

R. W. Grimes }
 His Last Will & Testament } Filed for Probate,
 and Testament } Sept. 10th, 1925.

I, R. W. Grimes of Obshumwald, Lewis County, Tennessee, being in full health, but of sound mind and disposing memory, aware of the uncertainty of life, and the certainty of death, do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time made.

Firstly, I commend my spirit to my Merciful Creator, and Redeemer and Sanctifier; and, in the hope of a joyful resurrection I commit my body in Christian burial, to the church where it came, directing that it be decently buried in the Graver Cemetery near Obshumwald, according to the directions and discretion of my executor hereinafter named.

Secondly, I direct that all my just debts, including funeral expenses and expenses of administration be paid by my executor.

Thirdly, I give, devise and bequeath to my beloved son, R. W. Grimes, my house and lots now occupied by me as a residence, same being lots eight (8), nine (9) and (10) in Block twelve (12) in the town of Obshumwald, deed to which is recorded in Book "5," page 284 of the records of Lewis County. But this devise is made subject to the homestead right of my beloved wife Sonia Grimes; and also subject to a mortgage of \$369.55 on the above described property, held by the Obshumwald Bank and Trust Company. Now, in willing the above described property to my son R. W. Grimes, I am not unmindful of my other children:

Elmer Beasley, Letha Weaver and L. C. and O. W. Grimes, and would be proud that I were able to help them; but R. W. has been put to quite a lot of expense in the way of supporting me in my old age, and hence, I will think the above described property in part compensation for the expense that he has already been put to and is now being put to in the

way of my support; expense, no part of which, my other above named children are having to bear.

Fourthly, I hereby nominate and appoint J. P. Baker sole executor of this my last will and testament, to act without bond.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, this 8th day of July 1925.

R. W. Grimes.

Signed by the said R. W. Grimes, as and for this 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 hereto as attesting witnesses, the date above written.

W. O. Lovelace,

A. J. Hamilton.

State of Tennessee, }
 Lewis County, }

Personally appeared before me, J. W. Armstrong, Clerk of the County Court of said County, A. J. Hamilton one of the subscribing witnesses to the attached will who being first duly sworn depose and say that he was personally acquainted with the within named R. W. Grimes the maker and that he acknowledged the same in his presence to be his act and deed for the purposes therein contained. Witness my hand, at office this 10th day of September, 1925.

J. W. Armstrong, Clerk,
 County Court.

State of Tennessee, }
 Lewis County, }

Personally appeared before me, A. J. Hamilton, Clerk of the County Court of said County, W. O. Lovelace, one of the subscribing witnesses to the attached will, who being first duly sworn, depose and say that he is

personally acquainted with the within named
R. D. Grimes, the testator, and that he acknowledged
the same in his presence to be an act and deed
for the purpose therein contained.

Witness my hand, at office, this 10th day of
September 1891.

A. J. Hamilton,
Shut.

Amos High, Dec'd. } Filed for Probate,
Vt. } Last Will } Oct. 27th, 1891.
and Testament. }

Filed for Probate Oct. 27th, 1891.

I, Amos High, of Lawrence County, Tennessee,
do make and publish this my last will
testament, hereby revoking all former wills
by me at any time made.

First:

I direct that all my just debts, in-
cluding my funeral expenses and expenses
of administration, to be paid by my
executor.

Sec'd:

I give, devise and bequeath to my
beloved wife, Rebecca Lucinda High, all the
property, both real and personal, of every
kind and character, that I may see
seized and possessed of.

Third:

I do hereby nominate and appoint my
said beloved wife, Rebecca Lucinda High, to
be the executrix of this my last will
and testament, without bond.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand, 5th day of December 1891 A.D.

Amos High.

Signed by said Amos High as and for
his last will and testament, in the pres-
ence of us, the undersigned, who, at
his request, and in his sight and pres-
ence, have subscribed our names here-
to as attesting witnesses, the day and
date above written.

Thos. H. Nelson,
R. T. Beckham

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State of Tennessee,
Lewis County.

Personally appeared before me,
A. J. Hamilton, Clerk of the County Court of said
County, R. D. Beckham one of the subscribing
witnesses to the attached Will, who being
first duly sworn, depose and say that
he was personally acquainted with the testator
in named Anna Eliza the bargainer and
that he acknowledged the same in his pre-
sence to be his act and deed, for the first
time therein contained.
Witness my hand, at office, this 25th day of
Oct. 1925.

A. J. Hamilton, Clerk.
[Signature]

Mr. Eliza P. Duncan, }
Her Last Will }
And Testament }

I, Eliza P. Duncan, do make and
publish this my last will and testament hereby
revoking and making void all others by me at
any time made.

I direct that my funeral expenses and all
my debts be paid as soon after my death as
possible out of any money I may be possessed
of.

Secondly:
I direct that a suitable stone be placed
at my grave and one be placed at the grave
of my husband, John D. Duncan.

Thirdly:
I give and bequeath to Patsie, my daugh-
ter, my bed, and give and bequeath to Grace,
my son, my trunk.

Fourthly:
I direct that all property and money I may
be possessed of be divided equally among
my children, share and share alike.

Fifthly:
I do hereby nominate and appoint
Oscar Duncan my executor without bond.
In witness whereof I do to this my will set my
hand, this July, 24, 1924.

Eliza P. Duncan.

State of Tennessee }
Lewis County }
[Signature] Foreman

Signed and published in our presence and
we do subscribe our names hereunto in the
presence of the testator.
This the 24 day of July 1924.

Howard Kerner,
Jno. P. Stephens.

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State of Tennessee }
 Lewis County, }

Personally appeared before me,
 A. J. Hamlet, Clerk of the County Court of said
 County, Edward Lewis and Geo. P. Stephens
 subscribing witnesses to the attached will, who
 being first duly sworn, depose and say that
 they are personally acquainted with the test
 in named Eliza P. Duncan, the bargainer,
 and that she acknowledged the same in their
 presence to be an act and deed, for the full
 force therein contained.

Witness my hand at office, this 2nd day of
 April 1826.

A. J. Hamlet, Clerk.

Jacob Market }
 Vs } Last Will
 and Testament. }

I, Jacob Market of Obolivale, Lewis
 County, Tennessee, being in full health of body,
 full of sound mind and disposing memory,
 aware of the certainty of life and the certainty
 of death, do make and publish this my last will
 and testament, hereby revoking all former wills
 by me at any time made.

First:

I direct that all my just debts, including
 funeral expenses and expenses of adminis-
 tration, be paid by my executor.

Second:

I give, devise and bequeath to my be-
 loved wife, Pauline Market, for and during
 her natural life, all the rest and residue of
 my property, real, personal or mixed (after
 payment of said debts and funeral expenses),
 which I may own or be entitled to at my
 death; and I give to my said wife full and
 absolute and perfect possession and control
 thereof, with the right and authority to use
 occupy, and lease, and the right and privilege
 to mortgage upon the corpus of any money
 that I may have at my death or that may
 come into the hands of my executor for the
 purpose of defraying her natural and neces-
 sary expenses of living.

Third:

It is my will and desire that after the
 death of my said wife all the residue of
 my property not consumed under the second
 clause or clause of this will shall, equally, be
 divided among my legatees hereinafter named,
 with the exception of one legatee to whom I
 have made an advancement of \$3000.00 and which
 exception will hereinafter be more fully explained,
 and I hereby direct my executor to divide the
 same in such manner as he may think best
 for the interest of all concerned, and give to
 each in the following proportion, to-wit:

Walter Market, one third, Otto Market one third, Albert Market one third, but she said Albert Market being the legatee heretofore mentioned as having received an advancement of \$3000.00, it is my will and wish that his said one third be charged with said advancement and said sum is to be deducted from whatever might be his said one third of my property.

