all.

This 4th day of April, 1933.

Lucy Ann Vickers
mark

W. R. Lassiter

signed, sealed, declared and published by Lucy
Ann Vickers as her last will and testament, in the
presence of the undersigned ~~and~~ witnesses thereto,
being called individually and specially.

W. R. Lassiter
Emma Lee Sullen

Filed this 15th day of
June 1933

J. Mayhew, Clerk
By J. Mayhew, D.C.

Last Will and Testament of Emma H. Casor, of Alexandria, Tennessee.

I, Emma H. Casor, widow of P. W. Casor, of Alexandria, Tennessee, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all others by me made at any time heretofore, and especially revoking a will executed by me on the 11th day of December, 1918, and all codicils thereto.

Item No. 1.

I will and direct that my Executor hereinafter named pay all my just and honest debts as soon as practicable after my death, and that in addition thereto he shall pay all my funeral expenses and shall erect over my grave a suitable monument, using his discretion in the selection thereof, and pay the costs thereof out of my estate.

Item No. 2.

I will, devise and bequeath to my son, Lester Casor, the sum of \$1000.00, which will be paid by my executor hereinafter named as soon as practicable after my death.

Item No. 3.

I will, devise and bequeath to my daughter, Annie Hill Smith, of Nashville, Tennessee, the sum of \$6500.00, upon the following conditions, to wit:

Upon my death said sum of \$6500.00 shall be set aside and paid over to A. S. Andrews of Knoxville, Tennessee, as Trustee, who shall hold the same in trust and invest said sum of money at not less than six per cent interest per annum, taking ample security for the repayment thereof, and he shall pay the interest derived therefrom to pay said daughter, Annie Hill Smith, at such times and in such amounts as he deems necessary. Said Trustee is directed further, upon request of my daughter, Annie Hill Smith, to expend said sum of \$6500.00, or so much thereof as is required, to the purchase of a home of the selection of said Annie Hill Smith, provided further that the deed to the home thus purchased shall be made to Annie Hill Smith for and during her natural life, with remainder at her death to her two children, Hilda Smith and James Kirk Smith.

Item No. 4.

The rest and residue of my estate, whether real, personal or mixed, and wherever situated, I will, devise and bequeath to my two daughters, Aileen E. Andrews, of Knoxville, Tennessee, and Annie Hill Smith, of Nashville, Tennessee, share and share alike, but this request is upon the following conditions, to wit:

The property passing under this item of my will shall, as soon as practicable after my death, and as soon as my estate is administered, be paid or turned over to A. S. Andrews of Knoxville, Tennessee, as Trustee, who will hold the same in trust for my two daughters, Annie Hill Smith and Aileen E. Andrews, in the proportions hereinafter designated. Said Trustee is directed to loan said money for not less than six per cent interest, taking ample security therefor, and he shall pay the income derived therefrom to my said two daughters in the proportions designated, at such times and in such amounts as he deems necessary. The request contained in this item of my will is a request for life only. That is to say, that in the event of the death of my said daughter, Annie Hill Smith, her part of the residue of my estate shall go to such of her children as then survive her, share and share alike, and likewise upon the death of my daughter, Aileen E. Andrews, her share of the residue of my estate shall go to such of her children as survive her, share and share alike. Provided however, that if any of the children of either of my said daughters shall be less than twenty-five years of age at the time of the death of their mother, said A. S. Andrews shall hold such child's portion of my estate in trust in the same manner as he was theretofore holding it for such child's mother, such trust to terminate upon such child reaching the age of twenty-five years, at which time such child will receive the portion of my estate going to him as hereinafter provided.

Item No. 5.

In the event that either of my daughters, Annie Hill Smith or Aileen E. Andrews, shall pre-decease me, I will and direct that the portion of my estate which would otherwise go to such daughter so pre-deceasing me, shall go to A. S. Andrews, as Trustee in trust, for the then living children of such daughter, share and share alike, said

Trustee to hold such estate and administer the same as heretofore directed until each of the children of such daughter predeceasing me shall reach the age of twenty-five years, at which time the share of such child shall be paid to him as her in cash.

