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for life, it to become absolutely the property of my son Hugh M. Haynes the said Denton Landing tract all being in the second Civil District of Perry County Tennessee, on the waters of Tennessee River, to-wit: It is my wish and I hereby direct that my son Hugh M. Haynes shall out of the property herein devised to him pay the widow and children of my deceased son George W. Haynes, and to the children of my deceased daughter Dora Haynes Cochran the several sums given to them in the third and fourth paragraphs on Page No. 2 of this my last will and testament.

Eighth: - I hereby nominate and appoint my son Hugh M. Haynes sole executor of this my last will and testament.

Witness my signature this March 9, 1929.
M. P. Haynes

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

O. B. DePriest
J. S. Cobb

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I, J. C. Burns, a resident of Ridgeway, Perry County, Tenn., being of sound mind and body, do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills of me at any time made.

(1) - I give, devise and bequeath to my grand child, Minnie Bell DePriest who is now about 8 or 10 years old, and will according to nature outline me three hundred dollars in cash out such estate as I may die seized and possessed of - this amount to be paid to her in cash out of my estate, by my executor at once, or as soon as practicable after my death. If there is not enough cash on hand at my death, for my executor to pay her this amount in cash, then in that event, I direct that my executor sell enough personal property or collect enough in debts, which may be due me to make out this amount, and if there is not enough cash on hand and not enough debts due my estate, or enough of other personal property on hand which may be sold, or all together to make this amount of cash, then I make this charge upon such real estate as I may then own, and direct that my children or representatives of children, who may then be living and inherit my said estate, will pay or cause to be paid to my executor this three hundred dollars in cash to be paid to the said Minnie Bell DePriest; and in the event this amount should have to be paid by my said children, who may inherit my real estate, this amount will be divided among them so as to charge each of the other shares equally in making up this amount.

(2) - It is my intention and will to limit the said Minnie Bell DePriest to this amount in my estate; and she is not to have any other amount or portion of my estate than this three hundred dollars in cash as provided

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in the first clause of this will.

(3)--

It is my wish and intention that all the remainder of my estate of whatever character or amount, wherever located after paying my just debt and giving to me a decent ~~burial~~ and giving to my wife such rights and amount in some of the may be entitled to under the law, should surviving me, shall be equally divided among the rest of my children, or representatives of children just as they would take my estate under the laws of descent and distribution, it being my intention not to devise any portion of my estate except this special bequest and devise of three hundred dollars to the said Minnie Bell De Priest, the remainder to go under the law of descent and distribution.

(It is my will and request that Carter Baise the father heir of Minnie Baise De Priest deceased shall have the remainder of the interest in my estate after the above mentioned Minnie Bell De Priest draws the above mentioned three hundred dollars.)

(4)--I hereby nominate W.A. Burns as trustee of this fund to take charge of said amount and loan it out for the benefit of the said Minnie Bell De Priest until she arrives at the age of 21 years or marries; and in the event he should fail or refuse to act as such trustee, this Court will name a suitable person to carry out this trust.

W.A. Burns is excused from making bond.

(5)--I hereby appoint W.A. Burns and G.S. Burns sole executors of this my last will and testament, and they are excused from executing any bond as such executors.

In witness whereunto, I have hereunto set my hand, this 22nd day of July 1887. J.C. Burns Sr.

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Signed by the said J.C. Burns at and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us, the undersigned, upon his request and in his sight and presence, I have subscribed our names hereto, as attesting witnesses, the day and date above written.

Witnessed / Ralph Patterson
J. F. Luper

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I, Mrs. Mattie Duncan, a Citizen of Perry County, Tennessee, being of sound Mind and disposing Memory, do hereby make this my last Will and Testament, revoking all other Wills by me at any time made.

I desire my just dues to be paid out of the first money that comes into the hands of my Executor and Testamentary Trustee.

II.

I desire all my real estate, wherever situated, to Ralph Patterson, in trust, during the Minority of my minor Children, to be rented out and the net proceeds paid to my said minor Children until they reach their majority respectively. When all of my said minor Children reach their majority, and upon the request of a majority of said Children, or there issue if any have died having such issue, my said trustee the said Ralph Patterson, above named, shall sell my said real estate to the best advantage, either privately or publicly; either for all Cash or for part Cash and balance time, so as to get the best price for the same. And if on time that the deferred purchase money notes be well secured, and especially that the Vendor Lien be retained ~~at~~ thereon etc. And the proceeds of said sale shall then be distributed equally among my Children, or if any be dead having issue, their such issue to take the share of their deceased parent etc. such payments shall be made to my Children, direct. My said Children shall have no power of disposition of their interest in said land, nor to anticipate the fund that may come to them by assignment, order or other means. It being my purpose that the proceeds of such sale shall come to the benefit of said Children, free from debt or any other claims of any person whatsoever.

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the said Ralph Patterson is also named as my Executor.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my Name on this the 28 day of Feb. 1930.

Mattie Duncan.

We, J. D. Lewis, and Cayce Heath, subscribing witnesses, hereby become such at the request of the testatrix, Mrs. Mattie Duncan, and in her presence, having signed our Names hereto after she said testatrix had signed her Name, on this the 28 day of Feb. 1930.

J. D. Lewis.
Cayce Heath.

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I, Eliza B. Magu of Perry County, Tennessee do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking any and all Wills heretofore made by me.

First.

I direct that all my just debt and funeral expenses owing at the time of my death, be paid out of any money that I may have on hand at the time of my death or if there is not sufficient money on hand at the time ~~of my death~~ debt and expenses, then out of the first money that may come into the hands of my executor.

Second.

I devise to my son, Thomas Miller Magu now a resident of said County of Perry, a certain tract of land, known as a part of the Honey Harner land, situated in the 1st Civil District of said County, on the waters of Cedar Creek, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a small scaly rock on east side of a steep hill, run North 41 Paces to a stake with a Hickory Point inside of a field; then west five Paces to a Hickory & Point; then North running on the west side of a wire fence crossing the Creek at 60 Paces and with the E. B. line of the John Bunch tract, crossing the Highway at 140 Paces passing William Bunch's S. E. Corner of his 30 acre tract at 160 Paces and with Bunch's line in all 178 Paces to a Hickory and Cedar Point; then S. W. Corner of a small tract, that goes with the Bunch or Bunch tract; then east with the E. B. line of some 79 Paces to a stake with Hickory Point; then south running with Center of the line 53 Paces to a rock in corner on north side of the Creek, with Cedar Point; then South 50° East 34 Paces from the rock; then east 4 Paces to a stake

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about 2 Paces North east from the Cedar Point; then South 30° East crossing the Creek 12 Paces to a stake in the corner on south side of Creek; then up the hill with marked line passing a large gum tree on top of the hill that has ~~old~~ been marked, in all 66 Paces to where dead Cuts for an ash on hill; then east 60 Paces to a Rock on east hill side; then South 30 Paces to a black oak; then east passing a white oak R. W. Harwell's S. W. Corner at 154 Paces and with R. W. Harwell's S. B. line in all 151 Paces to a small black oak and Point; Harwell's S. E. Corner; then South crossing 2 deep hollows in all 152 Paces to dead Dogwood Chestnut and other Point on south of the ridge; then west passing T. A. Mayberry's white oak Corner at 48 Paces in all 119 Paces to white oak; then North 22 Paces stake 3 Chestnut Oak Point; then West 90 Paces to a dead Gum tree with Point at wire fence; then South 21 Paces to a stake 3 Hickory Point; then west 62 Paces to a white oak; then North 20 Paces to black oak at wire fence west 40 Paces to slippery elm and Point; North 20 Paces stake and Point; then west 40 Paces to Chestnut oak on Fall Hot; North 20 Paces stake and Point west 40 Paces to red oak; then North 26 Paces to a small Hickory with 2 large buck Point; then west 6 Paces to the beginning containing 236 acres.

