

of this trust but if he so elects it, upon
he must keep it closed on interest with
perfectly safe security.

I desire my executor to collect all my notes
and accounts ^{concerning} and to ~~pay~~ ^{pay} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{same} by paying or
providing full all my other personal property in
cash and to distribute it as the law pro-
vides or in payment of demands against
the estate. - 17 -

Out of my proceeds, of the farm I desire
that my executor set apart to my widow
and minor children a yearly support to the date
of my death.

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I nominate & appoint my son M. D. White
as my executor to carry out the provisions
of this trust. I publish this my last will
and testament revoking all other former wills
by me heretofore made.

Nov. 9, 1895

John J. Doherty

We John M. McPherson & J. Morris Garrison
witnesses hereto have signed our names as
witnesses to this instrument in the presence
of J. J. Doherty the testator, and in the presence
of each other at his request & will each my
present and give him sign his name to the
above instrument.

This November 9, 1895.

John M. McPherson

J. Morris Garrison

Wm B. Sample, Decd

I William B. Sample of the County of Monroe
being advanced in years and in failing
health, but of sound mind & memory, do
make and declare this to be my last will
& testament, in manner following, to-wit:
First, I consign my body to the grave,
and my spirit to the God of Spirits,
believing that through Jesus Christ I shall
attain everlasting life.
Second, I direct my Executors and Exe-
cutrix, hereinafter named, to pay my funeral
expenses and all my just debts as soon as
can be conveniently done after my death.
Third, I give and bequeath to my wife
Francis Preilla Sample, my farm situated
in the 2^d Dist of Monroe County, Tenn. And
all the stock, appurtenances, implements and
buildings thereon, to control and use as her
own during her natural life, with the
exception of sixty acres in the North East
Corner of the farm, adjoining the Howard
land, and known as the Southern hick
at the Old Bellamy Farm, also, all the
rights interest in the Northern hick, as the
Bellamy Farm. I will that my Executors
& Executrix have the right to sell the
land and the interest named in the above
exception, if it be found necessary to do
so to pay my just debts. Otherwise, I will
that it remain in the use & control of my
wife during her natural life. I also
give to my wife all my household furniture
silver goods, books, shelves, provisions and
other consumable stores, which shall be in &
around my dwelling house at the time of
my death. Fourth, I will that my Executors
& Executrix have the power & right to sell
all the stock on the farm except two horses,
two cows, & a stock of hogs, and all the surplus
implements & personalty not needed on the farm
& that the proceeds, if necessary, be used in

payment of my just debts. Otherwise I
be deposited in Bank in trust for my heirs
with the exception that I will that my
youngest son, Walter D. Sample, have one
horse, saddle & bridle; and that my youngest
daughter, Samie Sample, have one bed, per all
bedding for one bed, and one chair.

Fifth, I will that my estate at the death
of my death next expends to my legal
heirs. I furthermore request that my legal
heirs at the death of my wife divide their
several interests among themselves by mutual
agreement, and thus avoid the necessity of
a chancery sale.

Sixth, I will that my wife, Francis P. Thos
M. Henry St. Sample, my sons be made my
executors & executors, and they let improvement
without bond to carry out the provisions of
this my last will & testament.

This May 5, 1897
H. D. Sample.

Witness
D. L. Smith
Jno L. Brown.

Cordic

Having purchased sixty acres of land since
my marriage, and as the 7th day
of the Bellamy plan, & desiring that myself
provision be made for the payment of all
my just debts, I now provide that my ex-
ecutors be empowered to sell the same, & pay
necessary to the end that that portion of
the farm hereinafter to my beloved wife
may be free from any encumbrance.

Signed by and hand this 7th day Dec.
1898.

W. D. Sample

Walter D. Sample
O. H. Pennington.

Will of W. L. Glass deceased

Know all men by these presents:

That I W. L. Glass being of sound
mind and disposing memory do hereby
make, publish this my last will & testa-
ment

I desire that all my just debts &
funeral expenses shall be paid by my
executors hereinafter named out of the
monies of my estate that I shall die
seized & possessed of, if there is sufficient
amount, if not, then the same to be taken
from the first monies of my estate that
shall come into their hands as Executors

I devise and bequeath to my beloved
wife Mary Glass the farm & land which
I now live on together with all my house
hold & kitchen furniture, law books,
farming utensils and the crop that is
on my farm at the time of my death
& the feed & provisions of every kind & char-
acter that is on my farm at the time of
my death, but the farm only, for and during
her natural life. At her death
the same shall go to my children share
& share alike. Or if either of my child-
ren shall be dead & shall leave a child
or children, then said child or children
so left shall inherit the same interests
that their parent would have inherited
habe had they been living. But I desire
& direct, that the interest in said real
estate that shall go to my two daughters
upon the death of my said wife shall be, with
I hereby make the same, in my said two
daughters, a sole & separate estate, free
from the control, management or debts of
any husband or husbands that they may
have.

I bequeath and direct that the stock
that I own in the Bank of Sweetwater and

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in the Sumner Hotel. I shall at my death be distributed in kind equally between my wife & children ^{out of the} share & share alike. And if I should ^{out of the} die as any of them then the same to be divided in kind but upon those of the four that survive me.

Said stock is given to my two daughters as their sole ^{separate} free from control, possession, debts or engagements on any husband or husbands that they may have.

^{4th} I devise & bequeath all the rest of my estate real & personal to my wife & three children share & share alike that is, each to have a one fourth interest in same absolutely. And I hereby empower my executor herein after named to sell any lots or parcels of land, outside of the farm hereinafore mentioned, at such times and in such manner as they may deem best for the interests of each of my devisees & legatees, and divide the proceeds equally between my wife & three children each taking one fourth absolutely. And I also devise & direct that all the rest of my estate both real & personal not herein before mentioned including Chase in action shall be my executor turned into money as soon as practicable in their judgment & distributed equally between my wife & three children each taking one fourth. And the same & every part thereof that goes to my daughters shall be & become a separate estate for their sole & separate use free from control, debts or engagements of any husband or husbands that they may have. But out of the above I reserve three shares of stock that I have in the Sumner Hotel Association for my daughter Fanny J. Clark; and give this to her absolutely as a part of her separate estate for her sole & separate use.

I hereby nominate & appoint my wife

Mary E. Clark & my son Char. I. Clark to be my executor & executor of the my last will & testament. But they shall not be given bond unless by one of them is forced to give bond for any good cause, then both shall be required to give bond.