Item No 6

I nominate and appoint A.S. Andrews, of Knoxville, Tennessee, Executor of this my last will and testament, and require him to execute a bond for the faithful performance of his duties as Executor in the penal sum of \$5000.00, and authorize and empower my said Executor to sell, dispose of and convey any and all real estate of which I may die seized and possessed, and to execute conveyances therefor, which will convey the title thereto as fully as if executed by me in my life time. It is my will further that said Executor shall, as soon practicable after my death, sell all my real estate, convert my entire estate into cash, and distribute and apply the cash proceeds thereof as herinbefore directed. My said Executor is excused from making and filing any reports, inventories or settlements of my estate.

Said A.S. Andrews, as Trustee under this will, shall not be required to give any bond for the faithful performance of his trust until he is discharged as Executor, his bond as Executor being, in lieu of any bond as Trustee, but upon his discharge as Executor, he shall give a bond in the penal sum of \$5000.00 for the faithful performance of his duties as Trustee under this will.

My Executor is given full power to apply and use such part of my estate as may be necessary to defray all expenses incident to the administration of my estate, including attorneys' fees, in case my Executor deems it advisable to employ an attorney to advise and represent him.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and declared this to be my last will and testament, in the presence of witnesses at Knoxville, Tennessee, on this the — day of February, 1929.

Emma H. Eason
Testatrix.

Upon this — day of February, 1929, the testatrix, Emma H. Eason, personally known to us, signed and executed the above will and testament, consisting of five pages, including this one, in our presence, and declared and published the same to be her last will and testament, and being called by her as witnesses to the execution thereof, at her request, and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, we certify that we signed the same as attesting witnesses thereof.

J. A. Lady
Mrs. S. L. Petree
Subscribing witnesses

Filed July 26, 1935.

J. M. Young Clerk

Wind Rock, Tenn.
Jan. 4th, 1932

will of Dr. J. R. Hudson

I may not live long and I am making my will. First I will that all my just debts be paid in full. And I will my beloved wife, the entire farm ^{on which we live} situated partly in 1st dist. DeKalb County Tenn. and partly in 17 dist. Smith County Tenn. I will her also my personal property including live stock, notes and ~~accrue~~ ^{and I make her executor to my will without bond.} on various parties. I will to Mattie Bell Bradner, my beloved daughter, at my wife's death the following plot of land: Beginning on S.E. corner of fence between yard and tobacco patch lot and running with yard and garden fence and after leaving fence to N.W. corner of the barn to the road that we use in hauling from farm to the house and thence with this road (in the middle) to the creek and down the creek to the middle of the lane and thru the lane and in the middle and continuing in the middle of the farm road to the Sulphur well and thence to the corner of the rock fence nearby (few feet), and thence westward with fence to Rollins' line and thence southward and some of this fence may run westward but any way with Rollins' line to Hickman Creek (the middle of creek) and thence rather westward with the middle of creek to the ~~bridge~~ ^{junction} on the public highway over this creek, thence Eastward with a rock fence and highway to beginning, continuing about ⁴⁰ ~~40~~ ⁴⁰ acres. The consideration for the above boundary is that ^{my love and affection and the use of a certain amount of} Mattie Bell Bradner my dear daughter will care for my wife and her mother in the most tenderous way which I believe she will cheerfully do.

I will to Annie Atwell, my beloved daughter, the following tract: Beginning as the first tract on the S. E. Corner of yard fence and running with this fence on to the road that goes just by the barn leaving the barn to this tract and thence with the middle of this road N. E. and to the creek and across to the lane road and with the middle of this road to the sulphur well and thence to cedar tree used as a gate post just a few feet in N. E. direction from well; and thence Eastward with an old fence to the lands better known to me as Mrs Pendletons. Thence Southward with a partnership fence to Dallas Sparks Corner thence with his as ^{my} ~~my~~ fence to the creek. ^{my} ~~my~~ John Goodnurs home; thence up this creek (in the middle) to the mouth of Snows crk; thence up this creek to Mrs. Jennie Smiths and my corner and thence with her and my fence westward to her corner in my line;

thence Southward with his and my fence to here and my
corner near the pike. thence Westward with pike to the beginning
of the corner of tobacco patch and Mattie Belle and Mamie's
beginning corner. This plot of land contains 40 or 45 acres ^{and}
^{located in At. Dist. Duval County, Fla.} and one note of centipede amount
and consideration is for love and affection that I have for my
daughter, Mamie Atwell. This, the above, takes effect at my
wife's death -

