

Will of Hannah Presley

In Name of God Amen, I Hannah Presley of the State of Tennessee & County of Hawkins, Being of sound mind but in bad health and knowing the uncertainty of life & the certainty of death, do make this my last will & testament. It is my wish & desire that after my death, that Eliza Ann Bacon shall have all of my part of the estate of my father, which would have descended to me if I had live to have received it. It is my wish that she may be my only heir & representative at law to her and her only do I give will & bequeath my entire interest in Father's estate either real or personal which is and seized & possessed of in state of Tennessee or any where else. This the 29th day of June in the year of our Lord 1888

Hannah ^{her} Presley
mark

Attest
James P. Cheumil
J. B. Cheumil.

Will of William Beck

June 29th 1878

In the name of God Amen, I William Beck do make this my last will & testament.

My soul I return to the Lord who gave it

The farm on which I now live I give to my wife Mary E. Beck during her natural life & at her death to be divided as follows: the lower end which I have already given to my son E. J. Beck he is to still keep the balance of my farm to be equally divided between my daughter Martha J. Beck and my grand-daughter Elvira Beck.

To my Grand son Wm J. Northern the sum of one dollar. To my Grand daughter Parth Northern the sum of one dollar.

To my Grand daughter Bell Northern one dollar.

It is my desire that the Executor of this my last will and testament strictly carries out the foregoing clauses of this instrument signed and sealed in presence of

J. C. Leater

John X Long
mark

Witness

Witness to
Mary E. Beck's Mark
James P. Harrisell.

Wm J. Beck
mark

Mary E. Beck
mark

Wm E. Hande Graham
John Hill et al
In Chancery
at
Chapman, Tenn.

In this cause 11 Subpoena and return of Record 22 the August 1889. by complaint as 5 & answer. ing the paper writing purporting to be the last will of Wm J. Beck and compel asks "The Court" that the original of said will be produced and filed in this cause and the defendant, against 5. "from the same according to law, and am. "plaintiff prays for an order upon the "defendant & W. Williams, a person known August, clerk of the Court, and of Han- "kins County, who has possession of said "paper writing requiring them to either "them to produce and file the same in the "cause.

The Court in this case seems to order "and serve this paper. Signed, Clerk of the "County Court of Hawkins County, Tennessee "and deliver to the clerk & master of the Court, "who shall file the same in the cause.

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Witness
X James T. Hewitt
X R. B. Hewitt

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The farm on which I now live I give to my wife Mary E. Beck during her natural life & at her death to be divided as follows, the lower end which I have already given to my son E. R. Beck he is to still keep, the balance of my farm to be equally divided between my daughter Maritha J. Beck and my grand daughter Elvira Beck.

To my Grand son Wm. T. Northern the sum of one dollar. To my Grand daughter Parth Northern the sum of one dollar.

To my Grand daughter Bell Northern one dollar

It is my desire that the Executor of this my last will and testament strictly carries out the foregoing clauses of this instrument signed and sealed in presence of

X E. L. Slater

John his Long

Witness

Witness to
Mary E. Beck's Mark
James S. Hewitt.

W^m T. Beck

Mary E. Beck

Will of Mrs R. T. Gill

G. M. Williams. It is my wish that you take charge of all my business matters. Pay all my just debts see that my children all have good homes where they can be educated see to the renting of my land, until George my youngest child is 21 years of age, and let my children have the debts as they need it.

August 17th 1897

Witness

R. B. Orick

R. T. Gill

2 and 3 copy of this order will be given
see former request of presence

2. 2. 2. Tennessee
Hawkins County
0. 0. m. of the County Court of Tennessee for
suit state and county. with the
foregoing is a true copy of the order
this 22nd June. Record # 16287.
Aug 24. 1889 W. H. Watson, S. W.
Remains of George's estate & the above
a foregoing paper writing.
Aug 24. 1889. W. H. Watson
Copy

W. H. Watson
Attn: Aug 24. 1889

Copy of order
Hawkins County
Aug 24. 1889