In witness whereof I do to this my will - set my hand, This June 10th 1897.

M. E. Clark

Signed & published in presence of us and subscribed our names here to in the presence of the Attestors.

This June 10/1897.

A. S. Smith

Sam E. Young

Peter Davis Will

I Peter Davis Sr of Monroe County Tenn
of the age of seventy six years, and of sound
mind & memory without any unfair or unlaw-
ful influence whatsoever having been brought to
bear on me, but of my own will & most happy
and cheerful consent do make, publish & declare
this my last will & testament. That is to say,
I do give & bequeath to my daughter Mary Ann
Davis, the only farm which I possess, with
all the appurtenances thereof, to have & possess
she, her heirs & assigns forever. Said farm
consisting of a tract of land containing 5
acres more or less and being situated in
the 8th Civil Dist. County & State of Tennessee &
the place of my present residence.

And lastly I do hereby nominate & appoint
to be the executor of this my
last will & testament, hereby revoking all
wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand seal this 12th day of June
1889.
Peter Davis (Seal)

The above instrument consisting of two sh-
ets of paper was at the last sitting signed
sealed, published & declared by the said Peter
Davis Sr as & for his last will & testament
in presence of us, who, at his request & his
presence, and in the presence of each other
have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

E. M. James,
Ezekiel Howard
Mahala Davis

John McCombrough Will

My last will & testament is that all my
divided ^{among my four children} ~~among my four children~~ ^{real & personal} ~~real & personal~~ I do
it all be sold to the highest bidder or if it
cannot be sold satisfactorily without a sale
And I appoint my eldest son Ragan McCombrough
as my executor of my will. Let him
sell all I have to the highest bidder and
take a reasonable price for it out of it for
his services. Then divide all I have among
my five children equally. I have a note
of Eight hundred Dollars on Ragan McCombrough
for land he bought of me. That note with
what interest is on it - even go towards his
part of the estate and what the other
heirs should and even go towards their
part of the estate. My wife can take a
dowry as she wish some of the silver
the clutter she will probably get.

What money I should have in my table drawer
or when I am here no more can be equally
divided - like the animals of the farm &
personal property I wrote this will the
1st day of October 1889 and was all right
in my mind at the time. Therefore let my
executors divide up my affairs according
to the terms of this will.

John McCombrough

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Will of Mrs. E. N. Weeks.

I Esther N. Weeks do make & publish this as my last will & testament hereby revoking & making void all others by me at any time made. First I give & bequeath to my husband J. L. Weeks all my personal property of any kind what so ever of which I may be possessed of said personal property now consisting of household goods of various kind cattle horses and farm implements now on my farm herein after described.

Second. I give also to my said husband all my right, title & interest in & to the following real estate, & all things thereto appertaining, to wit: said real estate being a farm situated on the Athens road one mile from Seewater, Monroe County Tenn. containing twenty five acres more or less as shown by my deed thereto from the Cogswell heirs. Lastly I hereby appoint said J. L. Weeks my executor and authorize him to take charge of said property and manage the same as he sees proper. It is my desire and I hereby request that my said husband take care of my father J. A. Newman as long as he live if he desires to stay & live with my said husband. In witness whereof I do to this my last will set my hand this July 14th 1899.

E. N. Weeks

signed & published in our presence and we have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the testator. This July 14/99

Eugene Reed

J. B. Paddock

Will of Selina McCollum.

I Selina McCollum in the County of Monroe and State of Tennessee of the age of sixty two years of sound mind & memory, do make, publish & declare my last will & testament in the manner following. That is to say:

First: I give & bequeath to R. W. McCollum, the farm on which I am now residing, with all the appurtenances thereof, said farm containing of Eighty (80) acres more or less and being in the Eighth Civil District of said County & State; my son R. W. McCollum to have & to hold the same, his heirs & assigns forever.

Second: I give & bequeath to my daughter Mrs. Mary Lee, one bed & bedding for her to have & to hold her heirs & assigns forever.

Third: I also do give & bequeath to my son R. W. McCollum all of my houses hold effects, with the exception of the bed & bedding bequeathed to my daughter. These my household effects for my son R. W. to have & to hold, his heirs & assigns forever. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal. This the 27 day of July A.D. 1899.

Selina McCollum Seal

The above instrument consisting of two sheets of paper was at the time thereof, signed, sealed, published & declared, by the said Selina McCollum as her last will & testament, in presence of each other, here subscribed our names as witnesses thereto, and declared to us by the said Selina McCollum the testator therein mentioned, to be her last will & testament and at the same time acknowledged by us & each of us, that she had signed & sealed the same, and now there fore at her request & in her presence & in the presence of each other, signed our names

thence as attesting witnesses
 Chas M. James.
 W. M. Lee.

Probated October Term 1899.

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J. A. Hunt

Will of Ellen True deceased

I Ellen True, do make & publish this as my last will & testament, hereby revoking & making void all others by me any time made.

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

Secondly: I give & bequeath to my nephew James N. Buchanan all my personal property & household goods of every kind & description of which I may die possessed of.

I give & bequeath to my said nephew James N. Buchanan, all my right, title & interest in & to, both legal & Equitable, ~~in~~ to the following described tracts of land, same being a one half undivided interest interest in said tracts of land and held in common with Sarah Buchanan, agreeable to a deed made to me & said Sarah Buchanan on September 17/88 by W. J. Fowler & wife, and registered in Book A pages 340-6-7 Sept 28. 1880. in the Register Office at Madison, Monroe Co. Tenn.

Said tracts of land hereby bequeathed contain thirty (30) acres & are situated in the Civil Dist. of Monroe Co. Tenn. said first tract is known as the Buchanan homestead, contains 60 acres and is bounded on the North by Harp-grounds & Alexander, East by Alexander, South by Mayo & West by Fowler. said second tract contains 30 acres & known as the Perry tract & is bounded on the North by & East by Odey, South by Fowler & West by Bryson.

Lastly I do hereby nominate & appoint J. M. R. as my Executor.

In Witness whereof I do, to this, my will set my hand this Feb. 20/89.

Attest:

J. M. R. 
 J. A. Colquhoun 

Ellen True

Signed & published in our presence and we
have subscribed our names hereto in the
presence of the testator. This the 20 day of
February 1899
J. B. Colquhoun
J. G. North

Probed November Term 1899.
Per Record & Co.

