

I Abner C. Heath of the county of Lincoln and State of Tennessee planter do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made and first I direct that my body be decently interred at in said County in a manner suitable to my condition in life - And as to such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to entrust me with, I dispose of the same as follows First I direct that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible out of any money that I may die possessed of or may hereafter come into the hands of my executor from any portion of my estate real or personal - Secondly I give and bequeath my home and farm to my beloved wife during her natural life and at her death it to be equally divided between my children and I want as much of my perishable property sold as will pay my just debts and the balance to be for the use of my wife and children

I do hereby make ordain and appoint my esteemed neighbors and friends Samuel Young and John Copeland executors of this my last will and testament

In witness whereof I Abner C. Heath the said testator have to this my will written on one sheet of paper set my hand and seal this thirtieth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

Signed, sealed in presence of us

James Correll

James Frame

Abner C. Heath

Proven at the August Term 1838 of the County Court of Lincoln County - Tennessee
C. Bayles, Clerk

I William S. Hall being in a low state of health but being in sound mind do make this my last will and testament First I bequeath my soul to God who gave it Second I wish and desire that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any money that I may die possessed of or may hereafter come into the hands of my executor. Third I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Rebecca one man and cott named Jude, two cows & calves one bed and furniture, one cupboard one Bureau, one loom and such other house hold and kitchen furniture as my executor thinks she will need for her comfort and convenience, and as much corn, fodder, wheat and oats, Beef and Pork as my said executor thinks sufficient for one years support for her and her family. Also it is my desire that my wife Rebecca shall have the entire use and control of my plantation to enable her to live comfortable and maintain herself and children during her natural life. She shall have the privilege of renting it out, cultivating it or in any other way using it for her own advantage by and with the consent of my said executor. Fourth I give and bequeath to my daughter Lucinda A. Hall one bed and furniture. Fifth it is my desire that my executor shall as soon as practicable after my death proceed to sell all my effects on a credit of twelve months. Except what is heretofore provided for and close my business as soon as possible after this. It is my desire request that after the death of my wife Rebecca that my said executor shall proceed to sell the whole of my real estate and the appurtenances thereon as per section as the law directs and shall as soon as possible divide the proceeds equally among my law full heirs. Sixth and lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint William Thomas my executor. In witness whereof I do to this will set my and seal this third day of August 1838 Signed sealed and published in our

presence and we have hereunto set our names
this 2 August 1838 W. S. Hall
L. L. Stone (Proven by L. L. Stone Sept. Court 1838)
John J. Hayes Grand at Oct. Term 1838