

Alexander
Last Will and Testament of ~~Alexander~~ Caughman

I Alexander Caughman, being of sound mind and perfect memory, altho in a Very low State of health, and knowing that it is, appointed, unto all men Once to die, do make and publish this as my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and making Void all former Wills by me at any time made,

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

Secondly, I direct, that all my personal estate, be sold on a credit of Twelve Months, and the proceeds to go first to the payment of my debts and the balance if any to be paid over to my Mother, for her own special use and benefit, but I further direct that my Mother shall pay, One half of the above named balance, of the proceeds of my personal Estate to my Sister, Mary Ann, to be hers forever,

Third I give and bequeath to my Mother all my land to be hers during her natural life, and at her death, to be sold, and the proceeds, to be divided as follows, Brother Manson, to have One hundred ^{among} dollars, Brother Oliver to have Fifty dollars and my two Sisters Mary Ann and Sarah to have One hundred dollars each, and then the balance after all expenses are paid, to be equally divided among the above named Legates and all of the rest of my brothers and sisters,

And lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint my brother Oliver Caughman & Manson Caughman Executors of this my last Will and Testament ~~in Witness whereof~~ I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day of July 1853

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Sealed and Published in our presence and we have subscribed our names in the presence and at the request of the Testator this the 8th day of July 1853

Test Robert Brownson

James Meloy

Proven and admitted to record at the August Term 1853
County Court George Cunningham att

Last Will & Testament of William Price Deceased
I William Price being of sound mind and knowing it is appointed to all men Once to die do hereby make this my last will and Testament

Item 1st It is my will and desire that my body be interred in decent manner,

2^d That all my last debts be paid out of the proceeds of my perishable property, if there be sufficiently if not I wish my land that I bought from William Lusk sold and enough of the proceeds taken to satisfy my last debts, and the balance of the proceeds to go the benefit of my daughter Mary S. & Price

3^d It is my will that my dear wife Rebecca Price have the full Contrall of all the income of my land until my daughter Mary S. & Price become of age or enter married with a man of age then to be equally divided between my wife and my daughter Mary S. & Price

4th and if my debts can be paid without the sale of the first mentioned land then I wish it managed in the same way of the last mentioned land

5th I hereby nominate and appoint Thomas Gore my Executor of this my last and Testament this 16th day of August A. D. 1853 Signed in presence of William Price (S)

L. S. Woodward

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