J. E. Walker Will
In the name of God: Amen.
I Geniah Walker of Monroe County Tenn.
being of sound mind & disposing memory
unbiased or influenced by diffidence or
fear, but of my own free will & accord
do make & publish this my last will & testa-
ment. That is to say

On this the 11 day of October 1899 I do will
& bequeath that after the death of my
beloved wife Sarah E. Walker that the por-
cel of land containing one hundred acres
more or less lying in the 5th Civil District
of Monroe County Tenn. described as fol-
lows: Bounded on the North East by J. L.
Lords & J. T. Morgans lands, East by John
Ellis. South by the River. West by J. L. Lord.
shall pass into the possession of the follow-
ing named persons: Regatt W. Ellis, Benedict
Ellis Jr. & Ora D. Ellis. to have, hold &
possess, their heirs & assigns fore-
er. I also will & devise that the
above mentioned parcel of land be so
parceled or divided among the said
heirs as that each may have an equal
share of the money value of the whole or
entire parcel or tract of land.

I also will & devise that should
these designated heirs so disagree in
the division of said land as to threaten
a resort to law, that this my will & tes-
ament become null & void as to their
heirship & pass into the possession of my
son James E. Walker now a resident of
the vicinity of Bowling Green, Kentucky
to have, hold & possess, he, his heirs
& assigns forever.

I furthermore reserve the privilege
of altering or entirely destroying this my last
will & testament should I at any time
of my present sickness as to be inspired
with the hope & prospect of living a season

able length of time

Joseph E. Walker

I also will & provide that if M. James
this said one hundred acres of land if M. James
be so divided that each designated
heir may have a free, undisputed
& unobstructed right of way or access
water both for stock & household pur-
poses.

I also reserve the right and
privilege of selecting & designating the
person to administer upon the estate
after my decease. Joseph E. Walker
Witness.

C. M. James
J. M. Moore

Probed November Term 1899.
Attest &c &c

Joseph T. Blanton Will

Joseph T. Blanton do make & publish this
as my last will and testament hereby resolv-
ing and making void all others by me at any
time made. First I direct that my fune-
ral expenses and all of my debts be paid
as soon after my death as practicable out of
any money that I may die possessed of any
may come into the hands of my executor.

I give and bequeath to L. A. Blanton my wife
and Margaret J. Blanton my wife one
milch cow. To my mother enough of provisions
to do her for twelve months and the rest of
the personal property after funeral expenses
and debts is paid to be sold & equally divided
between L. A. Blanton & Margaret J. Blanton
also all my real estate which is 1/6 of the
farm known as the L. R. Blanton farm
on the Waters of Hicks Creek in Monroe
County. Lastly I do hereby appoint E. M. James
as my executor. In witness whereof I
do to this my last Will & testament set my hand
& seal this the 17 day of February 1900. Signed
and in our presence of the testator. This
Joseph T. Blanton

Attest.

G. M. Stone
Hans Lindsey
Andy Dawson

Will of B. J. Harrell

State of Tennessee, Monroe County

I B. J. Harrell of said County & State being of sound mind & disposing memory do make and publish this my last will & testament whereby revoking & annulling all other wills at any time heretofore by me made. I will & bequeath to my nephew B. L. Harrell my farm on Chestnut Creek well known as the wisdom Marshall lands & bounded East by John L. McSpadden, South by the heirs of E. L. Harrell, West by said E. L. B. L. Harrell, and north by E. L. Harrell's heirs and containing one hundred & forty five (45) acres.

I also will & bequeath to Chas. B. Harrell son of B. L. Harrell who is now living with one and only sister my farm known as the Harrell farm well situated about one mile from Madisonville containing two hundred acres more or less and purchased by me from the estate of Rev. L. Harris dead, such bounded north by Williams, East by Cooper, South by J. B. Wilson and West by J. L. Harrell. My two sisters Lewis Mary L. & Hester Harrell shall have a support off of the above described farms so long as they or either of them may live or remain unmarried if one of them shall marry or die the other will still be entitled to a support from said farms and in case one or both of my said sisters should become helpless or unable to take care of themselves then the said B. L. Harrell shall see that they are properly cared for and should he fail to do so then the said B. L. Harrell shall forfeit all his rights to said farms above described & will to him.

All my every part & parcel of my personal property of every kind & description after my just debts & funeral expenses shall have been paid shall go to my two said sisters.

I appoint H. E. Harris as my executor to carry out the provisions of the above will, he shall collect all my just debts and pay all my just debts and shall and be required to give bond. This August 28th 1897.

B. J. Harrell

Acknowledged before me this August 28th 1897

M. C. Harman

S. J. McKeown

Witness my hand & seal
 this 28th day of August 1897

Will of David H. Lowry

I David H. Lowry of Monroe County Tennessee being of sound mind & disposing memory do make & publish this my last will & testament hereby revoking any and all ^{other} wills by me at any time made.

1st I want all my just debts paid as soon after my death as practicable.

2nd I will & bequeath to my wife Emaline M. Lowry all the household property to be by her disposed of as she sees fit. The rest of my estate both real & personal, she is to have the use of during her life time, and the same may be disposed of at any time by agreement between her and my executors herein named.

3rd After the death of my wife Emaline M. Lowry this my will, and desire, that if my estate has not been sold by agreement as above stated, my executors herein after named sell the same upon such terms, and in such manner as they may think for the best interest of all concerned.

4th Before general distribution is then made among all my children, I direct that each of my daughters Addie E. Lowry & Jane Maglee there be paid the sum of \$120.00 One hundred & twenty five dollars, and to my son Charles A. Lowry there be paid such a sum as will amount to \$125.00 fifty dollars a year for each year that he has, at my death served as postmaster at Madisonville Tenn. I make this request to him for his extraordinary expenses that he has been at in looking after the farm & affairs at home, while he was serving as such postmaster.

5th After these special bequests are satisfied I then want the remainder of my estate divided equally among all my children, the said Addie E., Jane & Charley taking with the others the same as if no special bequests had been made to them.

6th I highly designate & appoint my sons Charley A. & W. R. Lowry executors of this my last will & testament, and having unboughted own selves in them, they are secured from giving

bond as such executors

In Witness whereof I hereunto set my hand this 4th day of August 1899.

D. H. Lowry

The foregoing will was signed by the testator David H. Lowry in our presence, and the same was witnessed by us at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other. Aug. 4, 1899.

J. B. Kinsler
A. W. Pence.

In said spirit form 900
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Will of Myra Williams

I Myra Williams being of sound mind & disposing memory hereby make & publish this my last will & testament revoking all other wills by me heretofore made.