Fourth;

I hereby nominate and appoint G. A. Goodman, sole executor of this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, this 3rd day of Jan. 1825.

J. Market.

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

This 3rd day of Jan. 1825.

J. L. Oliver.

A. M. Raskin.

State of Tennessee, }
Lewis County, }

Personally appeared before me, G. J. Hamilton, Clerk of the County Court of said County, A. M. Raskin and J. L. Oliver subscribing witnesses to the attached will, who being first duly sworn, depose and say that they are personally acquainted with the within named Jacob Market, the bargain or and that he acknowledged the same in their presence to be an act and deed, for the purposes therein contained. Witness my hand, at office this 25th day of May 1826.

G. J. Hamilton,
Clerk.

N. H. Culp
2^d Last Will & Testament.
L. C. Whitaker, Ext.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, N. H. Culp, of Flatwoods, Tenn. in the County of _____, State _____, being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail transitory life, do therefore make, ordain, publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament.

First, I order and direct that my Executor 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 two thousand Dollars (\$2000.00) to my grandson, Robert Hubert Culp, (an heir of my wife), and to my daughter Beula (Culp) together \$1.00 (one dollar), and to the heirs of my daughter, Sallie (Culp, Guthrie) Ransel, \$1.00, (one dollar), and to my daughter, Eva (Culp) Nail, \$1.00 (one dollar).

Third, I give and bequeath all of the remainder of my property to my daughters, Ella (Culp) Carter and Ella (Culp) Sanford, half and half to each.

Fourth, I desire to acknowledge that my two sons, Abner Culp and my wife have received their prorata part of my estate.

Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint Lawrence C. Whitaker 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 day of _____ in year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred twenty five, N. H. Culp, Seal.

Will of N. N. Culp, continued from page 255.

This instrument was on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said testator, N. N. Culp, to be his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request have subscribed our names hereto as witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other.

W. A. Kirk,
S. J. Whitwell.

State of Tennessee,
Lewis County,

Personally appeared before me, G. P. Hamlet, Clerk of the County Court of said County, W. A. Kirk, subscribing witness to the attached will, who being first duly sworn, depose and said that he was personally acquainted with the within named N. N. Culp, the testator, and that he acknowledged the same in his presence to be an act and deed, for the purposes therein contained.

Witness my hand, at office, this 21st day of August 1926.

G. P. Hamlet, Clerk.

Lorenzo S. Stultz,
vs Mrs. P. W. Grimes, Exec.
Last Will & Testament.

I Lorenzo S. Stultz, being in full health, but of sound mind and disposing memory, and having reached an age and which cause me to think more seriously about the future, and the fact that I am aware of the uncertainty of life, and the certainty of death, do make and publish this my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time made.

First: I direct that all my just debts, including funeral expenses and expenses of administration be paid by my executor.

Second: I give, devise, and bequeath to my beloved wife, Mary, all of my property, both real and personal.

In doing this I am not unmindful of my children, but owing to the fact that my estate is small and my wife, Mary is not in good health and will need all that I may have at my death to support herself.

Third: I hereby nominate and appoint Mrs. P. W. Grimes sole executrix of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, this 17th day of May 1926.

Lorenzo S. Stultz.

Signed by the said Lorenzo S. Stultz, 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 hereto as attesting witnesses, the day and date above written.

Carson O. Rife.

J. N. Wray.

State of Tennessee,
Lewis County,

Personally appeared before me, G. P. Hamlet, Clerk of the County Court of said County, Carson O. Rife and J. N. Wray subscribing witnesses to the attached will, who being

first duly sworn, depose and say that they are personally acquainted with the within named George D. Stultz, the bargainer, and that he acknowledged the same in their presence to be an act and deed for the purpose therein contained.

Witness my hand, at office, this 15th day of Dec. 1926.

A. J. Vaulter, clerk.

A. C. McCharron,
vs. J. C. Whitaker, admr.
Last Will & Testament

I, A. C. McCharron of Linn County, Missouri, and of the town of Ottumwa in said County and State, being in full health of body, but of sound mind and disposing memory, aware of the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death, do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time made.

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

Secondly: I give and bequeath and devise to my beloved daughter Laura Rice, wife Joe Rice, my house and lot, in the city of Ottumwa, now occupied by me as a residence. Thirdly: I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Alpha Walker, wife of William Walker, all of the monies, notes, checks in action or any thing of like nature that I have at my death.

Fourthly: I give and bequeath to my beloved sons, William McCharron and James McCharron all of my household goods, watches, guns. The reason why I give most of my property to my daughters is, that my sons have homes of their own and my daughters have no home.

Fifthly: I do hereby nominate and appoint Monroe Lybeck of Hickman County and who lives in the north district of said County, my executor.

In witness whereof, I do to this, my will, set my hand, this Jan. 3^d, One thousand nine hundred and twenty six.

A. C. McCharron.

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Signed by the said A.C. McClure, as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us, the undersigned, who, at his request, and in his right and presence, have subscribed our names here as attesting witnesses, the day and date above written.

J.A. Warf,

Mrs. J.A. Warf,

Witness to the signature
of J.A. Warf, Deed

J.A. Warf,
C.O. Riddle

State of Tennessee,
Lewis County,

Personally appeared before me,
A.J. Hunter, Clerk of the County Court of said
County, Wm. J.A. Warf one of the subscribing
witnesses to the attached will, who being first
duly sworn, depose and say that she was per-
sonally with the within named A.C. McClure,
the bargainer and that he acknowledged the same
in her presence to be an act and deed, for
the purpose therein contained.

Witness my hand, at office, this 14th day of
Feb. 1927,

A.J. Hunter, clerk.

State of Tennessee,
Lewis County,

Personally appeared before me,
A.J. Hunter, Clerk of the County Court of said
County, J.A. Warf and C.O. Riddle subscribing witnesses
to the attached will, who first being duly sworn,
depose and say that they are personally acquainted
with the hand writing of J.A. Warf, Deed, one of
the principal subscribing witnesses to the forego-
ing will and that they subscribed their names to
the said will for the purpose of identifying the sig-
nature of the said J.A. Warf, Deed.

Witness my hand, at office, this Dec. 17, 1926.

A.J. Hunter, clerk,
County Court, Lewis County, Tenn.

Mrs. R.O. Austin.
Deed No. Executor.
Last Will & Testament.

I give Will Austin Riddle my
home place in McDonald at my death.

Signed,
Mrs. R.O. Austin.

Witness, Mrs. G. Plummer,
this day, 17th, 1926.

State of Tennessee,
Lewis County,

Personally appeared before me,
A.J. Hunter, Clerk of the County Court of Lewis
County, Tenn, Mrs. Mrs. G. Plummer, subscribing
witness to the attached will, in testimony
who being first duly sworn, depose and say
that she was personally acquainted with the
within named Mrs. R.O. Austin, the bargainer,
and that she acknowledged the same in her
presence to be an act and deed, for the purpose
therein contained.

Witness my hand, at office, this 30th day of
Dec. 1926.

A.J. Hunter, clerk.

Billie Clayton,
 Of Britton Clayton & J.T. Baker, Executive.
 Last Will & Testament.

In the Name of God Amen.
 I, Billie Clayton of McMinn, Route 1 in the County
 of Lewis, State of Tennessee, being of sound
 mind and memory and considering the un-
 certainty of this frail and transitory life, do
 therefore make, ordain publish and declare this
 to be my last Will and Testament.

First, I order 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
 Landona Clayton, my wife the possession and
 control of all my property as long as she
 lives. It is my wish that Britton Clayton and
 J.T. Baker shall look after this property, pay all
 the taxes on same, cultivate the farming
 land, and give one-fourth of the proceeds to
 Landona Clayton, my wife, as rent, as long
 as she lives, and should there be any timber
 or mineral sold off of this property, one-
 fourth of the proceeds of same shall go to
 my wife, the said Landona Clayton, during
 her life time.