This tract of land is devised to my said son for and during his life, with remainder to such Child or Children as he may have living at the time of his death and should he have no Children living at his death, then said tract of land is to go to his two sisters, Sally Mary Turner, and Ollie Bell Harder, wife of Prince Harder.

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if living at the time of the death of my said son, or if they or either of them be dead then it shall be taken by the legal representatives of them.

Third.

I devise to my daughter, Sally Mary Turner, Wife of John Turner, a resident of Riffin County, Tennessee, two tracts of land. One of 200 Acres known as the John Bunch land, and the other of 67 Acres, which is a part of the said Honey Harner land. Above referred to. These two tracts of land are also situated in the 1st Civil District of said County of Perry, on the waters of Cedar Creek, and bounded as follows, to wit:

First tract: Beginning at a Cedar on south bank of Cedar Creek, where the W.B. line of the home tract crosses the Creek runs North with the W.B. line and West end of the home tract crossing the highway at 80 Poles in all 100 Poles to a stake with Robinson Painters William Bunch S.E. Corner of his 80 acre tract then west with Bunch's line 28 Poles to a Cedar and white Oak Painters then North 132 Poles to a stake with Hickory Painters in John Turners line; then west 130 Poles to a stake Jack Hickory's N.E. Corner; then south 224 Poles to Cedar Creek at the west end of the old mill race; then eastward with the old mill race striking the Creek above the white Church house and running East direction with course of the Creek to the beginning. Containing 200 Acres.

Second Tract: Beginning at a Hickory and Cedar Painters the home being the N.W. Corner of the home tract North with Wm. Bunch E.B. line 128 Poles to a Hickory on ridge John Turners Corner East 47 1/2 Poles

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to a Black Oak + Hickory; then South 62 Poles to a flat rock in hollow marked X; then East 25 Poles to a stake; South 55 Poles to stake; then South 12° East about 16 Poles to Ash Elm + Hickory. Where firmly stood a sugar tree; then South 40 Poles to a stake Hickory Painter the N.E. Corner of the home tract; then west 77 7/8 Poles to the beginning. Containing 67 1/2 Acres.

This devise to my said daughter, Sally Mary Turner, is made to her for her life with remainder to her children living at the time of her death; and should I die without living children, then these two tracts of land shall go to her brother, the said Thomas William Magee and his sister, Ollie Bell Harder, or to their legal representatives, if they or either of them be dead at the time of the death of said Sally Mary Turner: their legal representatives, to take the share of their said parents, had they been living at the date of the death of their deceased.

These lands embraced in Clause 2 and 3 above, are valued at Four Thousand Dollars that is, the land embraced in each devise; and these two devises are made to make the two beneficiaries there of equal to that amount, that is Four Thousand Dollars, which I have already advanced to my said daughter, the said Ollie Bell Harder.

Fourth.

I bequeath to my said three children and their legal representatives all my personal Property, of every kind and character that I may own at the date of my death, subject only to the provisions of Clause No. 1. Above. My said children or their representatives should to take said Personal Property, or either share and share alike; the Personal Property that I may own, except money, shall be

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told by my executor and the proceeds divided as above directed.

Fifth.

Any and all other lands or real estate that I may own at my death, I desire to my said three children, or their legal representatives; such lands also to be sold by my executor. On such terms as his business judgment shall dictate and approve, and the legal representatives of any of my children that may be dead at the time of my demise shall take only the share they parent or parents would have taken had they been living at my death. And my executor, up on my death shall be vested with the title to such real estate, above referred to, as I may own at my death, for the purpose of making sale thereof as above directed he being authorized to execute all necessary deeds for transfer for the conveyance of such lands to his purchasers.

Sixth.

I nominate and appoint my son-in-law, the said Primer Harder, as executor of my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name on this the 14th day of December, 1929.

Elijah B. Magu.

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

Ida L. Ray
R. A. Haggard

I, Elijah B. Magu, of Perry County, Tennessee, having heretofore made and published my

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last will and testament, as heretofore set out, and being dated the 14th day of Dec. 1929, and witnessed by Ida L. Ray and R. A. Haggard, do make and declare this as a Codicil to said will, to wit:

First.

I desire to change, modify and add to the provisions of set out in clauses two and three, of the foregoing will; so as to provide that all the Oak, Poplar, Walnut, Elm, Ash, Elm, Hickory, Sugar tree or Maple, Birch and Chestnut timber, measuring thirteen inches and above that in diameter, at reasonable stumpage from the ground, remaining on the three tracts of land ~~the same~~ described in said clause two and three, at my death, shall not pass under said two clauses in the foregoing will; but that all of said timber shall be sold by my executor, as soon after my death as may be practicable, due consideration being given for the market price thereof, and on such terms as his judgment may dictate and approve, and with proper liberality if sold on time and that the proceeds thereof be divided equally between all my heirs, including the beneficiaries under said clauses two and three in my foregoing will that is, the legal representatives of any of my children that may die before my death, I shall take the share that such parents would have taken, had such parents been living.

Lastly, it is my desire that this Codicil be treated and become a part of my said last will to all intents and purposes. This the 9th day of Jan. 1930.

Elijah B. Magu.

This Codicil to the foregoing will was signed by the said Elijah B. Magu, as and for a Codicil to his said last will and testament, in the presence of us,

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by undersigned, who, at his request, and in his sight and presence, have subscribed our names hereto, as attesting witnesses.

This the 9th Day of January, 1930.

Ida L. Roy,
R. A. Haggard

Copy of Will

I, B. F. Striegel, of Perryville, Tennessee, being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do herefore, make, publish and declare this to be my last will and Testament, hereby revoking all others at any time made.

First. After all of my lawful debts are paid and discharged I give and bequeath to my wife Francis Jane Striegel all my property, both personal and real, and effects of every kind or character that I may die seized and possessed of or in any way, belonging to or coming to me at my death, having full confidence in her that she will do what is right among the children, but this bequest to her is for her absolute disposal and use as she sees proper.

Second. I hereby appoint my said wife Francis Jane Striegel to be executrix of this my last will and Testament without bond.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, this the 12th day of February, 1937.
B. F. Striegel.