1st

I direct that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid out of the money realized out of my estate by my brother A. J. Williams as soon after my death as may be by him be found convenient

2nd

I bequeath to my brother A. J. Williams all my property of every kind whatsoever, consisting of cash on hand, household & kitchen furniture, and cash due by notes or otherwise or on deposit.

This March 13, 1900.

Myra M. Williams

Signed & published as her last will & testament by the said Myra Williams in the presence of me, who in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses This March 13, 1900.

Patton M. Peace
Willie Ervin

Probed May Term 1900

Will of Engle Griffiths deceased

I Engle Griffiths being of a sound & disposing mind & memory of the uncertainty of life make this my last will & testament and appoint R. J. Griffiths Administrator of the same on the assumption of the love & affection that I have for my son R. J. Griffiths & daughter S. J. Griffiths & wife Elender Griffiths. I do this day will & bequeath to them & their heirs a certain parcel or tract of land lying & being in the 18th District of Monroe County, Tennessee, containing (by estimation) forty acres more or less, being part of section nine, 1st fractional township, North range & East of base line Lane Dist. Beginning at Spunk oak on the station line on the top of the mountain between the field on the Creek & that on the mountain thence with the top of said mountain to a Chestnut stump with a large sprout on it near the fork of the road, thence South westerly with a marked line thence with the station line to the beginning. My wife's portion to be given to the said R. J. & S. J. Griffiths at her death. I also have two other tracts of land lying on Steep Creek known as Benson & Burley property which I wish to be divided among the remainder of the heirs of my body share & share alike, viz. A. McDevitt, Emanuel Griffiths, Gerama Griffiths, John Griffiths, M. E. McKinney (her heirs) N. E. Collins. If any valuable minerals should be found on any of the above described land I wish it to be divided equally among the heirs of my body.

This March 19, 1898

Attest:
J. L. Kline
Emanuel Parkins
Engle Griffiths

Probed May Term, 1900

Leonard Gardin Will

I Leonard Gardin of the County of Monroe and State of Tennessee of the age of eighty eight years of sound mind & disposing memory do make publish and declare this my last will & testament in the manner following:

That is to say 1st It is my will that all of the land to which I now have a just right & title be sold for what it will bring after my decease on a credit of twelve months with an exception of ten per cent of the purchase money which must be paid down or in hand.

2nd I will & devise that the money which said land may bring be equally divided among my five daughters, namely: Emeline Harris Martha Lee, Victoria McPherson, Elizabeth Case and Laura Richeson of their lives.

3rd I will that all my farming implements be sold after my decease & that the proceeds of the sale be equally divided among my three daughters now living, to wit: Elizabeth Case, Victoria McPherson & Laura Richeson.

4th I do will & devise that all of household and kitchen furniture be equally divided among my three last mentioned daughters with the exception of one bedstead and bedding of which I will to my dear little grand daughter Grover & Blanche Richeson.

5th I will to my daughter Laura Richeson my mule, best buggy & harness.

6th My milk cow I will & bequeath to my daughter Laura Richeson & her children.

7th My young mule I bequeath to my daughter Laura Richeson & her husband, the value of said mule to be applied toward liquidating any expense I may be to them before my death.

8th I will that my old buggy & harness be sold & that the money they may bring be equally divided among my three living daughters.

9th I will & devise that my

in said to my daughter Elizabeth Case
Leonard Gardin

The above instrument consisting of 5 sheets of paper was at the date hereof signed sealed published & declared to be by the said Leonard Gardin as & for his last will & testament in the presence of us, who, at his request and ^{my} his presence & in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

By Gardin
Samuel Land

Probated June Term 1900.

William Harrison Will

I William Harrison of the County of Monroe and State of Tennessee being of sound mind and memory do make, publish and declare this to be my last will & testament - to wit:

First. All my just debts & funeral expenses shall be first fully paid.

Second. I give devise & bequeath all the real, residue and remainder of my estate both real & personal, to my beloved sons, viz: William Harrison, Calvin Harrison, and James Harrison to have to hold to them & their heirs & assigns forever.

Third. I nominate and appoint William Harrison, Calvin Harrison my sons to be the executors of this my last will & testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal. This 12 day, Feb'y. 1896

William Harrison

Attest

Thos. H. Hume.

George E. Brink.

Witnessed July 2, 1900

J. F. Crawley Will

Know all men by these presents that I J. F. Crawley now temporarily residing in the City of Greenville, South Carolina and knowing it is the fate of all men to die and being aged & infirm in body but sound & disposing memory do make & publish this as my last will & testament hereby revoking all making & all wills heretofore made by me.

First. It is my will & desire at my death that my body shall receive a decent Christian burial by my family & friends by the side of my beloved wife Amanda Cawley at New Hope Church in Loudon County, Tennessee. I die in the State of Tennessee.

Second. That all my just debts and burial expenses be paid as soon after my death as convenient, out of any means of which I may die seized and possessed.

Third. That all my household and kitchen furniture be equally divided between my two daughters youngest daughter Ida Cawley & Olga Williams.

Fourth. That all the remainder of my estate both personal & real shall go & revert to my daughter Ida J. Cawley for her own use & benefit as I have heretofore made considerable advancements to my other children in the way of lands & cash & other property and this will not more than make a sum equal to the amounts heretofore given to my other children not named in this will. This I believe to be a just & equitable distribution of my property. Signed & sealed This 2nd day of May 1893 in the City of Greenville S.C. in the presence of Witnesses

Witness

A. Lee

W. H. Charles

J. F. Cawley (Seal)

Asheville N.C. Aug 9th 1896

Last Will & Testament John F. Crawley
of Monroe County State of Tennessee

Know all men by these presents that I J. F. Crawley being of sound mind & in full use of my mental faculties do give and bequeath unto my daughter Ida J. Cawley all my property situated & being in the town of Asheville, Monroe County Tennessee, being a certain land & lot descriptions of which reference is made to Deeds made me to Robt O. Cawley & Ida J. Cawley dated Dec. 8. 1883 & duly recorded in Book of Deeds N. p. 500-1. I having bought the undivided interests in said property from Robt O. Cawley reference to which Deed is made & duly recorded in said County & State. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal.

Attest
J. P. Lee

John F. Cawley

I H. Cleveland

Know all men by these presents that I I. H. Cleveland being of sound mind and memory do make & publish this my last will & testament hereby cancelling and annulling all other wills by me made & revoking the same.

(1)

I will & devise that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of the first money coming into the hands of my executor.