Thirdly; and after the death of my said wife, Landona
 Clayton, I give and bequeath to Britton
 Clayton and his heirs, all the Woody tract of
 land on the east side of Grinders Creek, and in-
 cluding a strip of timber land, beginning with
 my north boundary line of my home tract
 where it crosses Grinders Branch, thence down said
 branch in a westerly direction to my fence;
 thence in a northerly direction to the first
 hollow below the Finley house; and down said
 hollow to Grinders Creek. I also give and
 bequeath to the said Britton Clayton, his heirs,
 all the Woody tract on west side of Grinders
 Creek, including that part of my home tract
 on West side of Grinders Creek to the foot of

Said Creek near my Mail Box, where said road
 turns up Nix Hollow, thence up the hollow,
 making the road where it now is, the line to
 Charleston Mining & Mfg. Co. line.

Fourthly; and after the death of my said wife,
 Landona Clayton, I give and bequeath
 to Pearl Baker, my daughter, her heirs, the
 remainder of my home tract of land, and the
 Barn field tract of land of two hundred acres.
 Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint

Britton Clayton and J.T. Baker to be
 Executors 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 12th day
 of November, in the year of our Lord, one
 thousand nine hundred twenty five.

Billie Clayton, Seal.

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

R.E. Perston
 Lu Goshley

State of Tennessee,
 Lewis County,

Personally appeared before me, C.G.
 Hamilton, of the County Court of said County, R.E. Perston and Lu Goshley
 subscribing witnesses to the attached Will, who being first duly
 sworn, swore and say that they are personally acquainted
 with the within named Billie Clayton, the testator, and that he
 acknowledged the same in their presence to be an act and
 deed, for the purposes therein contained.

Witness my hand, at office, this 1st day of Nov. 1925,
 C.G. Hamilton,
 Clerk.

G. F. Overby,
W. Charles Greenman,
Last Will & Testament.

I, G. F. Overby, hereby execute and publish my last Will and Testament, revoking all former wills made by me at any time.

It is my desire and I do so direct that after the payment of all of the funeral expenses and just debts that all of my property of every description, real, personal, or mixed, of which I may be seized and possessed at the time of my death, shall go to my wife, Minnie Griner Overby, absolutely.

I hereby appoint my said wife, Minnie Griner Overby, executrix of this Will to act without bond and without requisition to make reports of my estate into Court.

This May, 22, 1923.

G. F. Overby, Testator.

We, the undersigned, witnesses the signing of the foregoing Will by the testator, G. F. Overby, at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other, on the day and date above mentioned.

C. L. Griner,

J. C. Osborn,

G. M. Lynch,

W. L. Jones.

State of Tennessee
Lewis County.

Personally appeared before me, C. J. Hamlin, Clerk of the County Court of said County, C. L. Griner and W. L. Jones subscribing witnesses to the attached will, who being first duly sworn, depose and say that they are personally acquainted with the within named G. F. Overby, the testator, and that he acknowledged the same in their presence and to be an act and deed, for the purposes therein contained. Witness my hand, at office, this 28th day of Jan. 1923.

C. J. Hamlin, clerk.

State of Tennessee,
Lewis County.

Personally appeared before me, C. J. Hamlin, Clerk of the County Court of said County, G. M. Lynch, one of the subscribing witnesses to the attached will, who being first duly sworn, depose and say that he is personally acquainted with the within named G. F. Overby, the testator, and that he acknowledged the same in his presence to be an act and deed, for the purposes therein contained. Witness my hand, at office, this 3th day of Feb. 1923.

C. J. Hamlin, Clerk.

Mrs. Basil O. Hunsley,

County Judge Lewis County, Tenn.

Dear Sir:

My husband, G. F. Overby, made a will, dated May, 22, 1923, in which he appointed me as his executrix, to serve without bond. I do not wish to serve as such executrix and respectfully request your Honor to appoint Mrs. Chas. Greenman to act in my place, he to be appointed by you as the law directs in such matters.

This Jan. 26, 1923.

Yours very truly,
Mrs. G. F. Overby.

Exhibit-A.

State of Tennessee
Lewis County.

It appearing to the Court that G. F. Overby, whose place of residence was in the town of Okemaw, Lewis County, Tenn., has recently died and left a will, said will having on this day and date been properly probated in the County Court of said County, said Will named Minnie Griner Overby as executrix, but she having declined to serve as such administratrix and having requested this Court to appoint Chas. Greenman as

Administrator to carry said will into effect and to otherwise administer on the estate of the deceased, said request having been made in writing and filed as a part of the proceedings in this case.

It is ordered therefore, by this Court that the Clerk of the County Court of said County require the said Chas. Groesman to execute a good and solvent bond for an amount sufficient to cover double the estimated value of said estate and to issue to the said Chas. Groesman Letters Testamentary on the said estate.

This Jan., 28, 1927.

Baskin Owsley, Judge,
County Court, Lewis County, Tenn.
Exhibit-B.

W. A. Sisco.

By J. M. Lawton Executor
Last Will and Testament

I, W. A. Sisco, of Lewis County, Tenn., realizing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death and being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make and publish my last will and testament.

1st. I direct that all of my just debts, including my burial expenses, be paid out of any funds on hand at the time of my death.

2nd. I will and bequeath to my beloved wife, Estelle Sisco, all of my property including the home and lot in which we now reside.

3rd. I bequeath to my said wife all of my undivided interest in the estate of my father, J. T. Sisco, situated in Hickman County, the native of Swan Creek, and any other property that I might fall heir to from any source.

4th. If it is my request that at my wife's death any property owned or controlled by her be equally divided between the "Old People Home" at Nashville, Tenn., and the "Tennessee Orphan Home", at Columbia, Tenn.

5th. I hereby nominate and appoint

J. M. Lawton as my executor to enforce my will.

This Dec. 10, 1926.

W. A. Sisco.

We, the undersigned, witnessed the signing of the foregoing will by the testator, W. A. Sisco, at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other, on the day and date above mentioned.

W. D. Warner,

Joe Overby,

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State of Tennessee
Lubbs County

Personally appeared before me,
A. J. Hambley, Clerk of the County Court of said
County, W. D. Warren and Joel Overby, subscribing
witnesses to the attached Will, who ~~are~~ being
first duly sworn, depose and say that they
are personally acquainted with the within
named W. A. Cate, the testator, and that he ac-
knowledges the same in their presence to be
an act and deed for the purpose therein con-
tained.
Witness my hand, at office, this 22nd day of Feb.
1927.

A. J. Hambley, clerk.

Reuben Cate.

I, Reuben Cate, Executor.

Last Will & Testament.

I, Reuben Cate of R.F.D. #2, Mount
Pleasant, Tennessee, being of sound mind and dispos-
ing memory, hereby revoke all former Wills made
by me, and declare this to be my last Will and
Testament.

First: I desire that all my just bills and funeral
expenses be paid as early as possible.

Second:

I devise and bequeath all of my real
estate of every nature and all my personal
estate and property whatsoever to my sister
Lucy Edna Cate.

Third:

I hereby appoint Lucy Edna Cate to be
executor of this my last Will and Testament
without bond.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed
my name, this 27th day of Aug. 1926, at Caturus,
Kentucky.

Reuben Cate.

Witness:

The above written instrument was sub-
scribed by the said Reuben Cate in our pres-
ence, who, at the time, at his request, and
in his presence and in the presence of each
other, have signed our names as witnesses, hereto,
this 27th day of Aug. 1926.

Lula Redding,

Caturus, Ky.

