

I James C. Tate do make and publish this as my last will, hereby revoking & making void all other wills by me at any time made.

Item 1st I direct that my funeral Expenses and all my debts shall be paid out of any money that I may be possessed of or that may come into the hands of my Executor.

Item 2nd I give and bequeath to my three brothers William V. Anderson, B. & Robert C. Tate the following property, to wit, the interest I have in three notes, on Henry C. Gault, also all the interest I have in the stock with William V. & Anderson, B. Tate, consisting of horses, hogs and cattle also the interest that I have in a Yoke of Steers, also any other interest I may have in notes or money with them.

3rd I give to all my brothers and sisters the interest I have in common with the rest of my brothers & sisters to the place on which my father Samuel Tate lived at the time of his death.

Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint William V. Tate my sole Executor, in witness whereof I do to this my last will set my hand & seal this 16th day of October 1859

Attest
John Carey
S. S. Alexander

James C. Tate
Mark

State of Tennessee
Lincoln County
County Court November Term 1859
I Daniel J. Whittington Clerk of the County Court of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing last will & testament of James C. Tate did come this day before in open Court by the oath of John Carey and S. S. Alexander the subscribing witnesses thereto. Whereupon it is ordered by the Court to be so certified & recorded as the last will and testament of James C. Tate dec^d.

Witness Daniel J. Whittington Clerk of our said Court in Fayetteville the first Monday in said month
Daniel J. Whittington Clerk.

I James H. Cobb do hereby make and publish this my last will and testament, and do hereby revoke and declare void any and all wills by me at any time made.

Item 1st— I will and direct that my funeral Expenses and all my just debts be paid out of the first money which may come into the hands of my Executor hereafter appointed.

Item 2nd— I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Martha J. during her natural life my dwelling house, and all the land attached to the same except the Langford lot.

Item 3rd— I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Martha J. my negro woman Anica & her child Amelia. I give said said negro woman & child to my said wife absolutely, and she is to dispose of the same as she pleases.

Item 4th I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Martha J. absolutely all my household & kitchen furniture also all my Cows and stock of every kind.

Item 5th— I will and direct that my Executor hereinafter named sell either publicly or privately and for cash or on such credit as may seem best, my Carding Machine lot and house & Machinery all together or he may sell the house & lot together, and the Machinery separately if he shall deem best.

And I will and direct that he sell my Langford lot within named either publicly or privately and for cash or on such time as he shall deem best.

Item 6th— I will and direct that my Executor hereinafter named, sell my negro man Dan publicly or privately and for cash or on time as he shall deem best.

Item 7th— I will and direct that my Executor sell either publicly or privately and for cash or on time as he shall deem best all my leather or any other property I may have which I have not otherwise disposed of above, all the above property, land, Slave leather & which I have directed my Executor to sell I hereby direct that my Executor shall sell the same at such time as he may deem best, trusting to his

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entire to select such time as he may deem best for my Estate.

Item 8th I will and direct that my executor collect all my notes & accounts, and all debts in any manner due me or to come due me and with the same and from the proceeds arising the sale of the property above specified he will pay all my first debts, and after paying said debts, my executor will loan out the balance of said funds during the life of my said wife and pay her the interest arising from the same, and I also direct that my said executor shall pay out of said funds the sum of seventy five dollars toward paying the salary of Rev. M. Marshall for the present year.

Item 9th I will and bequeath to Martha Ann Woody my Piano.

Item 10th After the termination of my said wife's lifetime Estate I will and bequeath to Martha Ann Woody and James Harvey C. Woody each the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, and the balance of my Estate I will and bequeath to my brother William and I desire my said brother to distribute the same among such of my relatives as he shall deem worthy and in such proportions as he may think right & proper.

Item 11th I hereby authorize my executor to use his discretion in renting out any of the real estate directed to be sold until such time as he may think best to sell, and he may hire out the Negro man until such time as he may think best to sell, and should my executor deem it best for my Estate not to sell any of said property, then he may rent or hire out as he may deem best.

I hereby nominate and appoint my trusty friend James L. Woody executor of this my last will and testament and I direct that he shall not be required to give security. This the 5th day of March 1860.

The word "all read together" inserted before signed

Attest
James R. Bright,
Geo. W. Simons.

State of Tennessee
Lincoln County
County Court April Term 1860
I Daniel J. Whittington Clerk of the County Court of Said County do hereby certify that the foregoing last will & testament of James W. Cobb died was this day proven in open Court by the oaths of James R. Bright & Geo. W. Simons the subscribing witnesses thereto.
Whereupon it is ordered by the Court to be so certified & recorded as the last will & testament of James W. Cobb died.
Witness Daniel J. Whittington Clerk of our said Court in Fayetteville the first Monday in said month.
Daniel J. Whittington Clerk.