Wife death
3d plat: I will this plat, at my wife's death
beginning at the sulphur well and running ^{N^o} Eastward
to a cedar tree a few feet from well in Maria Atwell's line
and Eastward with her line to the lands that was formerly
Moses Pendleton and thence Northward with these lands to
his corner (Pendleton's it use to be) and my corner where my
15 foot road starts Eastward and runs with this formerly
Pendleton line and the back North line of James Harrison
lot and perhaps some ^{other} lots (See Ewin Owen's) to the Rush
Creek and Alexandria public road and thence ^{5th} Northely
to the Dale Davis land thence ^{westward} with Davis' line back to
his and my corner maintaining a fifteen foot road
all the way (See some old deeds that I have) Thence north-
ward with Davis' line to my corner in the lands known
to me as James Pendleton's; thence with this partnership
fence with Pendletons and perhaps others I think Charles
Rutland's westward to my corner in Charley Rutland's line
and thence in a South direction with his and my fence
to his corner with the Huck Rollins' ^{land} and thence with Rollins'
line to Mattie ^{Wells} Goodner's corner in Rollins' line; thence
Eastward with fence to the beginning corner, the sulphur
well, containing 95 acres. This plat is situated in 17th
dist. Smith County, Tenn. These plats of land are all now
incumbered. And consideration for this plat is for love
and affection that I have for my son W. T. Hudson.
This is my last will and testament

L. C. ~~Bozard~~ witness Signed J. P. Hudson. George Massingill
witness

P.S. I hope this will be satisfactory. I would regret if by this any dissatisfaction should arise.

Lovingly Papa

Filed March 12, 1936.

Signed J. M. Young, Clerk.

Alexandria, Tenn.
June 8, 1936

Will of W. E. Lumley

I, W. E. Lumley, of sound mind make this my last will and testament. I bequeath one Red Room set to be, if he wants it. My Life Insurance made payable to Leone is to be used to pay off two notes held by Paul Sandlin. All furniture, beds, bedding, clothes, books and other things, belonging to my wife, Agnes E. Lumley or my self to be divided into 3 as nearly equal parts as possible - one part to go to each of my children, Ida, Mina, and Leone.

My interest in the chickens to go to Leone. My interest in the store with all accounts due is to go to Leone.

The East 50 acres of the farm in Moore Co. to go to Mina.

The West 35 acres of the farm in Moore Co. to go to Ida.

The 15 acres between the above two parts to go to Leone or farm may be sold and proceeds be divided on basis above

After funeral expenses are paid from my personal bank account and hospital bills paid any balance to be divided between Leone and Mina.

W. E. Lumley

witnessed by
Elizabeth Rutland

Personally appeared before me Ida Iutch a Notary Public for De Kalb County State of Tennessee W. E. Lumley with whom I am personally acquainted this 9th day of June 1936.

Ida Iutch N. P.

Filed July 28, 1936.

J. M. Young - Clerk.

Will of Amanda J. Brown.

I, Amanda J. Brown, of Silver Point, R.D. 2 State of Tennessee County of DeKalb, being of sound mind and memory do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made to wit:

First - all my just debts and funeral expenses shall be first fully paid.

Second - I give, devise and bequeath all the real residue and remainder of my Estate, both real and personal to my beloved husband E. C. Brown, to have to hold to him, my said husband, and to his assigns for ever.

Third - I nominate and appoint my said husband, E. C. Brown, to be the Executor of this my last will and testament, to serve without bond.

In witness where if I have hereunto set my hand and seal.

This the 6th day of Dec. 1917.

Amanda J. Brown.

Witness L. H. Dixon
L. J. Love M. D.

J. D. Davis' Will
State of Tennessee
DeKalb County

12th Civil District

I, J. D. Davis, being in good health and sound mind do this day make this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills and testaments made by me, do hereby make the following disposals of all my property both personal and real estate as follows:

(1)

I will that all of my just debts and burial expenses and my monument be paid for out of the first funds coming into my executor's hands.

(2)

At my death or soon after I want my ^{farm} that I purchased from the heirs of my father John Davis, known as my father's old home place to be sold and the proceeds be equally divided between my following children or their heirs viz: Etta Bratten, Joe Davis, Neath Williams, Curley Ammanett, Bill Davis, Asbell Davis, and Elsie Gibbs, and the following heirs of Harrison Davis, Flossie Davis, Elizabeth Davis, and Harrison Davis Jr. to their father's share, and the following heirs of Bonnie Hall, John Lee Hall, Joe Don Hall, and Jim Morgan Hall to their mother's share. I will and bequeath my son Sid Davis Five Dollars (\$5.00) as his share of my entire estate.