W. C. Brannon,

Caturus, Ky.

Reuben Cate had been engaged to me this
date, and I consider him mentally competent at
this time to make his Will.

This 27th day of August 1926.

W. S. Donahue, M.D.

(Over)

U. S. Veterans' Hospital #79, Caturus, Kentucky.

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Officiant.
State of Kentucky }
County of Christian }

This is to certify that
W. C. Brandon and Lula Redding, being first
duly sworn upon our oath before and say
that we were present at the time the said
Parker later deceased, made his will, and
signed as witnesses thereto.

W. C. Brandon, witness.
Lula Redding, "

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 2nd
day of March, 1927.

G. Kavanagh,
Notary Public.

My Commission expires July 21, 1930.

I, A. J. Hamlett, County Court Clerk of Lewis
County, Tenn., do hereby certify that on the
sath and day herein mentioned, Mrs. Sue
Edna Carter executrix of the Will of Parker
Carter deceased, filed the attached will in
my office for probate, together with all
the certificates and affidavits thereto attached,
and read in

THE J. B. HARRIS & SONS CO., HARRISVILLE

Clerk
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Issued
Decreed

Will of C. H. Williams.

In the name of God Amen:

I C. H. Williams of Hokenwald in the County of Lewis
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 order and direct that my Executor 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 beloved wife
Mamie Williams all my estate and property of all des-
cription, consisting of my dwelling and lots in Hokenwald
Tenn. including all house hold and kitchen furniture,
to handle and dispose of as she may see fit.

Third I also bequeath to my beloved wife Mamie
Williams the proceeds after my just debts and funeral
expenses are paid of a certain Life Insurance Policy No.
19225, in the Security Trust & Life Insurance Co. of
New York, but now assumed by the Metropolitan Life
Insurance Co. of New York for the sum of \$1,000.00.

Fourth It is my further desire that the real estate and the
house hold and kitchen furniture above mentioned shall
immediately after my death revert to my said wife
Mamie Williams and that my Executor hereinafter named
shall not be burdened with looking after the same.

Lastly I make constitute and appoint, F. H. Goodman 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 29th day of May in
the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred twenty
six.

C. H. Williams, Seal

This instrument was on the day of the date thereof signed
published and declared by the said C. H. Williams to be
his last will and testament in the presence of us who at
his request have subscribed our names there to as
witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other.

H. H. Lovelless,
E. L. Baker,

State of Tenn. }
Lewis County. } Personally appeared
before me A. J. Hamlett, Clerk of the County Court of said County
H. H. Lovelless and E. L. Baker, subscribing witnesses to the attached

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Officiant.
State of Tennessee
County of Christian

This is to certify that
W. C. Brandon and Lula Redding, being first
duly sworn upon our oath before and say
that we were present at the time the said
Reuben Cates, deceased, made his will, and
signed as witnesses thereto.

W. C. Brandon, witness.
Lula Redding, "

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 2nd
day of March, 1927.

G. H. Hagan, Jr.,
Notary Public.

My Commission expires July 21, 1930.

I, A. J. Hamlett, County Court Clerk of Lewis
County, Tenn., do hereby certify that on the
sath and day herein mentioned, Mrs. Lou
Edna Cates, executrix of the Will of Reuben
Cates, deceased, filed the attached will in
my office for probate, together with all
the certificate and affidavits thereto attached
and said will was probated and recorded in
Will Record, Book 1, Pages 222, 223 and 224, and
the Court Ordered that proper entry of same
be made in the Minutes of the County Court
of Lewis County, Tenn., this March, 3rd, 1927.

A. J. Hamlett, Clerk,
County Court, Lewis County, Tenn.

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY (Box 19-3)		58866 MARSHALL & BRUCE CO., NASHVILLE
State of Tennessee, <u>Lewis</u> County		
TO Mrs. Lou Edna Cates, A Citizen of <u>Lewis</u> County:		
WHEREAS, It appears to the Court here that <u>Reuben Cates</u> late of said County, is dead, and hath made his last Will and Testament in writing, in which he hath appointed		
Mrs. Lou Edna Cates		Executrix to the same, which Will hath
been exhibited in Court, and proved as the law directs; it is therefore ordered by the said Court that Letters Testamentary of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said <u>Reuben Cates</u> deceased, issue to the said <u>Mrs. Lou Edna Cates</u> having been qualified according to law.		

Will of C. H. Williams.

In the name of God Amen:

I, C. H. Williams of Hohenwald in the County of Lewis,
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 order and direct that my Executor, hereinafter
named, pay all my just debt 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 beloved wife
Mamie Williams all my estate and property of all desc-
ription, consisting of my dwelling and lot in Hohenwald
Tenn. including all house hold and kitchen furniture
to handle and dispose of as she may see fit.

Third I also bequeath to my beloved wife Mamie
Williams the proceeds after my just debts and funeral
expenses are paid of a certain Life Insurance Policy No.
19225, in the Security Trust and Life Insurance Co. of
New York, but now assumed by the Metropolitan Life
Insurance Co. of New York for the sum of \$1,000.00.

Fourth It is my further desire that the real estate and the
house hold and kitchen furniture above mentioned shall
immediately after my death revert to my said wife
Mamie Williams and that my Executor hereinafter named
shall not be burdened with looking after the same.

Lastly I make constitute and appoint, F. B. Goodson 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 27th day of May in
the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred twenty
seven.

C. H. Williams, [Seal]

This instrument was on the day of the date thereof signed
published and declared by the said C. H. Williams to be
his last Will and testament in the presence of us who at
his request have subscribed our names there to as
witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other.

H. H. Loveless,
E. L. Baker,

State of Tenn.,
Lewis County, } Personally appeared
before me A. J. Hamlett, Clerk of the County Court of said County
W. H. Loveless and E. L. Baker subscribing witnesses to the attached

State of Tennessee
Levi's County

Personally appeared before me,
C. P. Hamblin, Clerk of the County Court of said
County, W. S. Warren and Joel Kirby subscribing
witnesses to the attached Will, who ~~made~~ being
first duly sworn, depose and say that they
are personally acquainted with the within
named W. C. Sisco, the testator, and that he so
knows the same in their presence to be
an act and deed, for the purposes therein con-
tained.

Witness my hand, at office, this 22nd day of Feb
1827.

C. P. Hamblin, clerk.

Reuben Cater,
H. E. Edna Cater, Executrix,
Last Will & Testament.

I Reuben Cater of R. F. D. #2, Mount
Pleasant, Tennessee, being of sound mind and disposing
my money freely make all former wills made
by me, and declare this to be my last Will and
Testament.

First: I desire that all my just debts and funeral
expenses be paid as early as possible.

Second:
I desire that hereinafter all of my real

universal
Elihu H. O.
Ince Co. of
Republican Life
of \$1000.00.

The real estate and the
above mentioned shall
be sold to my said wife
executrix herein after named
looking after the same,
and appoint, F. H. Goodman to be
a Will and Testament, hereby revoking
all made.

Wherefore, I have hereunto subscribed
affixed my seal the 27th day of May in
Lord One thousand nine hundred twenty

C. H. Williams, deed

Summit was on the day of the date thereof signed
and declared by the said C. H. Williams to be
last will and testament in the presence of us who at
his request have subscribed our names there to as
witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other.

