

I Jesse Stiles do make and publish this as my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all other Wills by me at any time made.

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

Second, I give and bequeath to Samuel Stiles' Children now born and those that may be born hereafter, legal heirs to said Samuel Stiles, the tract of land on which I have lived last before my death and my Negro girl Amanda.

Thirdly I direct that the balance of my effects should be equally divided amongst my lawful heirs at law.

Fourthly I direct that before said division is made my Father and Mother's grave should be nicely covered with a rock wall at my expense.

Fifthly I do hereby nominate and appoint W. M. Newman and Samuel Stiles my executors. I Witness whereof I do to this my Will set my hand and seal this 20th day of September 1829

Jesse Stiles

Signed sealed and published in our presence and we have subscribed our names thereto in the presence of the testator this the 20th September 1829

W. M. Laughlin

Samuel M. Thad

Samuel P. Lanterton

Proven at the County Court of Lincoln County at October Term 1829. and ordered to be recorded

I John V. McKimney of the County of Lincoln State of Tennessee do make and publish this my last Will and Testament. It is my will, that my son Rane McKimney take immediate charge of all my property of every description, real & personal and money if there should happen to be and dispose of it to the best advantage in payment of my debts & for the support of the family. And it is my wish that my son Rane McKimney carry on and keep up the Drug Store that I now have in this place in my name and with my means for at least five years. The profits to be applied to the payment of my debts and the support of my wife, my daughters Mary and Martha and John. And it is my wish that my son Rane be compensated for his trouble, with any amount he thinks right. I know that he will do what is right and proper. If my negroes can be kept they are to remain in possession of my wife during her life, for her use and support. And I earnestly hope that every honorable exertion will be used by son Rane to pay my debts with out the sale of what few blacks I am in possession of. But if it cannot be done choose kind humane masters for them. The two oldest Children of Hugh, I want to be given to my daughters Mary and Martha. Mary to have Sally and Martha Mary Jane. They are not to take them in possession during my wife's life without her consent and Rane. Concerning them. If there is any property that Rane may think proper to sell after my death I prefer that he sell it privately. I have but little, and do not want that little or any part thereof exposed for public sale to the highest bidder, I repeat it let that part of my property, that my executor deems it necessary to sell, be sold by him privately to the best advantage. And I hereby appoint my son Rane McKimney, Executor to this my last will and Testament and it is my wish that he act as such without giving security, I have full confidence in him consequently no one else need require that he give security. After the death of my wife and my family circle is broken if there is any thing in the hands of my son Rane belonging to my estate, I want him to divide equal with my Children or their heirs, as the case may be. My Silver Watch I give to my son John & my double barreled shot gun & Rifle to my son Rane. My Children all are equally dear to me, I have but little if