(11)

I will & bequeath all my personal property of every kind and nature to my two infant daughters Neal & Grace to be used for their support, maintenance & education.

III

I give & devise to my two children Neal & Grace all of the use rents & profits of my farm lying in the Parish of St. Louis of Monroe County until my daughter Grace is twenty one years of age, but out of the ~~profits~~ rents and profits each year the taxes must be kept paid and I make my executor hereinafter named my trustee to carry out this part of my will, and rent & control said farm until my said daughter becomes twenty one years of age and when my said daughter shall have become twenty one years of age, then my executor shall sell all my real estate and divide the proceeds equally between all my children whom I shall alive and if any of my children shall have died before the distribution of my real estate shall be made leaving children then and in that event their children shall inherit their parents share.

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I hereby constitute & appoint my friend J. C. Warren my executor & I desire him also to be the trustee for my two ~~my~~ minor children until the youngest becomes of age.

I do sign & publish the foregoing will after it has been read to me in the

of Saml Young & P. S. Young the witnesses.
This the 14 day of July 1900.
L. B. Cleveland.

We the undersigned witnesses sign as witnesses
at the request of the testator and in the pres-
ence of the testator after having read the
will to him & having seen the testator sign the
will in our presence & we sign it in the pres-
ence of each other. This July 14th 1900.

Saml Young
P. S. Young

J. M. Black Deceased.

I J. M. Black of the County of Monroe
State of Tennessee, being aware of the uncer-
tainty of life and in failing health but of sound
mind and memory do make and publish and declare
this to be my last ^{will & testament with manner} ~~last~~ ^{following} ~~testament~~ X

First. I give devise and bequeath unto
my wife Sarah Ann Black the following des-
cribed property, to-wit:

One hundred and fifty acres land known as
the Riverstrick farm in the 1st Civil Dist
of Monroe County Tenn. I also give her one
mare color sorrel named Marib. Also two
cows one red. The other black I also give
her the following household property to-wit:
One cooking stove, two feather beds, one
bedroom, two tables and all table ware
One set of chairs one wash ~~trunk~~ ^{trunk}.

Second. It is also my will and desire
at the death of my wife Sarah Ann Black
or at any time when she may arrange to
relinquish her life interest in the above
mentioned property, the same shall revert to
my children and children as follows:
The said ~~for~~ land is to be divided equally
among my three grand children John Black,
Mary Lou Black & Deery Black. John Black
is to have fifty acres off the East end. The
rest to be divided between the others.

One bid ^{instead} ~~instead~~ is for Carrie Lee Black
The balance of the personal property is to be
divided equally among my grand children
all except my wife's individual property.

Third. I give devise and bequeath to my
son N. B. Black One hundred and fifty eight acres
~~more~~ of land known as the home place lying
in the 1st Civil Dist of Monroe County, Tennessee.

Fourth. It is also my will and desire that
at the death of my son N. B. Black the above
land may revert equally to my grand children
John Black, Earl Black & Carrie Lee Black.

Fifth. I give devise and bequeath to my

grandson John Black, fifty acres of land known as the Spurlen place lying in the 1st Civil Dist of Monroe County

Sixth: I give, devise & bequeath to my wife Sarah Ann Black and my grandson John Black one pair of mules: one color black the other Iron grey named Peter & Queen, they are for their use on the farm. I also give my wife Sarah Ann Black all of my hogs and all of my grain.

In witness whereof I J. M. Black to this my last Will and testament have hereunto set my hand & seal this 20 day of November 1899.

J. M. Black

Signed, sealed & declared by J. M. Black as and for his last will & testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names hereunto as witnesses thereof.

H. M. McQuinn

Brewster, Tenn.

Jesse S. Cunningham

Brewster, Tenn.

E. J. White Will

Know all men by these presents that I E. J. White of Monroe County Tennessee being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make & publish this my last will and testament.

First. I devise that all my just debts & funeral expenses shall be paid out of the monies of my estate, that I shall die seised & possessed of, or the first money coming to the hands of my Executors.

Second. I devise to my son Thomas White in fee simple, a tract or parcel of land lying and being in the 20 Civil Dist. of Monroe County Tennessee, containing about 40 or 50 acres more or less adjoining the lands of Heyser & others.

Third. I bequeath to my daughter Jane White the parcel or ^{part} of my residence

Fourth: I bequeath & will to my beloved wife Margaret White & my son Thomas White & my daughter Jane White all my personal property of every description, consisting of horses, mules, cattle, hogs, sheep, all household & kitchen furniture, notes, accounts, choses in action that I may die seised & possessed of, they to share & share alike in the same.

Fifth: I devise & will to my beloved wife Margaret White, my son Thomas White and my daughter Jane White the farm on which I now live, lying & being in the 1st Civil Dist. of Monroe County Tennessee, containing 1200 acres more or less, bounded on the north by Moser, south by White, east by Garmon, & west by Ceelie. They to share & share alike in the same, my wife sharing equally with my two children, and should my wife Margaret White & my son Thomas White & daughter Jane White wish to at any time thereafter to divide the property herein devised

to them, they ass to each how $\frac{1}{3}$ interest in the same, and should they not agree to an equal division of the same the same is to be arbitrated by three neighbors or friends of the parties to be selected by the parties.

The family gravey on the land is to be reserved as a family gravey.

Birth: I hereby appoint nominate, constitute & appoint my son Thomas White sole Executor of this my last will & testament, and he is hereby released from giving bond.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand. This 19th day February 1900.

E. M. White.

Signed by said E. M. White as and for his last will & testament, in the presence of us, the undersigned who at his request & his sight & presence have subscribed our names hereto as attesting witnesses, the day & date above written.

W. A. Stierley
H. L. White.

Probated Jan 1901
See Return

W. B. King Deceased.

I W. B. King of Rocky Springs, Tennessee being of sound mind and disposing memory do make this my last will & testament.

I give, bequeath & devise to my beloved wife Sarah King, all my real estate and personal property, after paying all debts & funeral expenses; also providing a tombstone of moderate cost, to be placed to my grave. It is my will that my just, Mass, which I now own, shall be sold at my death and the proceeds used in building a substantial dwelling on the farm on which I now reside, said house for the benefit of my wife.

The bequests above are for my wife during her natural life; and at her death all my personal property & real estate I give bequeath & devise to my daughter Carrie (the wife of W. J. Hicks and her bodily heirs), excepting that I bequeath to each of my living sons E. B. King & John King the sum of one dollar, also to the heirs of my deceased son, Thos. King, the sum of one dollar. I nominate & appoint as the executor of my will, W. A. Ghormley.