H. H. Loveless,
E. L. Baker

State of Tenn. }
Levi's County, } Personally appeared
before me A. J. Hamlett, Clerk of the County Court of said County,
W. H. Loveless and E. L. Baker subscribing witnesses to the attached

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY		State of Tennessee, Lewis County	
TO	Mrs. Lou Edna Cater,	A Citizen of	Lewis
WHEREAS, it appears to the Court here shown	that	that	that
the of said County, is dead, and hath made his last Will and Testament in writing, in which he hath appointed	Mrs. Lou Edna Cater	Executrix to the same, which Will hath	been exhibited in Court, and proved as the law directs, it is therefore ordered by the said Court that Letters Testamentary be all
and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said	Mrs. Lou Edna Cater	having been qualified according to law.	
There are, therefore, to empower you, the said	Mrs. Lou Edna Cater	to enter into	
and upon all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said	Mrs. Lou Edna Cater	to make and return to our said County Court, and all just debts of the said	
deceased, and the same in your possession take whenever the same may be found, and a true and perfect inventory thereof	Mrs. Lou Edna Cater	to make and return to our said County Court, and all just debts of the said	
deceased, to pay; and also well and truly pay and deliver all the legacies contained and specified in said Testament, as far as the	Mrs. Lou Edna Cater	said goods, chattels and credits will hereunto extend and the law charge you.	
Witness	C. P. Hamblin	Clerk of said Court, at office, this	27 th day of
March	1827	year of American Independence.	180
		Clerk.	D. C.

Will who being first duly sworn depose and say that they are personally acquainted with the within named C. H. Williams the testator and that he acknowledged the same in their presence to be an act and deed for the purpose therein contained.

Witness my hand at office this 31st day of Feb. 1927.
 J. H. Hamlett, Clerk

Exhibit A

I, Frank Graham Jones, of Clearwater Florida, do make and publish this my Last Will and Testament, here by revoking all former Wills, and devise:-

First: I give my wife Nina K. Jones all of the property, real, personal or mixed and whatsoever situated, of which I may die the owner.

Second: I nominate and appoint said Nina K. Jones Executrix of this Will; and as far as I am legally empowered to do, I waive the filing of inventory or making return to or settling with any Court.

In Witness Whereof, I sign this as my Last Will and Testament this 6th day of June 1927.

Frank Graham Jones

We witness the signature of Frank Graham Jones to the above Will; being called as witnesses by him, and witness the same at his request as his last will and testament.

We signed same in our presence, we sign here to as witnesses, in his presence, and in the presence of each other, and by his express directions.

Charles Phil.

Arthur B. Harrison.

In the Court County Judge in and for Pinellas County, Florida, sitting as a Court of Probate.

In Re Estate of
 Frank Graham Jones,
 Deceased.

Proff. of Will

State of Florida
 County of Pinellas

Before me, J. Frank Hobson, County Judge in and for Pinellas County, Florida, personally appeared Thos. Bayly, who being first duly sworn, depose and say that he has known the said Frank Graham Jones, now deceased, for a period of more than ten years; that applicant is the Vice-President and Cashier of the Republic Bank of Clearwater, Florida, and that the said Frank Graham Jones, was a depositor of said Institution for several years; that he frequently saw the said Frank Graham Jones, from his name; that he has examined the paper writing hereto attached and marked exhibit "A" and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Frank Graham Jones; and that he verily believes the signature thereto, to be the genuine signature of the said Frank Graham Jones, and believes said paper writing to be the last will and testament of the said Frank Graham Jones.

Thos. Bayly.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of October A. D. 1927.

J. Frank Hobson,
 County Judge.

In the Court of County Judge, Pinellas County,
 State of Florida.
 Estate of Frank Graham Jones,
 Deceased.

To the Honorable J. Frank Hobson Judge of said Court.
 The petition of Nina K. Jones, respectfully sheweth that she is a resident of Pinellas County, State of Florida; that on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1927, Frank Graham Jones of Clearwater in said County and State departed this life at Rochester, Minnesota, leaving a last will and testament duly signed and attested as your petitioner believes which she now presents.

to your Honor for probate.

That the said testator in said Will
Annexed your petition reciting thereof. That
said deceased left property and effects as follows:

Home in Belleair Florida.

Real Estate in Memphis, Shelby County Tennessee.

Real Estate in Chicago, Cook County Illinois.

Real Estate in Los Angeles, California.

Real Estate in Miami, Dade County Florida.

Real Estate at Stone Lake, Wisconsin.

Stocks and Bonds in Memphis, Shelby County Tennessee.

and New York City, N. Y.

That the deceased left no surviving widow
and children as follows:

Levy H. Jones, Private Pleasant Mamm County Tenn.

John Bell Jones, Division, Upper Mont Clair, New Jersey.

Artella Jones, Clinton Tenn.

William James Jones, Memphis Shelby County Tennessee.

That your petitioner resides at Belleair,

Pinellas County, State of Florida and is willing to

accept and undertake the trust confided to her

in said Will of Frank Graham Jones, deceased.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that the

said Will of Frank Graham Jones, deceased, may be

admitted to probate and letters testamentary

thereon may be issued to her after proper hearing

and proof and that all other orders necessary

may be made.

Very respectfully,
Kenna R. Jones.

Shelby County,
Tennessee.

Kenna R. Jones, being duly sworn,

says that the foregoing petition is by her subscribed

and true.

Kenna R. Jones.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day

of September A.D. 1927.

Carl King

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

11/1/28.

In Court of County Judge
Pinellas County
State of Florida.

Estate of

Frank Graham Jones, deceased.

Personally appeared before me

J. Frank Nelson, County Judge for

the County of said Arthur B. Newman, one of the subscribing

witnesses to the foregoing paper writing, who being duly sworn,

declares and swears that Frank Graham Jones, his son, died in his presence,

signed, read and published the foregoing paper writing as and for

his Last Will and Testament, and that he, the said witness,

signed the same as and for the said testator, at the special request

of said testator, and that the said testator signed said paper

writing in the presence of Charles J. Jones, and two

affiant, John Thomas, and said paper writing, as

subscribing witnesses, in the presence and at the request

of the testator, and also in the presence of this affiant,

and that he truly believes said paper writing to be the

true Last Will and Testament of said testator.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

3rd day of October, A.D. 1927.

J. Frank Nelson

County Judge.

(County Judge seal.)

By the Court of County Judge

Pinellas County

State of Florida

Estate of

Frank Graham Jones, deceased.

By the County Judge and County

The Last Will and Testament, having been duly

established by the sworn testimony of Arthur B. Newman,

one of the subscribing and attesting witnesses thereto,

as being the true Last Will and Testament of the said

Frank Graham Jones, and the sworn testimony

of John Thomas as to the signature of the said

Frank Graham Jones, and as to said paper writing,

being the true Last Will and Testament of said

Frank Graham Jones, and no objections being made

the probate thereof, and it appearing to the County

Judge of said County by due proof, that the said

Frank Graham Jones, died on the 11th day of September 1927.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed, that the said Last Will and Testament, bearing date 6th day of June 1924 and attested by Charles O. Pfeil and Arthur B. Newman. As subscribing witnesses thereto be, and the same is hereby admitted to probate according to law as and for the true Last Will and Testament of said Frank Graham Jones deceased, and that the same, with the foregoing, be duly recorded in the Book of Wills.

Given under my hand and seal at Clearwater in said County, this 3rd day of Oct. 1927.

J. Frank Hobson.

County Judge.

(County Judge's Seal)

State of Florida }
County of Pinellas }

I, Court of County Judge.

Pinellas County
State of Florida.

In re the Estate of
Frank Graham Jones, deceased.

By the Judge of said Court.

The Last Will and Testament of Frank Graham Jones having been duly admitted to probate and record in this Court on the 3rd day of October A.D. 1927, and it appearing by the said Last Will and Testament that Nina K. Jones is named therein as executrix thereof, and the said Nina K. Jones having prayed the Court to grant Letters Testamentary thereon to her as such executrix and no objections being made thereto.

It is ordered, adjudged and decreed, that upon taking oath prescribed by law Letters Testamentary as aforesaid, under seal of this Court, be granted to said Nina K. Jones as executrix of said Last Will and Testament.