The above written instrument was subscribed to be the said B. F. Striegel in our presence and acknowledged by him to each of us at the same time, and the same

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was read in our hearing and his, and he at the same time, declared the above instrument to be his last will and Testament; and we at his request and in his presence signed our names as witnesses hereto in his presence and the presence of each other.

W. R. Demmon
J. A. Linker

State of Tennessee, Decatur County,
I, S. C. Kennedy, of said Decatur County, do hereby certify that the above is a full, true and perfect copy of the last Will and Testament of B. F. Striegel, deceased as appears of record now on file in my office.

Witness S. C. Kennedy, at office in Decaturville this the 5th day of February, 1937.
S. C. Kennedy
County Court Clerk.

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Copy of will of Susan Sahlet

2. Susan Sahlet, of Perry County, Tennessee, do hereby make and publish my last will and testament.

I give, devise, and bequeath to my children, Mallic Turner, Robert Sahlet, Sussie Sahlet, Jesse Sahlet, and Sue Sahlet Hobbs, each an one several undivided interest; to my grand children, Ray Young and Del Young, the children of my deceased daughter, Della Sahlet Young, a one joint and undivided interest each; and to my grand children, Geo Lewis Williams, Sue Lewis, Elizabeth Lewis, Humpreys, Labena Lewis, Angerine Lewis, and Margaret Lewis, the children of my deceased daughter, Jennie Sahlet Lewis, each a one several undivided interest, in and to all the right, title and claim and interest I have in a certain tract of land bought by me Feb. 17, 1917, the same being registered Feb. 2, 1921, in deed book page 131 of the registers office of Perry County, Tennessee, to which reference is here made for a particular description of said land. It is my will and desire that the executor of this, my last will and testament, appoint a trustee for all real estate of my estate.

It is my further will and desire, and I hereby give, devise, and bequeath to my daughter, Sue Sahlet Hobbs, the following: the bed, bureau, and chairs which I received from my father's estate;

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my dining table, my folding bed, the bedstead, mattress and feather bed which I sleep on regularly, the enlarged picture of my father, mother and husband, my greenhouse, cracker, kitchen stove and kitchen utensils, and silverware except that given me by my son Jesse, which I shall give back to him; and a square green table which I bought from Mrs. George Turner, also my buggy and harness. These things I give my daughter, Sue Sahlet Hobbs, for kindness shown me after the death of my husband.

It is my further will and desire that in case my son Jesse, does not call for his father's bed which I gave him, that the same bed shall be given into the hands of my daughter, Sue Sahlet Hobbs, to be held by her until said Jesse calls for same.

It is my further will and desire, and I hereby give, devise, and bequeath to my said children and grand children to share and in the same proportion all other property, real, personal, and mixed of which I may be seized and possessed, whenever the same may be located to be held, owned and enjoyed by them the same as said tract of land divided in the first paragraph of this will.

It is my further will and desire, that should either of my children die before I do, upon their death, as said child or children should leave surviving her or him any lawful child or children, such child or children are to

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receive and take all the interest in my property under this will that my deceased child should take and have under this will is living. And as either of my children should die without any lawful children, then, and in that event, the share of such child or children, shall be divided equally among my other children and grand children of my late deceased daughter, Jennie Lewis and Ida Sabilet Young, and grandchildren to receive and have the interest said Jennie Lewis and Ida Sabilet Young and said I have received said my late living.

I hereby appoint and nominate Susan Sabilet as executrix of this my will. I a witness whereof I have subscribed my hand, on this 28th of December 1927.
Susan Sabilet.

I signed by said Susan Sabilet, as and for her last will and testament, in the presence of us. We under signed witnesses at her request, and in her sight and presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names, with our attesting in it, as the day and date above written.

Sarah E. Young } witnesses
Minerva Sparks }
J. Kent Sparks }

at it needs to make of Sarah E. Young,
J. Kent Sparks,
Minerva Sparks.

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Estate of Jameson }
Perry County, Tennessee }

Perry County, Tennessee, do make and publish this as my last will and testament, hereby making all other wills that I have made, void.

I direct that my funeral expenses and all just indebtedness be paid out of all the I made or income, or personal assets that I may be possessed of at my death.

Second
That I hereby bequeath to my wife, Maudie J. Lewis, all of my property, including stock and household furniture, and all notes or accounts belonging to me individually or appears to belong to me individually.

Thirdly
I direct that all official notes that I had as Clerk and Master, or receiver, and ~~at that time amount~~, go into the hands of my successor or in my office, and that he collect same and use them in paying out funds to the parties herein entitled in the same way and manner that I should do if I should live and had said office of Clerk and Master, or receiver, and ~~at that time amount~~, of any left after payment of such indebtedness that I may owe as Clerk and Master, or receiver, the same will be collected and paid to my wife, Maudie J. Lewis.

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I am the

I direct that should any of my daughters remain single, or become widows and have no home or support of their own, that they shall remain with their mother, at the home now passed or owned by me at my death, even after their mother's death and receive benefits of that said home so long as they may remain single, or widows and have no home of their own.

I direct that after the death of my wife, Minnie J. Lewis, and the children I had as children of both of them and their unmarried and have no home of their own and there is no one of them single or unmarried, then in that event, I direct that my home be sold on such terms that will bring the best and highest price, and the proceeds be equally divided among my 10 or 11 children and grand children the living. Now J. C. Ward, the husband of my deceased daughter, Bertha Ward, is due me and indebted to me on account of funds or money paid by me for taxes to the amount of about \$125.00 which amount I direct to be deducted from the said Bertha Ward's deceased part of my said estate, and after that is deducted from their said last used place be entitled to one fifth of said amount said Lewis or children or all be entitled to one fifth of said estate. Now said said Lewis or grand children or all be entitled to their mother's part or one fifth interest, but the

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\$125.00 due me by their father, J. C. Ward.

Lewis

I do hereby nominate and appoint John L. Worley my executor and direct him to proceed to carry out said will as the law directs. Now the said J. C. Ward pay to me, or into the hands of my executor, said amount of \$125.00 before said probate is made, they in that event said children of Bertha Ward, deceased, shall receive their mother's entire one fifth interest in my said estate.

In witness whereof I do to this my will set my hand,

This 27th day of September, 1928.

J. C. Lewis

Signed and published in our presence, and we have subscribed our names thereto in the presence of the testator and the presence of each other.

This the 27th day of September, 1928.