(3)

I bequeath to my wife Mary Davis and my two daughters Maggie Davis and May Davis the farm where I now live, to be theirs as long as they remain single, but when either of them should marry or die the one then living and remaining single shall possess the interest of the one marrying or dying and when my wife, Mary Davis, and my two daughters, Maggie Davis and May Davis, shall have married or died, I bequeath that ^{the} farm on which I now live shall be sold at a private sale by my children who are still living and the proceeds divided equally between my living children and the heirs of those who are dead, except my son Sid Davis and his heirs.

(4)

All the money that I have in Banks or loaned, after all of my debts shall have been paid, I will that it be equally divided between my wife Mary Davis and my two daughters Maggie Davis and May Davis, should either or both of my daughters Maggie Davis and May Davis marry before my death, they forfeit any right they have in this provision as to the cash on hand at my death, and if one remain single, the amount of cash on hand at my death will be equally divided between the one remaining single and my wife Mary Davis, should both of my daughters Maggie Davis and May Davis marry before my death, and my wife

Mary Davis should survive me, she shall have all the money that I die possessed of, in case my wife Mary Davis should die before I do, then all the money that I die possessed of shall be equally divided between my heirs, except my son Sid Davis and his heirs.

(5)

I appoint the following as my executors to act without giving bond viz: Grant Bratten and if he should die before I do I appoint my son Bill Davis to be my executor, and if he should die before I do, I appoint my son Asbell Davis as my executor, and if he should die before I do I appoint my next oldest child then living, except my son Sid Davis, to be my executor.

(6)

If any one named in this will attempts to break said will he forfeits all rights they have in my will.

This Oct. 27th 1928.

Signed in the presence of witnesses at Smithville, Tennessee on the above date, said witnesses being present each and both of them and seeing the said J. D. Davis sign the same on Oct. 28th 1928.

J. D. Davis Seal.

Witnessed by and in the presence of each other,

J. F. Caplinger

J. F. Tropp

Filed Aug 13, 1936.

J. Mcgarity, Clerk

-Will-

I Mary A. Mullican, being of sound mind and memory do hereby 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 my moneys which I may die possessed of or which may first come into the hands of my executor.

Secondly, I give and bequeath to my beloved sister Ethel Magness, all of my property real and personal, of every kind and nature, to be hers absolutely and forever, and I do hereby nominate and appoint the said Ethel Magness, to be the executor of this will.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13 of Jan. nineteen hundred and thirty five.

Mary A. Mullican.

Signed and published in our presence, and we have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the testator.

J. H. Redman {Witnesses
Willie Redman
This Jan. 13, 1935.

Filed this Oct. 6, 1936.

J. M. Young - clerk.

A. C. Barry Will

I, A. C. Barry, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time made.

First. I give, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, Sarah Barry, all of my real estate for life and all my personal property, and at her death the tracts of land are to go to child to whom it is herein devised, and at the death of my said wife whatever personal property may remain on hand after the payment of her burial expense and doctors bills, or any other debts she may owe, is to be equally divided among our three children.

Second. I will and devise to A. J. Barry the farm known as the home place on which we now live, situated in the 2d Civil District of De Kalb County, Tenn., and bounded on the west by Dr. C. B. White and J. C. Starker, on the south by W. H. Smithson, on the east by Mrs. S. L. Fucen, and on the north by Dry Creek, containing 66 acres, more or less, but this land is devised to my said son subject to the life estate of my said wife. In event of the death of my said son his widow so long as she remains his widow is to hold said land, and at her death or marriage should she survive him this tract of land is to go to his bodily heirs, children or their representatives, if any, if not to his brother and sister, or their representatives, but he is authorized to dispose of said land at any time he may desire.

Third. I will and devise to my son W. J. Barry the tract of land on which he now lives, situated in the 2d Civil District of De Kalb County, Tennessee and bounded on the west by Bonnie Brown, on the north by E. R. Mc Ginniss, on the east by Public Road, and on the south by Delia Brown, containing 60 acres, more or less, but this land is devised to my said son subject to the life estate of my said wife. In event of the death of my said son then his widow is to hold said land so long as she remains his widow, and at her death or marriage, should she survive him, the land is to go to his children, or their representatives, if any, if not to my other children or their representatives, this is not intended to prevent him from selling said land if he

should desire to.