In witness whereof I W. B. King have hereunto set my hand and seal this January 28, 1901.

W. B. King

Witnesses
G. H. Hall
W. A. Ghormley

Filed Jan 1901
G. H. Hall
W. A. Ghormley

B. S. Moody, Deceased.

I B. S. Moody a citizen of Monroe County Tennessee sixty six years of age but rather feeble in body but strong & vigorous in mind knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of life do make & publish this my last written will and testaments revoking all making all other wills or parts of wills void might heretofore have made by me.

1st I will & bequeath to my oldest son J. B. Moody one half of an acre of land so as to include the dwelling house now living in, in consequence of work having built the said land. And to pay the balance of purchase price that is going to be paid between fifty & sixty dollars which is a charge on said house and half acre land lying in 1st District Monroe County.

2nd I further will & bequeath to my five children J. B. Moody, J. M. Moody, J. A. Moody, W. B. Moody & Lizzie Galham all the rights to the claim interests and demand that I have lying in the 1st district of Monroe County Tenn. so as not to include the half acre the house stands on it being willed above they are to have said tract of land equally divided together said tract of land contains by estimation about one hundred & twelve acres bounded on the South by Lexington, on the East by near March Jones & Burdett & on the west by Market St. I hereby nominate my said J. B. Moody executor to carry in to effect this will. I will further call this day G. S. Hickens and G. S. Brown to witness this my last will & testaments.

Given under my hands near 1900.

B. S. Moody

Witness
G. S. Hickens
G. S. Brown.

John M. Davis deceased.

I John M. Davis do make & publish this as my last will & testament.
1st I direct that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any money that I may be possessor of or may first come into the hands of my executor.

2nd I give and bequeath to my wife Jane Davis the land on which I now reside together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging as an indefeasible intention in fee simple; Also the personal property of which I now reside possessor, she will proceed to take charge of and dispose as she pleases.

Lastly, I do hereby nominate and appoint my said wife Jane Davis my executor without bonds.

In witness whereof I do this my last will at my house this the 23 day June 1900.

John M. Davis
per Tom Brennan

Witness: W. M. Edwards
John D. McDonald

Probated June 28th 1900.

E. L. Hawkins Will

I Ephraim L. Hawkins being of sound mind and in my right understanding and also being admonished of the shortness of time upon earth with me in consideration of which I hereby make this my last will & testament which is as follows:

I hereby will & bequeath to my daughter, Jessa Ann Hawkins a certain piece of land the boundary line of which beginning West between myself & Kennels, running East ^{from} the big road & down the ditch including the spring at my home and thence East to a hickory tree on the big road and thence East up the hill to the top and East to a Wild Cherry tree and thence to the North and South line between my lands and John Grason and thence ^{North} with said line to the corner between myself & Jas. Hines and thence West between myself & Jas. Hines and thence West between myself & Allen White to the Kennels line and thence South to the beginning. And the remainder of my lands, to wit the homestead bounded by the Lees river on the East, South by William C. Hawkins or John C. Hawkins, heirs, West with Kennels line & North by lands bequeathed to Jessa Ann Hawkins, and also the lesser in the Pine flats adjoining the said lands and on the West by the Bright lands & North by Susan Howard, the above specified lands to be equally divided between my remaining heirs, as follows: E. L. Hawkins, M. C. Hawkins, Mary Henry, Nancy Allen, T. S. Hawkins, to wit: M. C. Hawkins. I also will that Nancy & Christiana heirs draw one sixth of each their Mother's part of the above described estate.

I further will & bequeath whatever house property or furniture I have of my own, to wit: Luke Hawkins one bed & bedstead & T. S. Hawkins one bed, and all my kitchen furniture cooking stove &c. to my daughter Jessa Ann Hawkins. In personal property I own the following

articles of value, to wit: One log wagon, one two horse wagon, two two horse wagons unfinished, One mowing machine, One hay rake, One big log chain, One half interest in sugar cane mill, One evaporator, One set carpenters tools, One set blacksmith tools, One set timber wheels and six logs heads, also two scythes & cradles together with two cross cut saws, Live stock, to wit: hogs, two milk cows, One mare & colt & one five year old mule, the mule not paid for and the mare to stand as security for the payment of the mule.

It is further my will that the heirs of J. M. Hawkins, deceased, have their fathers interest in my estate controlled by a Trustee whom I will appoint later on.

This August 20th, 1897.

Witness
W. B. Dawson
Peter Moser.

E. L. Hawkins

State of Tennessee

Monroe County

I Josiah Daugherty of
state and County above
written being of sound & disposing mind do
make this my last will and testament here
by revoking all other wills or codicils made
by me.

First: I bequeath to my daughter Orlean
Hunt formerly Orlean Daugherty and the
heirs of her body, all my personal property
To say Hunt my grand daughter I have
one Burrough and one white table cover. To Josiah
Hunt my grand daughter one red table cover.
I have bequeathed to my daughter Orlean Hunt
all my real estate which I wish her to have.
I bequeath to my grandson Oscar Daugherty
by the sum of Ten Dollars to be paid to him
by Orlean Hunt after my death. All the
rest of my means consisting of notes and
money after my debts and funeral expenses
are paid I bequeath to Orlean Hunt my
daughter formerly Orlean Daugherty.

Witness my hand and seal this 24th day of Nov 1900

Josiah Daugherty

Witness

J. P. Leonard.

H. A. Daugherty.

Produced per Form 1901
See Record 8, 46

Will of Isaac I Tate Dead

I Isaac I Tate of Over Creek County of
Monroe and State of Tennessee being aware
of the uncertainty of life and in failing health
but of sound mind and memory do make
and declare this to be my last will & testament
in manner following to wit:

I give, devise & bequeath unto my oldest brother
and only brother I have Francis M Tate the
sum of Ten Dollars.

I give, devise & bequeath unto my sister
Susan C. Cantrell Gold lots No 1 in Sec 18 5th
Range and lot 3 in Sec 17 Range 5 1/4 interest
in lot 2 Sec 17 R. 5.

I give, devise and bequeath unto my two sisters
Harriet I Tate & Sarah E. Tate gold lots Nos 9, 10, 11
16 in Sec. 4 Range 5 first P. O. And lots 12, 13, 14
Sec. 8 1st P. O. and all my horses, mules and cattle
and hogs that I may have and have at my
death with all my improvements and
all of my household goods of every kind
including organ & sewing machines. If either
one should die H. E. or S. E. Tate the other the
other is to have his part and honey bees.

