

dearly known by J. T. Hamilton one of the Jurors calling witnesses there to
 and the handwriting of Samuel Holland the other Jurors calling there
 was duly pronounced by the oath of J. T. Hamilton and J. M. Hollands
 was ordered to be recorded. It appears my Clerk at office June
 3rd 1872.

Chas. A. Lodge Esq.

Samuel Holland of the County of Franklin and State of Tennessee
 being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty
 of this for all ^{my} transitory life do therefore make ordain
 publish and declare this to be my last will and Testament
 that is to say First after all my lawful debt are paid
 and discharged the residue of all ^{my} Estate I give bequeath
 and dispose of as follows in that I bequeath to my beloved son
 William M. Holland the Land ^{my} appurtenances situated thereon
 known and described as the Hill and Ellis farm situated in
 Franklin County Tennessee and adjoining the East end of the
 tract upon which I now live is all Ellis tract containing
 by estimation one hundred and thirty nine and one half acres
 I also give bequeath and devise to my beloved wife Margaret
 Holland the Land ^{my} appurtenances situated thereon known
 and described as the Craigge Deep tract in Franklin County
 Tennessee upon which I now live containing by estimation
 four hundred and twenty six acres more or less by me
 during her natural life and at her death the said Craigge
 Deep tract I bequeath the same to my beloved son
 Joseph M. Holland with the condition that my son Joseph
 M. Holland is to give off of the East end of this tract
 adjoining the Ellis tract the division line running forth
 and South to make his Brother William Holland of his two
 including the Ellis tract equal in valuation with that
 of my son Joseph M. Holland I also give bequeath and devise
 the remainder of my Estate adjoining the West side of
 the portion bequeathed to my son Joseph M. Holland
 containing by estimation eight hundred and sixty three acres
 one half in valuation of which I give ^{my} bequeath it
 to the heirs of my deceased son Richard L. Holland I
 also give and bequeath the other half in valuation and the
 appurtenances situated thereon to the heirs of my deceased
 son Hugh B. Holland with the condition that the land
 or the effects of the same which I have bequeathed
 to the heirs of my deceased son Hugh B. Holland
 is not to be controlled or managed by John M. Moore
 I also bequeath to my beloved daughter Mary E. Knight
 wife of Benjamin Knight five hundred dollars worth
 of Rail Road stock in the Nashville & Chattanooga Rail
 Road during her natural life but should she die

without an heir the same to be equally divided between my sons Joseph & William Holland. If they go and son Samuel Holland remains with me and Wife until he is twenty one years old I bequeath to him a horse bridle & saddle if he fails to do so this bequest will be null and void I also bequeath to my beloved Wife for good & all my personal property and effects which I now possess with the privilege of disposing of such stock & property as she does not wish during her natural life & at her death all the personal property and effects left to me by my beloved Wife is to be equally divided between my beloved sons Joseph M. and William M. Holland share and share alike likewise I make constitute and appoint my said sons Joseph M. and William M. Holland to be Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills they may make in future wherein I have therein made any name and affected my self the twenty second day of September one thousand eight hundred & sixty eight;

The above written instrument was read and rules which day the said Samuel Holland Samuel Holland in our presence and a married day him to each of us and he at the same time published and declared the above instrument so rules which to be his last Will and Testament and we at the Testators request in his presence have signed our names over respective place of residence.

Noah McKelvey Francis C. Jones Joshua Jones Francis C. Jones
 Given at Court June Term 1872; then the Last Will and Testament of Samuel Holland dec'd was presented to Court for Probate and was duly proven by the Oaths of Noah McKelvey and Joshua Jones. The Rules requiring them to be sworn were ordered to be recorded. Witness under my hand at office June 3rd 1872.
 Saml. C. Hodge Clerk.

Eliza Gaudy & James C. Gaudy of the County of Franklin and State of Tennessee do make this instrument of writing my last Will and Testament. I am 1st If I have any left at my death it is my Will and desire that my Executors hereafter named sell enough of my personal property to pay the same and also my funeral expenses. I am 2nd It is my Will and desire that all of my property both real and personal including of Rail Road stock remains in the possession and control of my Wife during her natural life & at her death to be sold or at public sale at a credit of twelve months.