

Secondly I give and bequeath unto my children R. F. Wells and E. D. Wells and L. J. Wells, all the lands contained in my deed, except a lot containing one acre or the same more or less, when the new house stands which land or lot I have deeded and sold to R. F. Wells and E. D. Wells & L. J. Wells. (I also except the graveyard or burying ground known as the old Wells burying ground) Provided the said R. F. Wells and E. D. Wells and L. J. Wells pay unto M. C. Wells one hundred and fifty dollars, and Mariah L. Clark one hundred and fifty dollars, and Sarah A. Milburn one hundred and fifty dollars, making the amount in all four hundred and fifty dollars, to be paid. These payments do not fall due during my natural life. And further I hold the title and possession of the said land during my life, and also if the proceeds of said land are not sufficient for my support each of the heirs shall share a proportional part of said expense of support which amount shall be deducted from the sums due M. C. Wells Mariah L. Clark and Sarah A. Milburn from R. F. Wells, E. D. Wells and L. J. Wells.

Thirdly I give and bequeath unto my children Mariah L. Clark Sarah A. Milburn, M. C. Wells R. F. Wells L. J. Wells and E. D. Wells, the graveyard known as the old Wells burying-ground to them and their heirs and assigns forever to be held by them as a burial ground.

Fourthly It is also my will that the three youngest children R. F. Wells, and L. J. Wells and E. D. Wells shall be made equal in bad clothing and other property with the rest of the children that are married and gone to home keeping.

Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint M. C. Wells and R. F. Wells and E. D. Wells my executors in witness whereof I do to this my will set my hand and seal, this the 12th day of March 1886.

Attest

N. R. Carroll

R. C. Thornton

George V. Wells (Seal)

From in open Court by the oath of N. R.

Carroll & R. C. Thornton subscribing witnesses Aug. 6th 1886

and ordered to be recorded in the book of wills

N. B. Bachman clk.

Last will & Testament

J. C. M. Allen Died 3rd Probated May term 1888.

I J. C. M. Allen of the 15th civil District of Sullivan County, Tennessee being of full health but of sound mind, memory and judgment do make and declare this to be my last will and Testament as follows to wit:

First I will and demise and bequeath unto James B. Spears, all of my lands - said lands embrace the farm on which I now live containing one hundred and fourteen acres and also a tract of land lying on the Snapps Ferry Road adjoining the lands of Brown, Gluea and others containing fifty acres.

Second I will and bequeath unto Virginia O. Bains wife of J. J. Bains Jr my Four Horse wagon and all the wagon I now have.

Third. I will and bequeath unto the above mentioned James B. Spears, all of my Farming Implements of every description except the wagon and wagon I now have. And I also will and bequeath to the said James B. Spears, all of my horses, Cattle Hogs, Sheep and Poultry and Blacksmith Tools.

Fourth. I will and bequeath unto Martha Nelson, Leatharine Mosier, Caroline Pulver, Virginia O. Bains and D. C. Spears, all of my Household and Kitchen Furniture to be for them equally divided, by A. Gibson & Horace Kinchen.

Fifth I will that the said James B. Spears shall pay all my just debts and burial expenses out of property herein bequeathed to him - In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand this the 29th day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighty eight.

Attest.

J. C. M. Allen

N. B. Bachman

Ambron Gibson

From in open Court on the 5th day of May by the oath of A. K. Mullins and also on the 3rd day of Sept 1888 by the oath of Ambron Gibson & ordered to be recorded in the book of wills

N. B. Bachman