

The last will and Testament of Allen Stubblefield of the County of Lincoln and State of Tennessee I Allen Stubblefield considering the uncertainty of this mortal life and being of sound mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

1st That all my debts and funeral expenses be paid

2ndly. I Give unto my son Joel Stubblefield my rifle Gun

3rdly. I Give unto my Daughter Sarah J. Stubblefield the Side Saddle that belonged to her Mother 4thly. I Give unto my son William Joel & Young each the Saddle that now claims 5thly. I Give unto my two youngest Daughters Milly, Lavina & Hannah each two turned posts Bedsteads also the beds on them 6thly. I Give unto my three Daughters Sarah J. Mary M. & Elizabeth C. Stubblefield my other three beds 7thly. I Give unto my five youngest Daughters all my bed Clothing to be equally divided among them

8thly. I desire and will that all the remainder of my personal and real estate not above bequeathed be sold as soon after my decease as practicable and equally divided between my Children William Stubblefield Nancy Solomon Joel Stubblefield Young Stubblefield Sarah J. Stubblefield Mary M. Stubblefield Elizabeth C. Stubblefield Milly J. Stubblefield and Hannah C. Stubblefield my personal estate to be sold on a credit of twelve months and purchaser to give bond with two good securities my two tracts of land to be run out by some good surveyor and be publickly advertised for thirty days by my Executor and sold to the highest bidder with out filling and bill in any Court and the right to said land to be made by my Executor which shall be good to all intents and purposes as if I had made the same in my life time the terms of the sale to be so much per acre on a credit of one two & three years credit of the purchaser to give bond with two good securities and a lien returned on the land till the purchase money is paid 9thly. my Executor is to have a right to bid for and purchase property at his sale and the right to make the right to him in the same manner and to have the same validity as the executor right to any other person

10thly. should any or all of my daughters have husbands at the time any of the above ~~Gifts~~ or money is due them a receipt signed by them and their husbands is all that shall be required of them and shall be good to my Executor or their Executors 11thly. I will that all the specific gifts made to my Children at any time shall be permitted to take charge of them without a receipt being required of them or any body else

12thly. I hereby Appoint James H. Taylor my Executor also a reasonable allowance to be made to him for his trouble and expenses in the event an administrator should have to take the place of the executor he shall have the same power invested in him as is invested in my Executor to this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 28th September 1857. Allen Stubblefield

the above instrument consisting of one ^{and} half sheet was read ^{and} subscribed by Allen Stubblefield the testator in the presence of each of us and was at the same time declared by him to be his last will and Testament and we at his request signed our names hereto as attesting witnesses

James H. Taylor

W. D. Fox

Sworn to in open court - Norris Lutherine Black

In the name of God Amen. I William Givens of the State of Tennessee and County of Lincoln being in my usual health and sound mind and disposing memory but being very frail upon account of my advanced age and not knowing the time of my departure from this world and the things thereof but 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 annulling void all former Wills by me at any time made in the manner and form following to wit, first and principally of all I recommend my soul to that God who gave it and my Body to dust from whence it was taken to be interred in a becoming and Christian manner Secondly I direct that all my funeral expenses and all my first debts be paid out of any Monies that I may die seized of or may first come