I Smith. I will and devise to my daughter, Elissa Banks, the farm at the foot of Snow's Hill, situated in the 20 Civil District of De Kalb County, Georgia, and bounded on the north by ^{1/2} W. Robinsons lands, on the east by Highway No. 26, on the south by H. M. Banks, and on the west by Cellie Glesser, containing 4 1/2 acres. But this land is devised to my said daughter subject to the life estate of my said wife. In event of the death of my said daughter her husband is to hold said land during his life, or as long as he remains single, and at his death or marriage, should he survive his wife, the land is to go to their children, or the representatives of children, if no children or their representatives then said lands go to my other children or their representatives.

Fifth. If any of my children bring ^{any} litigation over this will, or over my estate, then the share or shares herein devised such child or children is to go to the one or ones who refuse to enter into said litigation, it being intended to prevent any litigation over my estate after my death.

Sixth. Reposing full confidence in my son, A. J. Barry, I hereby nominate and appoint him executor of this my will, and excuse him from making bond.

Seventh. If there should not be sufficient assets of personal property on hand at my death to buy me and pay any debts I may owe then each of my said children is to pay his or her pro rata part of the same, and the same is to be a lien on his or her tract of land. Should there not be a sufficient amount of personal effects on hand at the death of my said wife then my said children are to each pay one third of her said burial expenses and debts, and the same is to be a lien on their lands until paid.

It is not intended to prevent my daughter, Elissa Banks, from selling her farm if she may desire, and she is authorized to sell the same if she desired to do so.

Witness my hand and seal, this, the 21, day of November, 1933.

A. C. Barry.

We have hereto signed our names as witnesses to the will of A. C. Barry, in his presence and in the

presence of each other, and at his request, he having declared the same to be his last will and testament.

This Nov. 21, 1933.

J. E. Coggin
J. H. Tramel

Filed This 5th day of Dec. 1936.

J. M. Young - Clerk

"Will"

I, Mrs. Etta Williams, of the Town of Dowelltown, County of DeKalb, State of Tennessee. Being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs while I have strength and capacity so to do, do make, and declare this my last Will and Testament, that is to say:

First. I order and direct, that my Executors hereinafter named pay all just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as conveniently may be.

Second. I order and direct, that all my property real estate and personal property be sold after my death as conveniently may be, except the Bank stock in Liberty Bank if not already sold.

I give, devise and bequeath to James Banks, and my children I give to Mildred Carley.

Third. To Estel Lee Keller, Willette Kimberlake, Lena Davis, I give and devise my fancy quilts.

Fourth. To Polly Davis, I give my hexagon quilt and to E. Redmond, I give a quilt. And the rest of my bed clothing Esther Lee Keller, Willette Kimberlake, or others. To Elizabeth Banks,

I give my davenport suite, to Lena Banks my new rug, to the Meyers I give my kitchen cabinet and cups and saucers. And the other dishes to be divided between Esther Lee Keller, Willette Kimberlake, Bertie Banks, Lena Davis, Bertie Davis and Pam Davis.

Fifth. To Sadie Winfrey I give my silver knives and forks because she gave them to me. To Mary Francis Winfrey, I give my silver tea spoons and to Jane Winfrey I give my ice cream spoons for the same reason. To Bertie Banks I give the pink glass ware because Mr. Williams gave them to me also my Williams watch. To Ivan Banks I give my clock. To Willette Kimberlake I give my Radio and to Esther Lee Keller I give my sewing machine if she cares to ship it to her home.

Sixth. To Mildred Carley I give my stove and rented table on back porch porch. To Larena Longie I give the big arm chair because her father gave it to her. To George Boone when he was a child, which was given to my mother by Aunt Sallie Boone to her mine at the death of my mother, and other smaller articles named to Mildred Carley to be given to different ones.

Seventh. I give and bequeath to Bertie Banks, Estel Lee Keller, Willette Kimberlake and E. R. Stroud three hundred dollars each. To the Meyers, Lena Davis and Bertie Davis and Pam Davis I give and bequeath one hundred fifty dollars each. And to Ira Davis I give and bequeath seventy five dollars.

I, hereby appoint C. B. White the sole executor of this, my last Will and Testament. I hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

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In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand at Dowelltown, Tennessee, aforesaid, this 20th day of October, 1936.

Mrs. Etta Williams

Signed and Sealed by said Mrs. Etta Williams, who, at the same time declared the same and for her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who in her presence, and in the presence of each other, and at her request, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

J. R. Malone
E. F. Adkins

-Codicil-

I, Mrs. Etta Williams, of the town of Dowelltown, state of Tennessee, having heretofore made my last Will and Testament, bearing date of 20th of October, 1936, do now make this Codicil thereto.