Witness my name as Judge aforesaid, and the Seal of said Court of Clearwater in said County, this 3rd day of October A.D. 1927.

J. Frank Hobson.

County Judge.

(County Judge's Seal)

In re Estate of
Frank Graham Jones, deceased.
State of Florida }
County of Pinellas }

I, John H. Bird, sole Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of the County Judge's Court within and for the County aforesaid, sitting as a Court of probate, and Custodian of the records and files thereof, do hereby certify the attached and foregoing to be true and correct transcript of the Last Will and Testament of Frank Graham Jones, deceased, Proof of Will; Application for Letters Testamentary; Order admitting to probate and Record; and Order for Letters Testamentary, In re the Estate of Frank Graham Jones deceased.

As the same appears from Records and files of this Court. I further certify this said Will was duly executed, proved and admitted to probate and record in strict conformity with the laws and usages of said State of Florida in such cases made and provided.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at Clearwater in said County of Pinellas, this 20th day of October 1927.

J. Frank Hobson.
County Judge & Ex-Officio Clerk.

State of Florida }
County of Pinellas }

I, John H. Bird, sole Judge of the County Judge's Court within and for said County, the same being a Court of law and record, do hereby certify that the signature attached to the above certificate, purporting to be that of John H. Bird is his signature, and that at the time thereof he was Ex-Officio Clerk of the said County Judge's Court, and as such full faith and credit are due, all acts and the attestation of said Clerk is in due form of law and by the proper officer.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at

(over)

Clearwater in said County of Pinellas, this
20th day of October A.D. 1927.

J. Frank Hobson.
County Judge.

State of Florida

County of Pinellas, ss.

I, John U. Bird, sole Judge and
Ex-Officio Clerk of the County Judge of Court
within and for the County of Pinellas Florida
do hereby certify that John U. Bird, whose
genuine signature appears to the foregoing
certificate, is now and was at the time of
signing the same, sole and presiding Judge
of said Court, duly elected, commissioned
and qualified and that all his official acts
as such, are entitled to full faith and credit

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the seal of said
Court at Clearwater in said County of
Pinellas, this 20th day of October A.D. 1927.
J. Frank Hobson.
County Judge & Ex-Officio Clerk.

B. Brinn, Decd.
Last Will and Testament.

(Whewale), recorded the 26, 1927.

B. Brinn, this is to show that I want my wife to
have all of my property at my death, she all
the land I have. What we had was bought with
her money. The place we sold at London was here,
so, this is to show that I want my wife to have
all I have (left) here.

B. Brinn.

To his wife.

This is B. Brinn's signature.
B. Brinn.

State of Tennessee,
Lynch County.

Personally appeared before me,
C. J. Hambley, County Court Clerk of said County,
C. E. Kirk, J. W. Lewis and Atlas Webb, who,
make oath in due form of law and state
on oath that they are familiar with the sig-
nature of B. Brinn as they have read a
paper writing now on file in this Court pur-
porting to be the last will of the said B.
Brinn and that each of them declare
that the signature thereto is the genuine
signature of the said B. Brinn, deceased.
They further state that they have known
B. Brinn and have been familiar with
his signature for at least 25 years.
This May, 31, 1928.

C. E. Kirk,

J. W. Lewis,

Atlas Webb.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this May, 31, 1928.

C. J. Hambley
Co. Ct. Clerk.

Louis Kaufman

By Mrs. Minnie Kaufman, Executrix.

Last Will and Testament.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, Louis Kaufman of Hohenwald in the County of Lewis, 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.

1st, I order and direct that my Executrix hereinafter named, pay all my just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as conveniently may be.

2nd, After the payment of such funeral expenses and debts, I give, devise and bequeath

To my beloved wife, Minnie Kaufman, all of my property, both real and personal, of whatever kind, consisting of farm, farming tools, live stock, furniture, provisions, cash on bank, cash on hand, and all other property of all kinds, to her during her life time, and at her death, that ever property then in hand, all kinds I wish to be divided equally between my beloved children namely: Minnie (Kaufman) Haas, Bertha (Kaufman) Hiltzberg, Elsie (Kaufman) Schmidt, and Milna Kaufman.

Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint my beloved wife, Minnie Kaufman, to be Executrix of 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 27th day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred, twenty eight.

Louis Kaufman.

This instrument was on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said testator Louis Kaufman to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of persons who at his request have subscribed, six names must be witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other.

W. T. Plummer
A. M. Pasbury.

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State of Tennessee }
Lewis County }

Personally appeared before me, A. J. Hamblitt, Clerk of the County Court of said County, W. T. Plummer and A. M. Pasbury, subscribing witnesses to the attached Will, who being first duly sworn, depose and say that they are personally acquainted with the within named Louis Kaufman the testator and that he acknowledged the same in their presence to be an act and deed, for the purpose therein contained.

Witness my hand at office, this 1st day of Dec. 1928.

A. J. Hamblitt, Clerk.

Frank J. Cheatham,

Petitioner of L. C. Cunningham,
Last Will and Testament.

To the Honorable County Judge of
Lewis County, Tennessee.

Your Petitioner, L. C. Cunningham, through his Attorney, F. D. Wilson, of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, presents an exemplification of the will of Frank J. Cheatham, from Davidson County, Tennessee, and asks that same be admitted to probate and record, as and for the last will and testament of the said Frank J. Cheatham, and moves the Court that the same be admitted to probate as such and recorded in the Current Will Book.

L. C. Cunningham,
By F. D. Wilson,
Attorney.

In matter of petition of L. C. Cunningham for admission to probate and record of an exemplification of the will of Frank J. Cheatham, deceased.

Frank J. Cheatham,

Case of Admission to Probate and Record
Last Will and Testament.

This matter came on to be heard before the Honorable Backi Owsley, County Judge of Lewis County, Tennessee, upon the petition and motion of L. C. Cunningham that the said exemplification of the said will of the said Frank J. Cheatham, deceased, be admitted to probate and record in this Court. And after an inspection of the said exemplification and upon consideration of the petition and motion, the Court is of the opinion that the said exemplification is regular and entitled to probate and record in this Court. It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the said exemplification

be admitted to record in this County, and the Clerk is directed to record same in the Current Will Book.

Your petitioner will pay the cost of this proceedings, for which execution may issue.

Backi Owsley, Judge
Lewis County Court.

State of Tennessee }
County of Davidson }

County Court of said County, met pursuant to adjournment at the Court House in Nashville, Saturday morning, February, 28, 1886. Present His Honor Jas. C. Frazier, Judge, Cter., where, among other things, the following proceeding was had, to-wit:

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of F. J. Cheatham, died, was produced in this Court for probate and proved that E. L. Gregory & Mrs. Edith S. Cheatham the subscribing witnesses being first duly sworn upon and say that they became such at the request and in the presence of the testator, and they verily believe he was of sound and disposing memory at the time of executing the same. It is therefore ordered by the that said paper writing be admitted to record as the last will and testament of F. J. Cheatham, died. And thereupon came the Union Bank & Trust Company, the executor named in said last will and testament, and executed bond in the sum of five thousand dollars with Edgar Jones & J. Will Eakin Securities, and qualified according to law. Ordered that Letters issue to them.

Approved:

John C. Frazier, Judge.

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Frank J. Chatham,

Last Will & Testament.

Know all men by these presents that I, F. J. Chatham do make and publish this as my last will and testament.

1st. I desire that all my just debts be paid by my executor hereinafter named.

2nd. I give ~~and~~ devise and bequeath unto my dearly beloved wife Edith A. Chatham all of the rest and residue of my estate real personal and mixed of any kind and wherever located, to have and to hold absolutely to her she and her heirs and assigns and free from all marital rights of any future husband she may have.