J. C. Ward, Hamilton
L. A. Webb.

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I A Harder being of sound mind and disposing memory, full realizing the uncertainty of death life & the certainty of death do hereby make & publish this my last will & testament hereby revoking all other wills made by me, 1st I desire that as soon as possible after death all my just debts including my burial expense be paid

2nd I own 2 small tracts of Land Tract no 1 Bounded as follows on the north by Denton South Thompson on the East by A & L De Company West by Denton containing 40 acres valued at \$520.00 dollars Tract no 2 Bounded as follows north by Thompson South by Broadway East by Thompson West by Denton valued at 200.00 dollars

3rd I hereby give and bequeath to my daughter M D Broadway, to have & to hold during ~~the~~ ^{her} natural life ~~and~~ ^{both} of these and their death revert to ~~her~~ ^{her} and half of my lands which has been divided by an agreed time understood and agreed to by the husbands of both of my daughters to wit J W Broadway & W B Richardson

4th I hereby give & bequeath unto my daughter M E Richardson & husband W B Richardson the other one half of my land to have & to hold during ~~in~~ ^{their} natural lifetimes and at their death of both of these said land reverts to to & becomes the property of their heirs

5th It is my will & desire that after my death my daughters & their husbands shall not be allowed to sell said lands & that said lands shall not be sold from them for any debts or contracts

6th I hereby will and decree that said lands this day by me willed to my daughters & their husbands and their heirs shall be theirs in fee simple at my death and at the death of my 2 daughters & husbands said lands to go to the heirs of my ^{two} daughters & I further will that said lands shall not be sold from them for any debt

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they may contract

I hereby nominate & appoint J W Broadway & W B Richardson as my executors to ~~the~~ ^{my} last will & testament to wind up ~~my~~ ^{my business} in life if any & require of them two ~~of~~ ^{of} signatures I A Harder

We the undersigned subscribing witnesses ~~swear~~ ^{swear} hereby certify that we saw the testator sign her name to the foregoing will and at their request we signed our names in her presence and in the presence of each other

L. B. Hard
Dora Howell

Witness

This Aug 17/1929

State of Perry County
I J A Land Dept Clerk of said County do hereby certify that the above is a full true & correct copy of the last will & testament of I A Harder Decd and appears of record Now on file in my Office in Linden Perry County Tenn

Witness J A Land Dept Clerk of Perry County
This June 9/1931

O E Kirk Co clk
J A Land D. C.

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State of Tenn. Perry County
Last Will of Jacob Dickson

I, Jacob Dickson, being of sound mind, do make and publish this as my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all others that I have made. First I direct my funeral expenses paid and all other expenses that I may owe now or hereafter or that has accrued or may accrue hereafter while I am living, to be paid as soon after my death as possible out of my money, that I may die peaceful of.

Second I direct the above mentioned debts and expenses have been fully paid. If there is any funds left I give and bequeath the same to my daughter Ollie Dickson for use and benefit, as long as she lives, and remain single and unmarried, so be paid to her in installments as she may actually need same in such amounts as her circumstances may require and at her death or marriage if there is any money left belonging to my estate I direct same to be equally divided between my other children, or their children if any said children be living, or should live and have children to go to them.

I hereby appoint Ralph Patterson as my executor, to take charge of my funds & keep said funds loaned out at interest, and direct him to pay all of my debts and funeral expenses (as above) set out, and then pay the same to my daughter Ollie Dickson as above set out as she actually needs it for expenses & same to be paid in installments, as her circumstances may require.

In witness whereof I do to this Will & Testament set my hand and seal this 24th day of Sept 1928
Witness J. H. Lewis
Signed & Published and acknowledged in our presence, and we have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the Testator and

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presence of each other This 7th day of
September 1928
H. Lewis
J. B. Cude
John T. Herby

I, J. H. Patterson of the County of Perry State of Tenn being of sound mind but of such advanced age as to suspect a near approach of death, do make this my last will and testament.

1st I direct that my executor pay from my funds received from any part of my estate all my funeral expenses and all just debts entitled to be paid.

Second I give and bequeath to my wife Margaret Patterson all of the household goods, family furniture which I may have in possession at my death. I also give and bequeath to her Margaret Patterson 2 mules, one farm wagon, 2 cows & colts of her choice of any one sow & enough hog to supply meat & lard for one year use. I also give & bequeath to her my pig & put in stock scales.

Third I give & bequeath to my son Harold Patterson all my farming tools, or my gun and fowling consisting of miter, rake, hay press, plow, etc.

Fourth I direct that my son Walter Patterson be paid five hundred dollars, this being in my opinion a fair amount of my estate consisting that I have had to pay from my life savings a considerable amount in which my other children & wife did not share any part or receive any benefit.

Fifth I give & bequeath to my dear wife Margaret Patterson, I give Harold Patterson, & daughter Margaret Patterson & son Alice Patterson I give & bequeath to my dear wife Margaret Patterson all my real estate of whatever character to be divided equally between them and as long as the same is not sold by them the same shall be divided equally between after the taxes and expenses

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of such real estate we find in want of a sale by my will & direct that my son Howell Patterson shall have the field on the north side of creek between the Road & Creek & just below the lot on which house of my son Howell Patterson is located. This field shall be part of Howell Patterson's 1/4 int in all the real estate and the price in making the land at the time of a sale or division.

Sixth I either of my children should die without leaving any bodily heirs they I direct that such interest in real estate bequeathed to him or her shall bequeath the property of the other living heirs. Seventh All the property above bequeathed to my wife Mrs Margaret Patterson both real & personal shall be accepted by her in lieu of the usual Year Support. Heirs & Dower rights.

Eighth If during the time of administration or any time thereafter my debts and obligations should grow to be in excess of funds received from proceeds of my personal property, then I request that my wife Mrs Margaret Patterson, & Son Howell & daughters Ella & Alice Deprive make arrangements to pay such indebtedness without having to sell real estate as the law would direct in such cases.

Ninth I further direct that any property which I may die se & di and possessed with the heirs bequeathed be sold by my Executor hereafter named either in public or private to the best results. The proceeds of such sales shall be used to pay my just debts or be divided between Mrs Margaret Patterson & Howell Patterson Ella Patterson & my & Alice Patterson & myself. Tenth I nominate & constitute & appoint my son Howell Patterson my Executor for the purpose of carrying out my last will & Testament & that he serve without Bond

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Copied & hereby revoke all other Will or Wills by me heretofore made
in witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and seal this the 22nd day of June 1931

The foregoing instrument was subscribed, sealed, published and declared by James W Patterson as and for his last will & Testament in our presence and in the presence each of us and we at the same time at the request of James W Patterson and in the presence of each other hereunto subscribe our names and residence as attesting witnesses on this the 22nd day of June 1931

R D Lewis
P. O. Denson Standing Firm
Ralph Patterson
P. O. Lobnitz Firm

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J. A. Aldridge

I, James Aldridge, of Perry County, Tenn. do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time made.

First

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I give, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, Ellen Aldridge, for so long during the period of her natural life, all personal property and all the farming and timber land, together with all improvements thereon that I may own at my death, she shall have the authority to dispose of the natural resources of the place in she sees fit.

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At the death of my beloved wife, Ellen Aldridge, I give and bequeath to my heirs, all personal property and all the farming and timber land together with all the improvements thereon.

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I hereby nominate and appoint Harley Aldridge, my son, sole Executor of this my last will and testament and he is not required to give bond as such Executor.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, this the 3rd day of October.

(Signed) J. A. Aldridge

Signed by the said James Aldridge as and for his last will and testament in the presence of and the undersigned who at his request and in his presence, have subscribed our names hereto as attesting witnesses the day and date above written.

