

I Alice R. Sharp of the County of Lincoln and State of Tennessee being in an ordinary state of health but knowing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death and being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make ordain and publish the following as my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all other former wills by me made

First it is my will and desire that after my death I be buried in a plain decent and Christian like manner and that all my just debts & funeral expenses be paid by my executor therein after named as speedily as possible after my death out of any money on hand or from the proceeds of any property therein after directed to be sold by my said Executor, Second I give and bequeath to my Son Benjamin H. Sharp my Yoke of Oxen and a Calf of his choosing my big Sord Mule I also give and bequeath to my said Son Benjamin two of my best feather beds beds truss of furniture my China & furniture that belong to it my clock also two of my best Plows the best hors Chopping ax also all my tools & farming utensils of every description together with all the residue of my house hold & Kitchen furniture which are of little value the most of the tools now on hand having been purchased by my said Son with his own money since his arrival of age. Third I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy Gray one Cow & Calf with choice after Benjamin my Mares & Buggy - Fourth I will and direct that all the residue of my stock of every description be sold by my

Executor as soon after my death as he may think best and upon such time & terms as may seem most to the interest of my estate and the proceeds applied by my said Executor as known after directed. Fifth, I give and devise to my Son Benjamin my tract of land I purchased of John Branson containing aboutly ninety six acres I also give & bequeath to him my negro boy Anthony John (Wally) & his name Mortha - I also give to him all notes accounts & other claims I may have at the time of my death out of which together with the proceeds of the stock herein before directed to be sold with any money I may have on hand at my decease he is to set apart for the use and benefit of my Grand Daughter Alice Ann Reed Shirel three hundred dollars which said amount it is my will and desire should remain in the hand of my said Son Benjamin and loaned out at interest for her Sale and benefit until she shall arrive to the age of twenty one years at which time he shall pay over to her the said three hundred dollars with all the interest he may have received on the same But if the said Alice Ann should die before she shall arrive at the age of twenty one years then the same to be equally divided between my daughter Nancy Gray & my said Son Benjamin H. Sharp. Sixth, I give and bequeath to said grand daughter Alice Ann R. Shirel one feather bed & furniture, Seventh, I give to my daughter Nancy Gray one feather bed & furniture also my Sugar Chest small square Table I also give to my daughter Nancy my negro woman Sally my negro boy named Dactine to her

First, Eighth I give and bequeath to my grand
daughter Bathia Tracy my negro girl Eliza
I also give to her one feather bed of furniture
Lastly I hereby nominate constitute and
appoint my said son Benjamin H. Sharp
Executor of this my last will & testament
In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand & seal. This nineteenth day of
February in the year of our Lord one thousand
Eight hundred & forty nine.

Signed Sealed and acknowledged
in the presence of us
Alice Sharp Dea
E. M. Ringo
Josh. Bright

Whereas I Alice A. Sharp having made
the foregoing as my last will & testament
before the signing and publishing
thereof I have thought proper to make
the following addition in the 5th item
my executor is directed to set apart out
of the fund aforesaid in said 5th item the
sum of three hundred dollars and one feather
bed & furniture to my grand daughter Alice
Ruth Sharp when she shall arrive at
the age of twenty one years or sooner if my
executor should think proper and in the
event of her death before coming at age
or before payment the said bequest to be divided
as before directed in the 5th item aforesaid
Signed Sealed and acknowledged
in the presence of us

Alice Sharp Dea
E. M. Ringo
Josh. Bright

I William Kinnear of Lincoln County State of Tennessee do hereby
declare this to be my last will and testament.
I will and bequeath my property both real and personal to my
last children which I had by my two wives Amelia & Polly
I will that my property remain undivided for the term of five years
from my decease and remain in possession of Samuel D.
Buchanan provided he live or my farm and works the
same and takes care of the family for which he is to re-
ceive a proper compensation for his trouble to be agreed
upon between him and my executors if at any period
of the term of time above mentioned my executors should
deem it proper to have my property taken from the
possession of S. D. Buchanan and sold they have the power
to do so I give to my two grand children William
& Short and Francis D. Short one hundred dollars
each provided at my decease I hold the amt. I am
in possession of at this time and if my property de-
clines in value they are to suffer a corresponding
proportional diminution in the above legacy to be determined
by my executors to be paid to them when they become
of age without interest I have given to my son Merriam
I Kinnear a horse and saddle worth one hundred dollars
the same to my son Ellenworth D. Kinnear a horse and
saddle worth one hundred dollars to Samuel D. Bu-
chanan a horse and saddle worth seventy dollars a cow
calf bed & furniture worth forty dollars at the division of
my estate the above amounts to be taken from their respec-
tive shares I hereby appoint Charles McKinney and John
McKinney Executors to this will signed sealed and delivered
in the presence of us this 18th day of August 1859
Test Peter H. McCallister
W. Le Biggin
William Kinnear

It is further my request that my executors whom I have appointed shall not be obliged
to give security and it is further my request that my children (viz. Elizabeth Kinnear
William Sarah Rebecca Louisa and Amanda Christiana Kinnear) shall receive
six months schooling at a common or public school the 15th day
of August 1859
Test Peter H. McCallister
W. Le Biggin
William Kinnear