3rd. I nominate and appoint the Union Bank and Trust Company of Nashville, Tennessee, as the executor of this my will, and I hereby give to ~~my~~ said executor the right, power and authority with the consent of my wife Edith A. Chatham to sell any such of my real and personal property as they may deem necessary to pay my debts and I also authorize and empower my said executor to sell & convey and execute deeds by and with the consent and approval in writing of wife for any of my real estate they may come to the best interest of my wife and child, and invest the proceeds in safe, interest bearing securities or in other interest bearing property.

It is my desire that said Union Bank and Trust Company shall continue to act as executor of my estate and trustee for the management of my property during the life time of my wife Edith A. Chatham, and should she die before my son Felix R. Chatham reaches his majority I desire them to continue so to act until he my said son shall reach the age of twenty one years. But I do specially reserve to my wife Edith A. Chatham the right and authority any time after all of my debts shall have been paid by

my said executor, to withdraw from their hands my said estate if she be not satisfied with their management of it, and in the event she elects to so withdraw it, she may if she wish place the management thereof in the hands of any other person or corporation whom she may select, or she may conduct the management thereof by herself if she so choose.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 31st day of January 1896.

Ed. Gregory,
Mrs. Edith S. Chatham.

County Court Clerk
Davidson County, Tennessee.
Davidson County
State of Tennessee

I, Dick Lindsey, Clerk of the County Court of Davidson County, State of Tennessee, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and complete copy of the Last Will and Testament of F. J. Chatham, deceased, probated Feb. 29, 1896, recorded in Will Book #33, page 367, together with the probate thereof recorded in Min. 2, page 493, which remains of record on file in said office.

Given under my hand and official seal, at office, in Nashville, this 27th day of November, 1896.

Dick Lindsey,
Clerk of the County Court.

State of Tennessee,
Davidson County.

I, Linton Oltman, sole Presiding Judge of the County Court of said County, do hereby certify that Dick Lindsey whose genuine signature appears to the foregoing certificate, is now, and was at the time of signing the same, Clerk of said County Court (which is a Court of Record), duly elected and qualified as such, and that said attestation is in due form of law.

and by the proper officer.
Given under my hand at Nashville, this 27th day
of November, 1928.

William Nickman,
Judge.

State of Tennessee }
Davidson County, }

I, Dick Anderson, Clerk of the County
Court of said County, do hereby certify that
William Nickman, whose genuine signature
appears in the foregoing certificate, is now,
and was at the time of signing the same, the
Presiding Judge of the County Court, in and
for said County, duly elected and qualified as
such, and that said attestation is in due form
of law.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court at office
this 27th day of November, 1928.

Dick Anderson,
Clerk.

Joe Stumlichner.
Last Will and Testament.

Be It Remembered, that I, Joe Stumlichner, in the
City of Obienville, in the State of Tennessee, do
make this my last will and testament, in the manner
following: that is to say, I give, bequeath
all my estate and property, real and personal,
including my farm about 3 1/2 miles South-east
of Obienville, Tennessee, and all personal property
thereon, to my wife, Francis Stumlichner, to
have and dispose of as she may see fit.
In Witness Whereof I have signed and sealed
and published and declared this instrument
as my will, at Obienville, Tennessee, on
this the 14th day of November, 1928.

Joe Stumlichner.
(Seal)

The said Joe Stumlichner at said Obienville,
Tennessee, on said 14th day of November, 1928,
signed and sealed this instrument, and
published and declared the same as and for
his last will in our presence. And we,
at his request, and in his presence, and
in the presence of each other, have hereunto
written our names as subscribing witnesses.

Joe Stumlichner.
Ludwig Chapman.
Peter Thurg, Sr.

State of Tennessee }
Lewis County, }

Personally appeared before me, C. J. Hamilton,
Clerk of the County Court of said County, Peter Thurg, Sr.,
one of the subscribing witnesses to the attached Will,
whom being first duly sworn, depose and say that he
was personally acquainted with the within named
Joe Stumlichner, the testator, and that he acknowledged
the same in his presence to be an act and deed for
the purpose therein contained.

Witness my hand at office, this 28th day of June, 1929.
C. J. Hamilton, Clerk.

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 State of Tennessee,
 Lewis County,

Personally appeared before me,
 J. B. Hamlett, Clerk of the County Court of said
 County, Arnold Shiver, who made oath in due
 form of law that he had been personally acquainted
 with Ludwig Kaufman, one of the subscribing
 witnesses to the attached will, who is now dead,
 and has been familiar with the handwriting of
 the said Ludwig Kaufman for many years, and
 that the signature of the said Ludwig Kaufman
 to the will of Joe Stuebner, deceased, herewith
 attached, is the genuine signature of the
 said Ludwig Kaufman, deceased.

Arnold Shiver,

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
 this 28th day of June, 1928. (Seal)

J. B. Hamlett, Clerk.

State of Tennessee
 Lewis County,

Personally appeared before me,
 J. B. Hamlett, Clerk of the County Court of said County,
 Peter Flury, Sr., who after first being duly sworn says
 that he was one of the subscribing witnesses to the
 will of Joe Stuebner, deceased, and that Ludwig
 Kaufman, who is now dead, was also one of
 the subscribing witnesses, and that the said
 Ludwig Kaufman signed the said will in
 his presence and in the presence of the testator,
 and that he, the said Peter Flury, Sr. was
 acquainted with the handwriting of the said
 Ludwig Kaufman, deceased, and that the
 signature of Ludwig Kaufman to the
 attached will is his genuine signature.

Peter Flury,

(Seal)

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
 this 28th day of June, 1928.

J. B. Hamlett, Clerk.

Will of W. J. Edwards, Deed.

Witness: Lewis County, 11th 1918

This instrument witnesseth that I, W. J. Edwards, now
 a resident of Lewis County, Tennessee, being in good
 health and of sound mind, but realizing the un-
 certainty of life do make this my last will and
 testament.

I give and bequeath to my wife, Alice Daniel
 Edwards, all of the property of which I may die
 possessed, including real estate of all kinds where-
 ever located, together with life insurance and all
 personal property.

She, Alice Daniel Edwards, being required and
 directed to pay out of this property my just and
 legal debts which I may owe at the time of
 my death.

W. J. Edwards.

Witness to signature

J. R. Orice, Witness
 R. T. Buchanan
 L. E. Lyke

The later will dated Apr. 29, 1921 was executed
 for the purpose of fully carrying out and establish-
 ing the right and power of the beneficiary to
 sell this property and use the proceeds in any
 way that may seem best.

April 29-21

W. J. Edwards.

Last Will and Testament of W. J. Edwards, Deed.

Knoxville Tenn. Apr. 29th 1921.

This instrument witnessed that I, W. J. Edwards now a resident of Knoxville Lewis Co. Tenn. being in good health and of sound mind but realizing the uncertainties of life, do make this my last will and testament.

I give and bequeath to my wife Alice Daniel Edwards, all of the property of which I may die possessed, including personal property of any and all kinds and Real Estate of any and all kinds, wherever same may be located. She, Alice Daniel Edwards to have the property absolutely and without restriction, to hold, to use or to sell and dispose of in any way that may seem best to her.

She is required and directed to pay out of this property my just and legal debts which I may owe at the time of my death.

W. J. Edwards

Witness to signature

R. F. Buchanan, Knoxville Tenn.

G. C. McClaren

J. H. Skilton

Mrs. Alice Daniel Edwards is to serve as Adm. without Bond.

State of Tennessee

Lewis County

Personally appeared before me, A. J. Hamblitt, Clerk of the County Court of said County, G. C. McClaren and J. H. Skilton subscribing witnesses to the attached Will, who being first duly sworn, depose and say that they are personally acquainted with the within named W. J. Edwards Deed.

the forgorer and that he acknowledged the same in their presence to be his act and deed, for the purpose therein contained.