J. G. Vaughan

Joe Layton

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J. L. Phillips

I, J. L. Phillips make this my last Will and Testament:

First

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I want all my just debts and funeral expenses paid.

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I bequeath to my wife, Sara Phillips, all my property, both real and personal, that I have at my death.

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I appoint my wife Sara Phillips executrix to this will and that she be exempt from making bond.

Signed J. L. Phillips

This March 24, 1931

We W. N. Armstrong, and J. T. Lomax, at the request of J. L. Phillips sign our names, as witnesses to his signature in his presence and in the presence of each other.

W. N. Armstrong,

J. T. Lomax.

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Mary Wilson

I Mary Wilson of the county of Perry and State of Tennessee
 Being in my right mind, do hereby make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament.

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I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon as possible after my decease. I bequeath to my son, Thomas M. Mathis, one hundred Dollars (\$100.00) out of my personal property, which he has already received and the amount that I hold against him for one hundred dollars is hereby cancelled.

-II-

I bequeath to my son Robert L. Mathis, one hundred dollars (\$100.00) he having already received Fifty Dollars (\$50.00); I direct that he be paid Fifty Dollars more; I give to my three daughters one hundred dollars (\$100.00) each, namely: Irene Evans; Sally Tomblin and Fannie Rachall. deceased, heirs, one hundred dollars.

-III-

I bequeath to my son Jas. H. Mathis my real estate consisting of a small farm, where he now lives, and after my funeral expenses are paid and just debts settled, if there be any thing left of my personal property it to be paid to the said Jas. H. Mathis, he having cared for me during my infirmities, lastly, I nominate William H. Mathis Executor, with such Bond.

To witnesses and Signatures this 21st day of June 1930. Signed Mary Wilson
 Mark

Witnesses, Signed and sealed in the presence of
 of Jas. H. Mathis

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J. P. Godwin

-I-

I, J. P. Godwin, do make this, my last will and testament, I direct that my funeral expenses and just debts be paid, as soon after my death as possible, out of any money I may die possessed of, or that may first come into the hands of my executor. I further direct that my executor place at my grave, a monument, and in case I am buried at the Godwin grave yard, it to be of one of the two designs there now on our plot, and not to cost more than \$100.00.

-II-

I direct that the proceeds of my estate be equally divided among my brothers and sisters in case of death, to their bodily heirs.

-III-

In the event, I should own at my death the residence in which I now live, I direct authorize and empower my executor to sell the same, either publicly or privately, as he may think best.

IV

I appoint J. M. Godwin my executor and direct that he be excused from making bond, in the event he cannot serve, I appoint W. H. Godwin upon the same terms.

This June 20, 1930

Signed J. P. Godwin

Witnesses. I direct that my executor not offer for sale my household effects for I have already given away some of the things and thereby name Geo. Godwin, Jas. H. Godwin, Edna Harris and Frances Williams to take charge of the remainder to divide same as they may see proper.

This March 1st 1928

Signed J. P. Godwin

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R. H. Hester.

Know all men by these presents, I R. H. Hester, of the City of Lohasville, Perry County, Tennessee, being of sound mind and memory, do hereby make and publish this my last Will and Testament.

I give and bequeath unto my Daughter, Minnie Curry, one hundred and fifty dollars more than any one of the other heirs, my daughter Minnie Curry is to take charge of all of my household goods and she is to divide them with W. H. Clark heirs, namely: Uncle Paul Smith, Lealie Clark and Bob Gray's Clark, and if any one of the Clark heirs dies, his interest in the estate is to go to the other two Clarks heirs and if two of them dies, then the two interest is to go to the one Clark heirs.

Unto the Manns heirs my wife children, and namely: John Manns, J. D. Manns, Bob Lee Manns, Austin Manns and Ed Manns, I give unto them, one hundred dollars each, when the estate is sold and money collected for same, and if any expense occurs in this state in winding up same, each and all heirs here in named and mention pay his part of same, my burial bills and Dis. bills is to be paid first and all of my debts also is to be paid out of the first money collected either from my personal property or out of the sale of my land.

It is further stated and understood that in case any suit or trouble comes up or is brought about by any one, then I want it understood plainly each heir here in mention in this my last will and testament is to pay his part of Lawyer fee, cost and trouble of same.

My will is when the land is sold, I want half acre cut out where the Cemetery is now and it is not to be sold at all.

My will is that I want my Daughter, Minnie Curry to take charge of all my business both real and personal at my death and dispose

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of same as I have stated and pay the amount here in stated to each heir and she is to do this without any bond.

I want her, Minnie Clark to pay the amount mention here into each heir and no one else, the Clark heirs is what I mean for her to pay the money to.

It is further my will that I do not want W. H. Clark and J. L. Curry to have any thing to do with this my last will, at all.

If either one of the heirs here in mention in this will brings any suit about any of this business, he is forever debarred and the one or ones that brings the suit is to have any thing at all out of said estate.

My daughter Minnie Clark has the full power to sell all this property both real and personal, with out filing any bill or going into court and I want her to have plenty of time to dispose of same.

And it is understood that I am to have control and have full possession of all my property as long as I live.

This 25th day of January, 1924.

Signed R. H. Hester
mark

Witness

J. J. Luper

P. L. Hanner

It is understood that Minnie Curry my Exe-trick is not to be rushed up in selling the property, she is to have plenty of time to sell it and she is not to pay any interest while she is trying to sell it, or she is not to pay any interest on any thing from my death, until it is all sold.

This is a Codicil to my last will and testament, bearing date, the 25th day of January, 1924.

Since Bob Lee Manns is now dead, it is my will that his widow, Julia, be paid the sum of \$1,00.00 when the estate is wound up; it is my will that

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her children to pay the above mentioned amount, each of her children to share equally in their pro. rata of the above mentioned \$100.00

It is also my will, that should any of the other mentioned heirs here mentioned in my will not be living at the time my estate is wound up, that their heirs shall receive the amount of \$100.00, this amount to be divided equally among the heirs of any one, or all the heirs that might be dead.

Further, it is my will that should there be any cash accrued on the part of any one of the heirs, in winding up of my estate, that each heir is to bear his proportional part of that expense and that amount is to be deducted from the original \$100.00.

Witness my hand,

this the 17th day of April 1929.

Witness, B. H. Green, April 17th 1929, Hester
mark.

The foregoing instrument was at the date thereof, signed and declared by the said R. H. Hester, to be a codicil to his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence and in the presence of each other, here subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Witness B. H. Green
Ralph Patterson,

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A. W. Fanning

In the name of God, Amen:

I, A. W. Fanning, being of sound mind and memory, not knowing the uncertainty of human life, do now make and publish this my last will and testament, that is to say:

I desire my Executrix, hereinafter named, to pay my just debts and funeral expenses, as soon after my death as may be convenient.

I devise and bequeath unto my Wife and children to have all my property real and personal.

