

Sept Term 1870: Then the last Will & Testament of R. L. Doney
 Beck was presented to Court in solemn form and approved by the
 oath of J. P. Vaughan & J. B. Lussell the rules relating thereto
 thereunto & was as ordered to be recorded.

State of Tennessee Transier County: Know all men by these
 presents that R. L. Doney of the County of Transier & State
 of Tennessee do make & publish this my last Will & Testament
 hereby revoking all others by me at any time heretofore made First I request
 all of my personal and real estate & my wife E. J. Doney during
 her natural life after paying all of my just debts to have and
 to do as she pleases with and after her death all
 of my property to be divided equally between my children
 R. J. Doney, A. J. Doney, R. W. Doney & E. J. Doney and I do hereby
 make & appoint my beloved wife E. J. Doney my
 sole R. J. Doney Executor of this my last Will & Testament be
 witness whereof I R. L. Doney the said Testator have in this my
 Will written on one sheet of paper set my hand & seal
 this the eighth day of August in the year of our Lord one
 thousand eight hundred & seventy
 signed sealed & published in the presence of R. L. Doney & J. B. Lussell
 of whom who have subscribed in the presence
 of the Testator & of each other
 J. E. D. Just J. P. Vaughan & J. B. Lussell

October Term 1870: Then the Last Will & Testament
 of John Donelson Beck was presented to Court in solemn
 form and approved by the oath of J. P. Vaughan & J. B. Lussell the
 rules relating thereto thereunto & was as ordered to be recorded.

I John Donelson of the County of Transier in Tennessee do here-
 by make & publish this my last Will & Testament
 hereby revoking all others by me at any time heretofore
 made. I trust & desire that as soon after my death
 as possible my Executor herein after named shall pay all
 my debts out of the money on hand if there is not
 money enough on hand for this purpose I desire
 that my stock or a sufficient thereof shall be sold
 of the proceeds applied to the payment of debts the first
 debt being my funeral expenses. I do not
 direct that after my debts are paid that my wife
 Elateda Donelson shall have during her life all
 the property of my kind & description and of personal notes
 accounts first of all chosen in action to use & dispose
 of as she may think proper she may sell it or convey it
 into other property she is at liberty to use any

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 Decd was presented to Court in solemn form and approved by the
 Courts of S. P. Vaughan & J. B. Lunsell the rules relating thereto
 thereto & was as ordered to be recorded.

State of Tennessee Transcine County: Know all men by these
 presents that R. L. Doney of the County of Transcine & State
 aforesaid do make Pub. publish this my last Will and
 Testament hereby revoking and making void all former
 Wills by me at any time heretofore made. I do give and bequeath
 all of my personal and real Estate & my Wife E. J. Doney during
 her natural life after paying all of my Just debts to her and
 to do as she pleases with and after her death all
 of my property to be divided equally between my children
 R. J. Doney, A. J. Doney, R. W. Doney & E. J. Doney and I do hereby
 make Ordain and appoint my beloved Wife E. J. Doney and my
 son R. J. Doney Executors of this my last Will & Testament the
 witness whereof I R. L. Doney the said Testator have to this my
 Will written on one sheet of paper set my hand and seal
 this the eighth day of August in the year of our Lord one
 thousand eight hundred & 70
 Signed Sealed & published in the presence of R. L. Doney
 of us who have subscribed in the presence
 of the Testator & of each other
 E. J. Doney
 R. J. Doney
 S. P. Vaughan
 J. B. Lunsell

October Term 1870: Then the Last Will & Testament
 of John Donaldson Decd was presented to Court in solemn
 form & approved by the Courts of S. P. Vaughan & J. B. Lunsell the
 Rules relating thereto & was as ordered to be recorded.

I John Donaldson of the County of Transcine in Tennessee do here-
 by make or devise and Publish my last Will & Testament
 hereby revoking all others by me at any time heretofore
 made. I do give and bequeath that as soon after my death
 as possible my Executors herein after named shall pay all
 my debts out of the money on hand if there is not
 money enough on hand for this purpose I desire
 that my stock or a sufficient thereof shall be sold
 & the proceeds applied to the payment of debts the first
 debt being my funeral expenses. I do give and bequeath
 direct that after my debts are paid that my Wife
 Elateda Donaldson shall have during her life all
 the property of every kind & description that I own at now
 as she may think proper she may sell it or convey it
 or do with it as she may think proper she is at liberty to use any

help of repaying my debts as she may think proper to sell any
of the property real or personal and use the proceeds without
restriction the meaning of this clause is that my wife is not
deprived thus to use the property and money to procure for herself
the comforts & necessities of life but is not authorized to use
it for purposes of extravagance nor to give it away except
as directed in this will. She is to have a liberal & good support
from it. Item 3rd I will and direct that after the death of my
said wife that my two Sisters Sarah and Nancy should have the use
of their share of the money or property of any kind that
may remain absolutely to use pleasure & as they may desire
the funeral expenses of my wife being first paid if both
survive my wife they are to take equally if one only survives
she is to take the whole if neither of them survives my
then my Brother William Donaldson is to take the property in
like manner as my Sisters would have done had they or
either of them survived my wife. I nominate Court House
& appoint Brother William Donaldson Executor of this will & Testament
I direct I desire that my wife if at any time she wishes
assist my Sisters Sarah & Nancy by gift of any money or
property she is thereby authorized to do so. Item 6 I have
manifest during my life in the person of my one daughter
in the real estate of my Brother Alexander Donaldson & I
and I dispose of it in the same manner that I have
before disposed of my other property. Item 7 It
is my will and desire that should my wife during
a domestic or a spend thrift that then the provisions
of this will for the benefit of her & I direct that the
other provisions of this will be carried out as though
she had died. The testimony whereof I have hereunto
set my hand & seal this 8th day of August 1856.
Signed & sealed as aforesaid in my
presence this 8th day of August 1856. } John Donaldson (seal)
Pursing J.R. Estlin

February Term 1871 When the last Will of Sarah
Sarah Cowan deceased was presented to Court & was
approved by the Oaths of J. H. Martin one of the Subscribing
Witnesses & the Hand-writing of J. R. Biddle the other
witness was proven by the Oaths of J. H. Martin & J. H. Martin
& ordered to be recorded;

I Sarah Cowan of the County of Franklin State of New
York do hereby certify that my last Will & Testament
being of sound mind and memory abrogating all other
Wills I will and direct 1st That my funeral expenses
and all my just debts be paid as soon after my death