I hereby direct that Mildred Carley be well paid for her services rendered unto me during the time that I have been sick, and direct that my said Will and Testament shall take effect the same as if the name of Mildred Carley were there inserted in the Will.

October 21st, 1936.

Mrs. Etta Williams

Signed and declared by Mrs. Etta Williams to be a Codicil to her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, at her request and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses to the above Codicil.

J. R. Malone
E. F. Adkins

Filed Nov. 30, 1936
J. Myron, clerk

Probate of Will of E. J. Groom, Dec'd.

Clarence E. Braswell produced for probate a writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of E. J. Groom, deceased in which the said Clarence E. Braswell, by a Codicil in said purported Will, is named Executor, and moved the Court to have said paper writing entered for probate as the Last Will and Testament of the said E. J. Groom, deceased.

Thereupon appeared in open Court Frank Bratten, one of the subscribing witnesses to said paper writing and testified under oath that he signed said paper writing in the presence of and at the request of the said E. J. Groom as a subscribing witness thereto; that the said E. J. Groom died, in DeKalb County, Tennessee, Dec. 28, 1936; that the said E. J. Groom was a resident of DeKalb County, Tennessee, at the time of his death; that said paper writing was signed and executed by the said E. J. Groom as his Last Will and Testament in the presence of affiant who witnessed same in the presence of and at the request of the testator as aforesaid; that the other person, to-wit, J. B. Squires, whose name appears upon the original paper writing as a subscribing witness thereto, is dead, and that said J. B. Squires died prior to the death of the said E. J. Groom.

That E. C. Evans and L. C. Hale, whose names appear upon a Codicil to said purported Will, also appeared in open Court on this date and made oath that they each of them signed or subscribed their names to said paper writing as witness to said Codicil in the presence of and at the request of the said E. J. Groom, and that the said E. J. Groom executed same in their presence and declared same to be his Last Will and Testament; that the said E. J. Groom died in DeKalb County, December 28, 1936, and was a resident of said County and State at the time of his death.

Therefore, on motion of Clarence E. Braswell, the said paper writing, together with said Codicil attached thereto and appearing upon the same paper writing, is declared and decreed to be the Last Will and Testament of the said E. J. Groom, deceased, and the same is accordingly ordered to be entered for probate, and the Clerk of this Court is authorized to copy said Original paper writing,

together with said Codicil appearing thereon, upon the records of this Court, to-wit, upon the Will Book, and preserve the original as required by law.

Thereupon, on motion of Clarence E. Braswell, and it appearing to the Court that he is the duly appointed Executor of said Last Will and Testament, and he having entered into a good and solvent bond in the penal sum of \$1000, with

Will of E. J. Groom

I, E. J. Groom, 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 of my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible, out of any moneys I may die possessed of, or which may first come into the hands of my executor.

Secondly I direct that my entire estate remain in the hands of, and under the control of my Wife Teacher Groom, so long as she remains my widow, and she is to use the income only, of said estate for the support of herself and all my minor children and for their education. Thirdly, should my Wife Teacher Groom marry again, then I direct that my entire estate be converted into money, and that my executor shall pay to Teacher Groom \$500.00, and she is not to participate, in the distribution of the balance of the estate.

Fourthly, should my Wife Teacher Groom marry again or die, I direct that my estate be divided equally among my several children, the children by my first wife are to receive \$100.00 less than those by my second wife, they having already received \$100.00 each from the estate.

Fifthly, I direct that the share to be paid to my daughter Ruby Hayes, shall not, in other hands than her own, or if she should die before the final distribution, then to the legal guardian of her children.

Lastly - I do hereby nominate and appoint N. E. Groom, my executor, in witness whereof, I do to this, my will, set my hand this May 13th 1920.

E. J. Groom

Signed and published in our presence, and we have subscribed our names in the presence of the testator.

This May 13th 1920.

Frank Bratten
J. E. Squire

Codified:

I, E. J. Groom, testator of my above will,

make the following change
I nominate and appoint Clarence E. Braswell as my executor in the above will, in the place of N. E. Groom as stated in last paragraph of said will.
This July 25-1925. E. J. Groom

Signed and published in our presence and we have subscribed our names in the presence of the testator.

This July 25 1925.