I nominate and appoint Nettie Fanning as my Executrix, and having full confidence in her, do release her of the necessity of giving bond as such, and authorize and empower her to sell, without order of Court, any real or personal property belonging to the estate whenever same may be desirable or necessary, either for the payment of debts of the estate or purpose of distribution, and to execute proper conveyances to same.

I further direct that my said Executrix shall not be required to file an inventory of my estate, or any accounts or vouchers for settlements, or anything therein further than probate this will and carry out its directions, desiring to save all unnecessary expense in connection with the administration of my said estate.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand on this the 11 day of October 1923.

A. W. Fanning (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published, and declared by the A. W. Fanning, the Testator, as and for his last will and testament, and we hereby certify that he whose name is signed to the foregoing will, executed the same in our presence, and we in his presence, and in the presence of each other, and at his request, having signed the same as witnesses, this 11 day of October, 1923 in the City of Corinth, Mississippi.

B. E. Everett
B. J. Warham

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Phoebe Jane Trull.

I Phoebe Jane Trull, being of sound mind and disposing memory make and publish this my last will and Testament, hereby revoking all others made by me at any time.

I direct that my just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of any funds that I might be and possessed of.

I bequeath to J. T. Trull and Martha Trull my son and daughter, all the remainder of my property both real and personal, crops, rents, and all live stock on hand at my death, and any money that I might have at my death.

I hereby nominate J. A. Land as my executor to this my last will and testament, exonerating him from bond.

This August 23, 1927

Phoebe Jane Trull
X
Mark

We the undersigned as witnesses at the request of Phoebe Jane Trull, she signed same in our presence, and we signed in the presence of each other, and her request for her last will and testament. (signed)

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J. A. Land.

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Roy L. Greenway

I, Roy L. Greenway, of the County of Perry, State of Tennessee, being of sound mind and disposing memory, and realizing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death, do hereby make and publish this as my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills by me at any time made.

I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible, out of any money that I may be and possessed of, or that may first come into the hands of my legal representative.

I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Pearl Greenway, and my children, my farm with all of my personal property of every kind and character, which I may be and possessed or to which I may be entitled to at the time of my decease. I also give and bequeath to my said beloved wife, all the residue of my estate to have and to hold so long as she shall remain a widow in life. And after her decease or remarriage my estate shall be disposed of as follows:

It is my will and desire that upon the death or remarriage of my beloved wife Pearl Greenway, my farm with all the personal effects thereto belonging shall revert to all my children "share and share alike" and upon the remarriage of my said wife Pearl Greenway, she forfeits all her rights to any of my property either real or personal.

It is my further will and desire and I so direct that my wife Pearl Greenway shall not be permitted to cut and sell the timber off of my farm for the purpose of marketing the same. But she is permitted to use timber for fire wood and also for the upkeep of the farm, and for nothing else.

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Lastly: I nominate and constitute and appoint as my executor to take my last will and testament, William Roy Greenway, and require of him no bond for the execution of his trust, thereunder.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name at my home on Lick Creek in Perry County, Tennessee, on this August 14, 1929.

Roy L. Greenway.

At the request of the testator, we witnessed him sign his name in our presence, and we as subscribing witnesses sign our names in his presence and in the presence of each other, this August 14, 1929.

Tom A. Finin,
J. P. Finin.

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"G. W. Daniel"

I, G. W. Daniel, a resident of Perry County, Tennessee, having lived to reach a ripe old age, and being blessed with some property, and of sound mind and perfect memory, and desiring of disposing of my property in a manner which I have decided is best for me to do, do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time made.

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I direct that all my just debts be paid out of any property which I may own at my death.

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I have heretofore given and sold and given to my son, Andrew Daniel, certain portions of my property real and personal which I wanted him to have, and now want him to have and hereby ratify and confirm to him as being the full and entire amount which I wish him to have of my entire estate at my death.

I have also, heretofore, sold, conveyed and deeded to my grand-son-in-law and my second daughter, W. D. Dudley, and wife, Nellie Daniel Dudley, by deed recorded in said book L-12, page 39, of the Register Office of Perry County, Tenn., dated Nov. 10, 1923, wherein a certain portion of my real estate was conveyed and deeded to them and also further and in addition to what was deeded and conveyed in that deed by a deed bearing date of Jan. 19, 1931, executed just prior to the execution of this will, I have executed to the said W. D. Dudley & wife Nellie Daniel Dudley, two more tracts of real estate being the north end of one thousand acre tract of land deeded to me by Thos. Young, and all of the remainder of said 1000 acres Thos. Young tract after excluding therefrom one tract of about 500 acres on the south end of it deeded by me to J. C. Daniel and wife and also about 75 acres more of it which was given over to my brother, G. W. Daniel, conveying in said deed to them all of this & the remainder of that 1000 acre tract and also all of another tract of real estate joining that 400 acres deeded to them and lying

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and being just east of and adjoining the tract of land which I have heretofore deeded to them on Nov. 16, 1923, recorded on deed book K-12, page 97 and also certain personal property owned by me and set out in said deed being a time deposit bank certificate on the Bank of Lakeville, Conn. for \$1000.00 dated March 14, 1930, made payable to W.D. Dudley and also a note for \$400.00, executed to me by C.D. Daniel bearing date Jan. 1, 1931, due one year after date which was endorsed by to me said W.D. Dudley and wife by me and delivered to them and also all the household and kitchen furniture of every kind and description all plow tools and farming implements and one wagon owned by me and also one upright piano Marshall & Mendell make, all of which property real & personal is set out and fully described in said deed heretofore on this day executed to them reference to which deed is here made and I hereby ratify and confirm and formally adopt that conveyance in said deed and in both deed to them so as to constitute them the owners in fee and absolutely of all the property, real estate and personal property, set out and described in both of said deeds according to the terms, lines and conditions therein set out, in so far as I now have the right and authority to do.

And I also give and bequeath to my Great Grandson, George W. Daniel, son of said W.D. Dudley & wife all right title claim, and interest which I may have or own in and to one pair of mules which I have heretofore conveyed to him and on which he has paid out the price agreed on, and I also give, grant, devise, and bequeath to him, said Great Grandson, all right title claim, or interest which I may have in and to or own or claim to one Chevrolet Automobile Touring car, or for any money I may have given or advanced to him to purchase same, as to constitute him the true and lawful owner of ~~the same~~ absolutely in fee, without any charge or claims against him for the cost or any amount I may have paid or advanced to him to buy same.