I give, devise & bequeath to Marshall M. Powell
3/8 interest in gold lot no. 6 in Sec 14 Range 5
and 3/8 interest in gold lot no. 6 Sec 14 Range 5 and
3/8 interest in gold lot no. 7 Sec 14 R. 5. This
land he is not to sell until he is twenty
one years old.

I give, devise and bequeath to E. L. Tate my
interest in gold lot no. 36 Sec. 36 R. 4 and my
interest in gold lot no. 6 Sec 8 R. 5. gold
lot no. 3 Sec 8 R. 5. Gold lot no. 16 Sec. 8 R. 5
and my interest in gold lot known as the
Vig lot joining Oak Brown on the North line
land which is 1/4 interest.

6th

I further give to my three sisters Harriet C. Tate, S. S. Tate and Susan O. Cantrell my 1/2 interest in Gold lot no 5 Sec 33 R. 5 N. 33 E. as Round Top and my 1/2 interest in my Father's old homestead.

7th

The rest of my lands to my legal heirs from M. Tate, S. O. Cantrell, H. C. Tate, and S. S. Tate and gold mine & road squares.

8th

If I should die have a store at my death it is to be sold and all my notes and accounts to be collected that can be and my debts & expenses fully paid, the rest to be divided among my legal heirs.

Lastly

I appoint or nominate Gay M. McGunkin my executor.

Isaac S. Tate do declare this to be my last will & testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, seal.

This March 30, 1901

Isaac Tipton Tate.

Witnesses
Jonas Long
Coker Creek Tenn
Wm. Cantrell
Coker Creek Tenn

Testated June Term 1901.

Emaly Jane Davis

I Emaly Jane Davis of Monroe County, Tenn. being of sound mind & disposing memory do make and publish this my last will and testament here by revoking all former wills by me made at any time.

1st

I direct that my funeral expenses be paid out of my personal estate.

I give will and estate to Horner Green the holder of land on which I now live situated in the 11th line West of Monroe County, Tenn. Consisting of one tract containing eighty four acres, more or less, part of the South west quarter Sec. 9 1st Township 3 Range East of the Meridian Tennessee District. Beginning at the South west corner of said quarter running East one hundred & seventy eight poles to a rock thence North eighty poles to a cross thence West eighteen poles to a rock thence west with the quarter section line to a cross, thence South west with a conditional line to a cross, at or near the big road, thence South with the quarter section line to the beginning.

Also twenty two acres more or less being a part of the South west East corner quarter of Section 7 seventh Township, 1st Range 3rd East of the Meridian Tennessee District beginning on the East & West line and running South to the big road, thence with said road North east to a Hickory tree thence with the East & West line of said quarter thence with line to beginning.

I will give & direct that there be a Guardian for the said Horner Green during his minority and that said Guardian rent the lands above described, and apply the proceeds of to paying the taxes & keeping the property in reasonable repair, then apply the remainder to supporting & educating the said Horner Green. I nominate & appoint Executor of this will also

testamentary trustee, or guardian for the purpose of conveying out the provisions of this will.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand in the presence of witnesses,

Emily Jane Davis
This April 25 1896.

Signed at the special request of the testatrix in her presence and in the presence of each other:

W. M. Northey
Francis Moser

Testated July term 1901.
See Record B. p.

I Lewis M^cConkey do make & publish this as my last will & testament hereby revoking & making void others 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 have possessed, or may first come into the hands of my executor.

Secondly

I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Fannie M^cConkey all my personal property and all my real estate together with all accounts & notes that may be due me at my death to hold & control during her natural life for her support, and after her death I desire my property to be disposed of as follows.

First I give & bequeath to my dear little grand daughter Adah Lomah M^cConkey all my real estate that I may own at my death, and after the death of my beloved wife Fannie M^cConkey and my good horse bridle and his grand smokers side saddle and one smock, lawn and all the household goods and everything left in the dwelling house & all that is left in the smock house. All the above property willed to my granddaughter Adah Lomah M^cConkey and his heirs if she should ever have any, and in case she should die without any heirs then I will that the above property mentioned, willed to her be equally divided between the following families to-wit: My brother A. B. M^cConkey & his heirs, My nephews Joseph & John M^cConkey & their heirs (my two nephews mentioned are the heirs of Richard M^cConkey deceased). The heirs of my deceased sister Elizabeth J. Brannon, My half sister Mrs. Franky Cooper & her heirs, Lillian Rogers & his heirs & my nephew John M^cConkey Jr & his heirs. And at the death of my beloved wife Fannie M^cConkey I direct that all my farming tools and everything not willed to my granddaughter Adah Lomah M^cConkey be sold & the proceeds equally divided between the

last mentioned parties tenant, my brother A. D. McConkey & his heirs, my nephews Joseph and John McConkey & their heirs. The heirs of my deceased sister Elizabeth J. Brannon, my half sister Mrs. Frank Cooper & her heirs, Helen Rogers & his heirs & my nephew John McConkey Jr & his heirs.

Lastly, I do hereby nominate & appoint J. J. McConkey Jr my executor.

In witness whereof, I do this my will, set my hand this thirteenth day of December 1900.

James McConkey
mark

Witnesses,

A. L. Isbell

James C. C. C.

Protested August Term 1901
Record E. P.

J. D. Asley dec'd

I, J. D. Asley, of Monroe County Tennessee, being of sound mind and disposing memory, but knowing the uncertainty of life do hereby make and publish this as my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills made by me.

1st I will and devise that at my death all my just debts be paid out of any money that may be on hands or that may first come into the hands of my executor hereinafter mentioned.

2nd I will and devise that my executors hereinafter mentioned shall pay to James Asley, my son, the sum of Two Hundred Seventy-four ²⁴/₁₀₀ Dollars the amount heretofore paid out by him for me on notes, which said amount is due at this date.

3rd I will and devise that all the real estate and personal property of which I may die seized and possessed be held and used for the use and benefit of my beloved wife Eliza J. Asley and my daughter Tennie and Artie Asley so long as my said children may live with their mother the said Eliza J. Asley single and unmarried, and so long as my said wife may live.