G. C. Evans
J. E. Hale

Will

I, J. W. Billings being of sound mind and disposing memory make this my last will and testament and revoke all other wills made heretofore by me.

I first will that my funeral expenses and all of my other just debts be paid first out of my property.

Second I will that all the rest of my property both real and personal be divided equally between my two nieces Nancy Billings and Amanda Billings. This the 2nd day of December 1935.

J. W. ^{his} Billings
Mark

This will was signed in the presence of the witnesses by J. W. Billings and was signed by the witnesses in the presence of J. W. Billings and in the presence of each other.

Witnesses to mark and will

R. C. Geer

Mrs. Lena Gore

I filed this Jan. 8, 1936.

J. M. Young, Clerk.

Will of R. B. Tannatta

I, R. B. Tannatta, of Liberty, County of De Kalb, State of Tennessee, do hereby make public, and declare this to be my last will and testament, that is to say:

First. That my Executor hereinafter named pay all my debts, and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as conveniently may be.

Second. I give and bequeath to Ida Fite, my car, also all the household and kitchen furniture.

Third. I give and bequeath to Ida Fite ~~two~~ third interest in all my real estate situated in the 13th district of De Kalb County, Tennessee.

Fourth. I give and bequeath to Thomas M. Fite, one third interest in all my real estate situated in the 13th district of De Kalb County Tennessee.

Fifth. I give and bequeath to Etta Pritchett, two third interest in all my real estate situated in the 1st district of De Kalb County Tennessee, and known as the Lums Tannatta Land.

Sixth. I give and bequeath to Mattie Robt. Starks, one third interest in all my real estate situated in the 1st district of De Kalb County Tenn., and known as the Lums Tannatta Land.

Seventh. I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Salem Baptist Church One hundred dollars to be held in trust for the upkeep of the Salem Seminary, said one hundred dollars to be placed at interest and said interest to be applied for the upkeep of Seminary.

Eighth. After all debts are paid, I direct my executor to divided all personally property equally between the said Ida Fite, Thomas M. Fite, Etta Pritchett, and Mattie Robt. Starks.

Ninth. I constitute and appoint Thomas M. Fite my executor of this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made, and without bond, or any cost to my estate. This Aug. 21 1936.

R. B. Tannatta

Signed, Published and Declared, by the said testator R. B. Tannatta, to be his last will and testament, in the presence of us, and

at his request have subscribed our names
thereto as witnesses, in his presence, and in the
presence of each other,

J. M. Bradley
J. E. Hale

Filed this 19th day of Jan.
J. M. Young, Clerk.

Last Will and Testament of Mrs. Nannie Forrester

I, Nannie Forrester, realizing the uncertainty of
life and the certainty of death, and being
desirous of making a disposition of my property
in my lifetime to take effect ^{at} after my death,
do hereby make and publish this my last
Will and Testament, hereby revoking and making
void any and all other wills and testaments which
I may have heretofore made, to wit:

(1) It is my will and desire and I so direct
my Executors hereinafter named to pay all of my
just debts and funeral expenses out of any
money coming into her hands from my estate.

(2) It is my will and desire that my sister,
Mrs. Missouri Anderson, be provided for during
her lifetime out of my estate, and I have the
fullest confidence in the honesty and integrity of
my niece, Mrs. Willie Potter Bing, and intrust her
with that responsibility, and do, therefore, will
and devise unto my said niece, Mrs. Willie
Potter Bing, in trust for the use and benefit of
my said sister, Mrs. Missouri Anderson, all of
the residue of my property of every kind and
description after the payment of my just debts
and funeral expenses aforesaid, with the direction
that said property be used for the benefit and com-
fort of my said sister, Mrs. Missouri Anderson
in the way and manner my said niece, Mrs.
Willie Potter Bing, sees best.

(3) Should there remain any residue of said
property after my said sister has been cared for and
given a decent burial, all such residue of every
kind and description of my said estate is hereby
given, bequeathed and devised unto my said
niece, Mrs. Willie Potter Bing.

(4) I hereby nominate and appoint my said
niece, Mrs. Willie Potter Bing, ^{Anderson's} Trustee as
aforesaid of my said sister, Mrs. Missouri,
and I also appoint my said niece Executor
of this my last Will and Testament, and
I waive and relieve her of the necessity of
executing bond since I have the utmost
confidence and faith in her that she will
carry out my wishes as expressed herein.