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It is my will and intention that my son Andrew Daniel shall have and hold what I heretofore given and deeded or sold to him as his property, without having to account to any one of my heirs hereafter, and after my death for any portion of same, or the value or cost price of same, and that this is to be the full amount and all of my property and estate which he shall receive, and it is also my further intention and will that my Grandson-in-law, W.D. Dudley and wife, Nellie Daniel Dudley shall have all that I have deeded to them in the two deeds mentioned under Item two of this will as their absolute property in fee title, and unlimited in right and enjoyment, without having to account to any one of my heirs hereafter and after my death for any portion of same or the value or cost price of same and that they are to have and own all of this property out of my estate, under said two deeds, and I wish to be understood and it is my will, wish, and desire that they the said W.D. Dudley & wife are not to be required to account to anyone of my other heirs for any portion or part of the value of all the property, real and personal which I have deeded to them, and I wish to be understood that it is my will and desire that what has been deeded to them is not to be considered as an advancement of any kind, but that it is all considered and treated as a conveyance and sale, to them and gift without having to make any further accounting to any one of my heirs after my death for any portion of same, but that what is set out in the two deeds is to constitute the condition and consideration and basis upon which the title to said property

It is also my wish and desire that the said George W. Daniel is not to be charged up with the value of the property herein bequeathed and devised to him as an advancement, but he takes it without limitation and in absolute title without having to account to any one hereafter, at any time for the value of same.

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And I hereby instruct my Executor and direct him to follow the two deeds executed to my said Grand Son in law, W. M. Dudley, and wife, in the property which they are to receive and to follow the deed or deeds which I have made to my son Andrew Daniel, in the property which he is to receive of my estate and to follow this will as to the property which my Great Grand Son, George W. Dudley is to receive of my estate, and I want it understood that it is my intention to convey away and dispose of all my property of every kind and description by the two deeds to said W. M. Dudley & wife, and the deed or deeds to my son Andrew Daniel, and the bequest to my Great Grand Son G. W. Dudley; and that no other person or relative or heir is to receive any portion of my estate except as set out in said deeds above referred to, and in and under this will and testament.

I do not want any litigation over this my last will and testament, as the deeds of conveyance which I have heretofore executed as hereinabove set out and in my will and desire that any one or more of my said heirs or relatives who would be entitled to any portion of my estate, or who takes and holds under the said deeds referred to above, or under this will and testament, and who institutes any character of litigation to set aside or vacate or change this will or the deed shall not have any right, title or interest in my estate.

I want it understood that it is my will and desire that there will be no litigation over my estate after I am dead, and that I am making this will to fully explain my instructions and desires as to who shall have all my property and how it shall be wound up. I just want this will probated and no litigation over it, and all my property to be considered as disposed of under the deeds which I have heretofore executed and delivered as hereinabove set out and explained, and that this ratifies and confirms all of what is done by the deeds, and is intended to give effect and full explanation to said deeds, and I do hereby

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will devise and bequeath a full adoption, ratification, and confirmation of what is done under said deeds above referred to herein, and that W. M. Dudley shall take title to his property as set out in this will and testament above.

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I hereby nominate and appoint J. A. Greer of Sycamore, Penn., as sole Executor of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereunto I hereunto set my hand this the 19th day of January, 1931.

G. W. Daniel,

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

A. Patton
C. L. Bondy.

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"J. B. Shelton"

In the name of God, Amen: I, J. B. Shelton, of the 4th Civil District of Perry County, Tennessee, considering the uncertainty of this mortal life, and being of sound mind and memory, blessed be God for the same, do make and publish this my last will and testament, in the manner and form following, that is to say:

First: I direct that my funeral charges, the expense of administering my estate, and all my just debts be paid out of my personal property.

Second: I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Sallie Ethel Shelton, all my personal property of whatever nature and character, consisting of money on hand and in Bank, house hold goods, farming implements, live stock, poultry, farm products and any other personal property not heretofore mentioned, which she will use for her support and for the rearing and support of my two youngest sons, Clarence Shelton and Will Ralph Shelton.

Third: I give and bequeath to my eldest son, Edward Newton Shelton, the sum of Two Hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) which amount shall be held by my wife, Sallie Ethel Shelton, who will make bond as legal Guardian for my three children, and she will pay the sum mentioned of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) when my son shall become twenty-one years of age.

Fourth: I give and bequeath to my wife, Sallie Shelton, until my youngest child shall have reached the age of twenty-one, my home place, with all lands thereto belonging on Loss Creek, in the fourth Civil District of Perry County, also the tract of land belonging to me on Buffalo River, in the fourth Civil District of Perry

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County, Tennessee, being land which I bought from J. H. Ledbetter, also the farm now owned by me located in what is known as Squeeze Bottom in Humphreys County, Tennessee. My wife shall have full charge and control of all the above described three farms, until my youngest child shall have reached the age of twenty-one. She shall rent these farms for cash rent or for parts of the crops to the best advantage and interest of herself and my sons, Clarence Shelton and Will Ralph Shelton. She may use such rents as necessary for the support of herself and my sons, Clarence and Will Ralph.

Fifth: I direct that my executor hereafter named, shall sell to the highest and best bidder, for cash, all my farming tools, all my live stock except such hogs as will be needed by my wife for her use in having enough pork for her use and the use of my sons, Clarence and Will Ralph. I also direct that all my cattle be sold except cow and calf as will be needed by my wife for home use. I also direct that my executor sell my horse and any other personal property not needed by my wife, Sallie. The proceeds of all property sold herein, will be turned over to my wife, Sallie Ethel Shelton, to be used by her, for her support, and the support of my two sons, Clarence and Will Ralph.

Sixth: I direct that my executor sell either publicly or privately to the highest and best bidder, the tract of land now owned by me on Deer Creek in the second Civil District of Perry County, Tennessee, and turn over the proceeds of such sale to my wife, Sallie Shelton to be used by her for her support and the support of my sons, Clarence Shelton and Will Ralph Shelton or for the payment of the amount heretofore bequeathed to my son Edward Newton when he shall have reached the age of twenty-one.

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Seventh: I further direct that all property of whatever nature heretofore bequeathed to my wife Sallie Shelton, shall remain here for use or rental as long as she shall remain a widow, but if she should marry again before my youngest son then living should have reached the age of twenty one, then in that event, a Guardian shall be appointed for my sons, Clarence and Will Ralph, and such funds or personal property then on hand shall be held for use and benefit of my sons, Clarence and Will Ralph.

Eighth: I further direct that after my youngest son then living Clarence Shelton or Will Ralph shall have reached the age of twenty one and if my wife Sallie Shelton remains unmarried, that a Homestead and dower be set aside for my wife Sallie Shelton according to law and my sons, Clarence and Ralph shall have the use and benefit of the remainder of my land, if any.

Ninth: I further order and direct that my sons, Clarence and Will Ralph shall hold during their life time such land as they may have received by division of the three tracts heretofore mentioned but at their death it shall become the property of their heirs. It is expressly understood that if either of my sons should die leaving heirs, then in that event, such part or portion of real estate as they may have acquired by this bequest shall become the property of such heirs (my grand children).

Tenth: If and when a division of my real estate shall become necessary under this will between my sons, Clarence and Will Ralph, I direct that one of my sons, either Clarence or Will Ralph shall have my home place and the other small tract referred to as the Ledbetter tract in Perry County and an amount worth two thousand dollars from the tract in Humphreys County, believing that such division will be equal between the two. The other son, either Clarence or Will Ralph shall have the remainder

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of the tract in Humphreys County or his interest.