4th I further will and devise that at the death of my said wife aforesaid Eliza J. Asley that the land of which I am seized to-wit-

about three hundred and sixty acres of land lying and being in the 11th civil district of Monroe County Tennessee bounded on the North by the lands of Bledsoe & perhaps others on the East by the Brakelill heirs South by Henley & Wolf and West by Nicholson and Brakelill be sold

by my surviving Executor upon such terms and conditions as my said executor may adopt and the proceeds arising therefrom to be divided among all my legal heirs equally and my said surviving Executor is hereby authorized to execute deed for said land.

5th I hereby nominate and appoint my said wife Eliza J. Arley and my son James Arley my Executors and executor of this my last will and testament and they are hereby released from executing bond and giving security as such Executors and Executor.

Signed in the presence of and at the request of the Testator and in the presence of each of us and at the request of the Testator. 1-14-99 This Jan. 14/1899

J. F. Arley
mark

Witness

W. L. Brakehill

J. E. Brakehill

J. F. Hunt

Protested at the Sept. Term 1901

J. F. Magill Will

I J. F. Magill make this my last will & testament.

First. I direct that all my indebtedness and funeral expenses be paid by my executors as soon after my decease as it is convenient.

Second. I give and bequeath to my wife Margaret E. and daughter May if she remains single, the house & lot on which we now reside also the lot just north as far as I own. Joint ownership to continue during the life of my wife at her death if my daughter May is still unmarried or if she be married, and remains with and takes care of myself & her mother in our old age I give to her for such loving care as I think she will give us the above mentioned house & lots and also I give & bequeath to my beloved wife & daughter May for their support one thousand dollars in Bank of Madisonville stock and one thousand dollars in money and one year's support from my decease and also give to him what house hold & kitchen furniture they may need or want. I desire that my executors manage & control the above mentioned funds consulting them about it and if it should be at any time thought best to sell the above mentioned real estate I empower them (my Exors) to sell & reinvest for a home for their Mother & sister. (If the death of my wife whatever is remaining of the one thousand dollars in money and one thousand in Bank Madisonville stock be equally divided between all my heirs).

Third. After carrying out the above bequests I direct my executors to sell all my real estate private or at public sale and what personal property I may have (or divide it if they can) & collect the notes due me and whatever the amount may be divide it equally between all my heirs taking into account the advances made to them by me in my life time.

Fourth. In the event my wife out lives my daughter May then I direct whoever takes care

of her in her old age be amply compensated out of the fund set apart for that purpose in bequest second.

Fifth I appoint my sons W. R. H. & H. E. Magee Executors and believing they will do right & fairly between all my heirs I do not require them to give bonds and empower them to carry out & fully this my last will & testament, selling and distributing the funds of my real estate and making title to same.

Witness my hands & seal on this the 18th day of March 1901. J. G. Magill

Signed and acknowledged in our presence and in the presence of each the testator to be his last will & testament

J. M. McLung
J. G. Brax

Testated Dec. Term 1901.

I, Green Turner Magee, widower, of Sweetwater, Tennessee, being of sound mind, do hereby make and publish this my last will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills & Testaments.

First

It is my will that my funeral shall be conducted without ostentation, and the expenses thereof shall be paid forthwith out of my Estate. I owe no debts and hence make no provision for that purpose.

Second

Having heretofore made full provision for the child of my deceased daughter, it is my desire and purpose to provide out of the rents and profits of my estate for the support and maintain of my only son, and only child, Charles Henry Magee, and for the support and education of his two children and any other children he may have, and further to give my said son the power to dispose of the remainder or corpus of said estate by last will and testament and at the same time protect said estate from any and all debts and liabilities that my said son may have contracted or may hereafter contract.

Now therefore, to carry out this purpose, I hereby vest in S. T. Jones and G. M. McKnight of Sweetwater Tenn. as joint Trustees, with survivorship, my entire estate, real, personal and mixed, wherever situated to hold, take possession of and manage the same in trust the rents and profits of said estate to be used for the support and maintenance of my said son Charles Henry Magee, and for the support and education of his two children, or any other children he may have said rents and profits to be paid over to my said son upon his individual receipt, with full power and authority in the said trustees, or the survivor

to sell any part of said estate for re-investment, upon the advice and consent of my said son and said Trustees or survivor shall permit my said son to occupy as a home and residence property belonging to the trust estate that he may select, and shall, so far as the legally can, employ my said son as agent to look after, and rent any of the real estate and to preserve and protect any of the personal estate. My said son shall have the right and power to dispose of the said estate, by last will and testament.

Should my said son die, without exercising the power hereby ~~invested~~ vested in him, then it is my will that the estate hereby vested in Trustees, or survivor, shall go in fee to his surviving children, share and share alike.

—Third—

I hereby constitute and appoint John M. Jones Jr. of Swutwater Tenn. sole executor of this my last will, and expressly excuse him from giving bond as such, or from filing any inventory, or from making any settlement as such, his sole duty being to turn over the estate to Trustees herein named, and I further excuse said Trustees from giving bond as Trustees, provided my said son shall waive said bond, at the time said Trustees accept the Trust hereby created.

In Witness Whereof, I, the said Green Turner Magee, Testator, have to this my will, typewritten upon this and one other page of like paper, hereunto set my hand and seal, this 9th day of January, A.D. 1901

G. T. Magee (seal)

Signed, sealed and declared by said Green Turner Magee, as and for his last will and Testament, in our Presence and we, in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses. The day and year above written

T. M. Roberts
J. A. Hardin.

Will of William Cleveland. Deceased.

Know all men by these Presents, That I, William Cleveland, of Monroe County, Tennessee do make and publish this my last will & testament, hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me heretofore made,

I desire that my executors shall pay all my debts, funeral expenses and purchase of a suitable stone to my grave out of the first moneys coming to their hands as such executors.

I will and bequeath to my wife Mary F. Cleveland all my household & kitchen furniture and what provisions may be on hand at the time of my death, which are to be used by the family.

I will bequeath and devise to my wife Mary F. Cleveland & my six children, to-wit: John Edgar, David Julia E. William L. Sam H. & Ellis A. Cleveland, all my property not herein before disposed of, real, personal & mixed of every kind & character together with life insurance, share & share alike. Except I give to my wife Mary F. Cleveland, the use, enjoyment & benefit of my home and the five acres more or less that it stands upon, during her natural life and at her death the same is to go to my six children above named, share & share alike as the other property but this is not to affect the interest given her hereinbefore. And I further direct that all my real estate and such other personal property as the stock etc. shall be kept together and the rents & profits to be held & disposed of as hereinafter directed, until my youngest child, Ellis A. Cleveland, shall become twenty one years of age and for the purpose