Nannie Forrester

We, the undersigned, hereby witness
the execution of the foregoing Will by
Mrs. Nannie Forrester, and we hereby
sign our names to said Will as witnesses
in the presence and at the request of
Mrs. Nannie Forrester, the testatrix, and
in the presence of each other on this
February 24, 1937.

J. C. Webb
J. M. Allison

Filed this 5th day of
March 1937.

J. M. Young - Clerk

Will of D. R. L. Turner

I, D. R. L. Turner, being of sound mind and disposing memory, and realizing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of life, do hereby make and publish this as my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void any other wills heretofore made by me at any time.

I

I direct my executrix hereinafter mentioned to pay my just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my burial as practicable.

II

I give, devise and bequeath unto my wife, Mrs. D. R. L. Turner, all property, both real and personal, and mixed, of which I may die seized and possessed, she to have the use, control, power and disposition of said property as fully as I am able to give her under the terms of this my will. This will include all real estate, personal property, money, notes, choses in action, and every kind of said property to be my wife's after my death.

III

I hereby nominate and appoint my wife, Mrs. D. R. L. Turner as executrix of this my last will and testament, without bond.

In witness my hand this the 29 day of March, 1937.

D. R. L. Turner

Signed, sealed and published as and for the last will and testament of D. R. L. Turner, after the same was read over to him, and signed in his presence and in the presence of each other, at the request of the said D. R. L. Turner.

This the 29 day of March, 1937.

J. E. Pittsworth
W. E. Cantrell,
Henry Colby

Filed April 24, 1937

J. M. Young, Clerk.

Will of W. P. Jones

I, W. P. Jones, being of sound mind and disposing memory, knowing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death, do hereby make and publish this as my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void any other wills by me at any other time heretofore made.

First

It is my will and desire that as soon after my death as is practical and decent, that my Executrix hereinafter mentioned, pay all my just debts and funeral expenses out of any money that I may have on hand at the time of my death or that may come into the hands of my Executrix.

Second

I give and bequeath to my daughter Ollie Jones who has lived with me and waited on me and cared for me during my sickness, all of my property, of every kind and description, both real and personal, that I may die seized and possessed of, including the tract of land on which I now live, situated in the Sixth Civil Dist. of D. C. Kalb Co. Tenn. and bounded on the North by Charley Gilley, East by J. M. Webb, on the South by W. H. Pinnegar, and on the West by Gilley and Allen, containing Fifty Two Acres more or less, except that I give to my children, J. P. Jones, Ova M. Cormick, Edna Dinkam, Charles M. Jones, Agnes Jones Stepp, and Austin Jones, each Five Dollars, to be paid to them within one year after my death.

Third -

I hereby nominate and appoint my daughter Ollie Jones as Executrix to this my last will and testament, to act without bond, I having full confidence in her and believing she will carry out my will to the letter.

Fourth

I commit my body to the earth from which it came and my soul to the God who gave it.

Witnessed to by W. P. Jones
" " R. C. Crowley

W. P. Jones
his mark

We, Ambrose Luna and W. E. Miller sign our names to the above will of W. P. Jones as witnesses, in the presence of said W. P. Jones and in the presence of each other and in his presence and at his request and we saw him sign and acknowledge this paper writing as his last will and Testament on this the 29th day of March 1937.

A. J. Luna

W. E. Miller

Filed April 29, 1937.

J. M. Young, clerk.

- Will -

I, Ambrose Carley of the town of Dewartown, County of De Kalb State of Tenn. Being of good health of body, and of sound and disposing mind and memory, and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs while I have strength and capacity, do do, do make, and declare this my last will and Testament, that is to say:

First. I order and direct, my Executors hereinafter named to pay all just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as conveniently may be.

Second, That all of my property, real and personal and mixed, of what nature and kind, soever and wheresoever, the same shall be at my death, be sold at public auction.

Third, After all expenses have been paid the balance of my money to be equally divided between my two daughters Bettie Brent and Rhoda Hill except that I give to my two grand children Columbus Morgan and Mattie Kelly Twenty Five dollars, each.

Fourth. I hereby appoint Bettie Brent and Rhoda Hill executors of this my last will and testament with out bond, I revoke all other wills made by me.

In witness whereof, I, Ambrose Carley, the testator, have to this, my last will and testament, set my hand, this the 13th day of January 1936.

Ambrose ^{his} Carley
mark

Witness E. J. Adkins

Witness Robert Anderson

Filed this the 21st day of June 1937
J. M. Young (clerk).