Witness my hand, at office, this 8th day of Oct. 1921.

A. J. Hamblitt, Clerk.

Last Will and Testament of Abb Hinsley, Deed.

(State of Tennessee)
Lewis County

November 17, 1909

I, Abb Hinsley, wife of John Hinsley, being in sound mind, do make this my last will and bequeath.

I for the love and affection and other valuable consideration unmentionable, I have for my husband, John Hinsley, do will to him any and all property real or personal, which I do seized and in possession to have and hold forever.

Abbie Hinsley.

Witness to signature

John Stackard

Charlie Holway

State of Tennessee
Lewis County

Personally appeared before me, Levi Baker, Clerk of Lewis County, S. N. Stackard making statement that he was present on the 17th day of November, 1909, and that Charlie Holway did sign the will of Abbie Hinsley sworn to and signed before me, Levi Baker, Clerk of Lewis County, this Sept. 4, 1930.

Personally appeared before me, Levi Baker, Clerk of Lewis County, John Stackard in making oath that he was present on the 17th day of November 1909, and signed Abbie Hinsley's will.

Signed John Stackard,
Sworn to before me, Levi Baker, Clerk of
Lewis County this 4th day of Sept. 1930.

Affidavit to will of S. W. Savage, Dec'd.

Be it remembered that on this the 12th day of February, 1931, before the Hon. Baski Henley, Judge of the County Court of Lewis Co., Olney Savage, the person named therein, produced in open Court a paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of S. W. Savage, lately dec'd, bearing date of Feb. 24, 1930, having the name S. W. Savage, signed thereto and being subscribed by Ross Sparkman and Galloway Whitside as attesting witnesses, and moved the Court that the same be admitted to probate and record as the last will and testament of the said S. W. Savage, dec'd. and in appearing to the Court from the testimony of the said Ross Sparkman and Galloway Whitside the subscribing witnesses, that said paper writing was written in the life time of the said S. W. Savage and signed by him and subscribed in his presence and at his request by the said Ross Sparkman and Galloway Whitside as attesting witnesses, and that said instrument was executed on the day and date it bears date as and for his last will and testament, that he was at the time of sound mind and disposing memory and more than twenty one years of age, and said S. W. Savage lately died in Lewis County, Tenn. and that his usual place of residence at the time of his death was in said County, it is so adjudged and decreed by the Court.

And it is adjudged and declared by the Court that said instrument is the true, whole and last will and testament of the said S. W. Savage, dec'd. and the same is hereby admitted to probate as such, and the Clerk will file and record the same as required by law.

And on motion of the said Olney Savage, it is ordered by the Court that letters testamentary be granted and issued to him as executor of said last will of S. W. Savage

dec'd, he having been named as such in said will, upon giving bond in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars, which said sum is agreed to by the devisee and legatee named in said will and appearing to the Court to be sufficient, and taking the oath for performing said will, and thereupon the said Olney Savage appeared in open Court and with him Haynes Perry, Wilburn Savage and A. W. Taylor his approved securities, and gave bond in penalty above required and in the form prescribed by law, and the said Olney Savage took the oath for performing the will of the dec'd; and accordingly letters testamentary are now granted to the said Olney Savage and ordered issued and recorded.

Baski Henley, Judge Lewis Co.

Last Will and Testament of S. M. Savage.

I, S. M. Savage, of Lewis County, Tenn. do make and publish this as and for my last will and testament, hereby revoking any will heretofore made by me.

First. I desire all my debts and funeral expenses paid by my Executor out of my personal estate as soon as practicable.

Second. I give, bequeath and devise to my wife, Anna Savage, for and during her natural life, all my real estate and at her death said real estate to go equally to my five children, share and share alike, as tenants-in-common. And I also give to her one horse and one cow to be selected by her, and also all my household and kitchen furniture.

Third. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Grace Savage, one horse to be selected by her after my wife has chosen the one she desires.

Fourth. I desire all the balance of my personal estate to be equally divided between my five children, viz., Mrs. Anna Taylor, wife of Hugh Taylor, Elney Savage, William Savage, Margaret Perry, wife of Haynes Perry, and Grace Savage, share and share alike.

Fifth. I hereby appoint and desire Hugh Taylor to be the guardian of the property of my daughter, Grace Savage, requesting her mother to consent thereto.

Sixth. I hereby nominate and appoint my son, Elney S. Savage, Executor of my estate and he will give such bond as my said children including Hugh Taylor as guardian of Grace Savage, may require and it is my wish and desire that when my land is either divided in kind or sold for division, my said devisees will do so without resort to any Court.

Witness my signature 24th day of Feb. 1921.
S. M. Savage.

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Signed by said S. M. Savage 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 hereto as attesting witnesses, the day and date above written.

Ross Sparkman
Galloway Whiteside.

Affidavit to Will of Mrs. Sally Sharp

Be it remembered that on this day, the 23rd day of May, 1931, before the Hon. Baskie Hensley, Judge of the County Court of Lewis County, Tennesse, Laken A. Lindsey, the person named therein, produced in open Court a paper of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Mrs. Sally Sharp, Decd., bearing date of November the 3rd 1921 and having the name of Mrs. Sally Sharp signed thereto and being subscribed by W. M. Cashbury and W. A. Lindsey as attesting witnesses; and moved the Court that the same be admitted to probate and record as the last will and testament of the said Mrs. Sally Lindsey Decd. It appearing to the Court from the testimony of the said W. M. Cashbury and W. A. Lindsey the subscribing witnesses, that said paper writing was written in the life time of the said Mrs. Sally Sharp and signed by her and subscribed in her presence and at her request by the said W. M. Cashbury and W. A. Lindsey as attesting witnesses and that instrument was executed on the date as and for her last will and testament, that she was at the time of sound mind and disposing memory and being 21 years of age. The said Mrs. Sally Sharp lately died in Lewis County, Tenn. and that her usual place of residence at the time of her death was in said County, it is so adjudged and decreed by the Court.

And it is adjudged and declared by

by the Court that said instrument is the true, whole and last will and testament of the said Mrs. Sally Sharp, dec'd. and the same is hereby admitted to probate as such, and the Clerk will file and record the same as required by law.

And on motion of the said Saken Lindsey, it is ordered by the Court that letters testamentary be granted to him as Executor of said Will of Mrs. Sally Sharp, dec'd., he having been named as such in said Will without Bond, which is agreed to by the devisee and legatee named in said Will and appearing to the Court to be sufficient and taking the oath for performing such Will and thereupon the said Saken Lindsey appeared in open Court as required and in the form prescribed by law, and the said Saken Lindsey took the oath for performing the will of said Mrs. Sally Sharp, dec'd., and accordingly letters testamentary are now granted to the said Saken Lindsey, and ordered issued and recorded.

Barki Lindsey
County Judge of Lewis Co.

Last Will and Testament of Mrs. Sally Sharp.

I, Mrs. Sally Sharp, of Lewis County, Tenn., being of sound mind, make this my last will. I order and direct that all my just debts shall be paid with convenient speed. I give, devise, bequeath my estate, and property, both real and personal to Saken A. Lindsey, my brother and appoint him executor of this my last will, without bond.

In witness whereof, I have signed and sealed and published and declared this instrument as my will, at Hohenwald, Tenn., on this the 3rd day of Nov. 1921.

Sallie Sharp

We said, Mrs. Sallie Sharp, at said Hohenwald, Tenn., on said 3rd day of Nov. 1921, signed and sealed this instrument, and published and declared the same as and for her last will in our presence. And we at her request, and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto written our names as subscribing witnesses.

A. M. Paschall
W. A. Lindsey