Eleventh: I appoint Ralph Patterson, Executor of this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made. The said Ralph Patterson will make bond in sufficient amount to be equal to twice the amount of funds or property that will be handled by him as Executor.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name on this the 26th day of May, 1933, in the year of our Lord,

J. B. Shelton.

We, whose names are hereunto subscribed, do hereby certify that J. B. Shelton, the testator, subscribed his name to this instrument in our presence and in the presence of each of us, and declared at the same time in our presence and hearing that this instrument was his last will and testament, and we at his request, sign our names here to in his presence or attending witnesses, on this the 26th day of May in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred Thirty-three.

J. H. Ferguson, Lobbelle, Tennessee.
A. Patton, " "

WILL RECORD

C. L. Britt.

I, C. L. Britt, of Perry County, Tennessee, do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void any and all other wills heretofore made by me.

Item 1. I direct that all just debts be first paid out of any monies that first may come into the hands of my Executor hereinafter named as soon after my death as practical.

Item 2. I will, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, Elsie Britt, all of my property that I may die seized and possessed of, or that I may own at the time of my death, both real and personal, wherever situated and of every kind and character which I own and possess at the time of my death including my life insurance policy in the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co. of Newark, N.J., for the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars, being Policy Number 722611.

Item 3. I hereby nominate and appoint my said wife Elsie Britt, to be the Executor of this will, and I hereby release her from the necessity of making bond as such.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name on this the 26th day of January, 1929.

C. L. Britt.

At the request of C. L. Britt, and in his presence, we have hereunto signed our names as witnesses to the foregoing instrument, which he assured us was his last will and testament, signing our names after he had placed his signature to this instrument above, This January 26, 1929.

J. A. Shannon.
A. P. McHenry.

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"M. A. Sweeney"

I know all men by their prints.

I, M. A. Sweeney, of Beardstown, Perry County, Tennessee, by occupation a carpenter and farmer, being of sound mind, make and declare this my last will and testament.

I give, devise and bequeath my estate or property, both real and personal as follows; that is to say:

First: I desire that all my debts of every character or sort be paid as soon after my death as practical.

Second: I hereby give, devise and bequeath all of my estate both real and personal to my beloved wife, Mary Joann Sweeney, to be used and disposed of as she pleases or desires, and said real estate or property that I hereby give to her, and devise her to have at my death, consists of a piece or parcel of land or town lot, in which we, my wife, Mary Joann Sweeney and I now live, in Beardstown, Perry County, Tennessee and the same is described and bounded as follows:

Fourth: Situated in the 4th Civil District of Perry County Tennessee, and bounded as follows: Beginning on the Linder and Labellille road, running with the Methodist Church line West, 218 feet to a stone in said line; Thence, North 125 feet to a cedar; Thence, East, 217 feet to the public road; Thence, South, 135 feet to the beginning, containing one acre, more or less.

Third: I give and bequeath said tract of land or town lot, to Mary Joann Sweeney, my beloved wife, as aforesaid, to be used by her as she pleases, that is to say, she can sell it, live on it or give it away, just as she pleases.

Fourth: I hereby nominate and appoint my beloved wife, Mary Joann Sweeney, Executor without bond, of this my last will and testament.

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Will of M. A. Sweeney, (Continued)

In testimony as witness whereof, I have this day signed and published this instrument as and to be my last will and testament, at Beardstown, Tennessee, on this the 6th day of September, 1923.

M. A. Sweeney.

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

Attesting witnesses: { W. A. Burns
G. S. Burns

"Gussie L. Wiggs"

March 28th, 1923.

I, Gussie L. Wiggs, of Linden, Tennessee, hereby revoking all wills heretofore made by me, make this my last will and testament.

I give and bequeath to my husband, A. H. Wiggs, all my property of every kind and description, including personal property and real, for and during his natural life, and at his death, divided among my three sisters or their heirs, in event either of them die.

Mrs. Gussie LeBlanc Wiggs

PERRY COUNTY

Will of Eureka Starbuck.

I, Eureka Starbuck, (widow) of Linden, Perry County, Tennessee, but temporarily in the city of Nashville, Davidson County, Tennessee, for the purpose of medical, or serious surgical treatment, do hereby make and publish this my last will and testament, revoking all other wills by me at any time heretofore made.

First:— It is my desire, and I hereby direct that my Executor pay all just debts owing by me at the time of my death, out of the first funds coming into his hands from my estate.

Second:— For reasons satisfactory to myself, it is then my desire, and I hereby give, devise and bequeath to Bonnie May Williams of Knoxville, Knox County, Tennessee, the sum of Two Thousand (\$2000.00) dollars, which said sum, my Executor is authorized and directed to pay over to her as soon as practicable after my death.

Third:— And, for reasons satisfactory to myself, it is my further desire, and I hereby give, devise and bequeath to my two sisters, Ella Huftedler, of Linden, Perry County, Tennessee, and Mrs. Josephine McClaren, of Shelbyville, Bedford County, Tennessee, to the exclusion of all my other brothers and sisters, or representatives thereof, all the remainder of my estate, whether of personalty, realty, or mixed, and of every kind and character, (including proceeds of life insurance policies) wherever situated, share and share alike.

But, it is my intention and desire, and is expressly my will, that the portion of my estate herein devised and bequeathed to my sister, Mrs. Josephine McClaren, shall be for her own personal benefit and separate property, free from any and all claims, benefits and rights, if any, of her present

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Will of Eureka Starbuck. (Continued)

husband, or any husband she may hereafter have, and free from any debt, or debts, which he may now owe, or may hereafter owe.

Fourth:- It is further my desire, and will, and I hereby stipulate and direct that my Executor shall have the authority to sell real estate belonging to my estate at such times and on such terms as to him may seem proper and distribute the proceeds thereof as hereinabove directed.

But, if my two sisters Ella Hufstiller and Mrs. Josephine McClaren can, and desire, to divide said real estate, in kind, or any part thereof, between themselves, it is my desire that they have the privilege of so doing.

Fifth:- I hereby nominate and appoint L. B. Polk of Linden, Tennessee, sole Executor of this my last will and testament.
This February 3rd 1930.

Eureka Starbuck.

Signed by the said Eureka Starbuck, as and for her last will and testament, in the presence of us the undersigned, who, at her request and in her sight and presence, have subscribed our names hereto as attesting witnesses, on the day and date above written.

L. A. Rather.
J. P. Viles.

PERRY COUNTY

"Will of Clarence Brison"

I, Clarence Brison, of Perry County, Linden, Tenn., do make, publish, and declare this my last will and testament.

I give, devise, and bequeath to my sister, Mrs. Rose Boudens, my estate, And I do give, devise, and bequeath all the rest and residue of my estate, both real and personal, to ———— heirs and assigns forever.

I hereby appoint ———— executor of this will and testament, and I desire that ———— shall not be required to give bond for the performance of the duties of that office.

Witness my hand this ——— day of Sept. 19, 1918.

Spartanburg, S.C.

Signed, published, and declared by me, Clarence Brison, the above named testator, as and for his last will and 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 as witnesses thereto.

Residence: ———

Residence: ———

Residence: ———