

stock, and all the supplies for family use, consisting of meat, vegetables &c. also the growing crop of the present year. And at the death of my wife Barbara Holt, I will her interest to my daughter Mary C. Holt, with this provision, that so much of the land as may be thought necessary, be cut off to make up for the buildings and such parcels of land to be equally divided between my two sons James E. Holt, and Jacob B. Holt. The land to taken out of this interest to be done by their disinterested persons.

3rd I will and bequeath unto my beloved son Jacob B. Holt that portion of my farm lying N.W. of residence, adjoining the lands of Widow Galloway and Samuel E. Cox.

4th I will and bequeath to my beloved son Jas. E. Holt that portion of the farm lying west and adjoining the lands of Widow Pettit Holt, and Jas. Plymmer, both to be made equal in this division.

5th I want the surplus stock consisting of five head of cattle and two horses sold and the proceeds to go to my wife Barbara Holt to be disposed of as she may wish.

6th I will and bequeath to each of my two beloved grand children, Nathan J. Cox and John B. Cox seventy five dollars each to be paid out of my estate when they arrive at the age of twenty one years.

7th All of my farming implements consisting of wagon mowing machine, drill, plow &c. to be kept and used on the farm as my wife may direct.

8th The money on hand I will to my wife Barbara Holt to be used or distributed as she may deem best.

9th It is my will and desire that in the event either of my heirs should decide to sell out their interest that one of the others should have the refusal of their interest.

Witnessed, whereunto I have written my name and affixed my seal on this 7th day of Jan. 1893.

Witnesses

J. H. Holt
J. E. Holt.

James Holt. *(Seal)*

Proven in open Court by the oaths of

J. H. Holt & J. E. Holt, subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will on this the 6th day of February 1893.

N. D. Bachman Clerk

By L. H. Denny, S.C.

Last will & Testament

Catharine E. Booker *(Seal)* *Probatos April term 1893*

In the name of God Amen,
I, Catharine E. Booker of the County of Sullivan and State of Tennessee, being of sound mind and memory, do hereby make, publish, and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made.

First. I order and direct my Executor, as soon after my decease as practicable, to pay off and discharge all the debts due and liabilities that may exist against me at the time of my decease.

Second. I give to Martin Starr so much of my estate as will be necessary for the support and comfort of my Mother Elizabeth Lavy, during her natural life, and to bury her decently.

Third. After my Mother has been cared for, and Martin Starr has been paid for the same, I give and bequeath the remainder of my estate to the Evangelical Lutheran Church, in connection with the Ev. Lutheran Holston Synod, and to be used within the bounds of said Synod only & that for home mission work, building houses of worship (Churches) and for educational purposes under the direction of the Holston Synod, in good faith and with the full concurrence of my Executor.

Fourth. I hereby nominate and appoint Rev. James K. Haueker, Executor of this my last will and Testament with power to loan and manage my estate to the best interest of the Ev. Lutheran Church within the bounds of the Ev. Lutheran Holston Synod only. No bond is to be required of him. In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name, Interceding before before signing.

This 7th day of February 1890

C. E. Booker. *(Seal)*

The above and foregoing instrument was at the date

thereof, signed, sealed, published and declared by
 the said Catharine E. Booker, as and for his last will
 and Testament in presence of us, who at his request,
 and in his presence, and in the presence of each other,
 have subscribed our names as witnesses.
 E.D. Adams, Sullivan County, Tennessee
 N. Slaughter, Sullivan County, Tennessee

Proven in open Court by the oaths of E.D. Adams &
 N. Slaughter, subscribing witnesses to said will on the
 3rd day of April 1893 and ordered by the Court to be
 recorded in the book of wills.
 This April 3rd 1893

N.D. Bachman, Clerk
 By L.H. Denny, D.C.

Last Will & Testament

John Miller died.  Probated June term 1893

I John Miller do make and
 publish this as my last will and testament, hereby
 revoking and making void all others heretofore made by me
 at any time.

First. I will that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid
 as soon as possible after my death out of any money
 that I may be possessed of, or may first come into the
 hands of my Executors

Second. I give and bequeath to my two sons John B. and
 William J. Miller the farm I now reside upon, contain-
 ing 162 1/4 acres. The same to be divided so as to give to
 each the western end and the mansion house, barn and
 80 acres of land, the division line to begin on Samuel
 Thomas line and run in a northern direction.

The remainder to go to John B. provided that they each
 pay to my son Daniel W. Miller the sum of one hundred
 and twenty five dollars, the same to be paid within twelve
 months from my death. If not paid at that time the
 same to draw six per cent interest. The remainder of said
 farm I give and bequeath to John B. Miller.

I also give to Wm J. Miller the young bay mare now owned
 by me, also all my farming and agricultural implements
 consisting of wagons, Jersey wagons, wheat drill, straw-cutting

mowing machine, hay rakes, Plows, Harrows &c, all my blacksmith
 tools, also all my household and kitchen furniture, except
 my bed and two large Iron Kettles I give to John B.

Secondly. I give I give and bequeath to my two sons P.H. & Richard
 Miller my farm lying in the 16th Dist of Sullivan County
 containing 114 one hundred and four acres, to be divided
 so that Richard have the western end and all the
 buildings and sixty five acres of land the remainder to go
 to P.H. Miller

Thirdly. I will and bequeath to each the heirs of my daughter
 Martha E. Peters, the sum of twenty four dollars to be
 paid by my sons Richard & P.H. when they become of lawful
 age or marry.

Fourthly. I give and bequeath to Lizzie L. Davis the sum of
 twenty four dollars the same to be paid by my two sons John
 B. & William J. Miller, the same to be paid to her in twelve
 months from my death.

Fifthly. I will that suitable head-stones be placed to mark my
 grave, the expense to be born equally by my four sons, equally.
 I nominate and appoint my sons John B. and Phillip
 & Miller Executors of this my last will and Testament
 in witness whereof I do to this my last will and Tes-
 tament set my hand, this the thirty first day of
 January one thousand eight hundred and ninety three
 (1893)
 John ^{his} Miller

Signed and published in our presence, and we have subscribed
 our names hereto in the presence of the Testator, this 31 day
 of Jan'y 1893.

A.C. Eucumst
 E.A. Morrice.

The foregoing will was proven in open Court by the oaths
 of A.C. Eucumst and E.A. Morrice, subscribing witnesses
 thereto, and ordered to be recorded in the book of wills,
 on the 5th day of June 1893.

N.D. Bachman c/o.

Noncupative Will

John Miller died. 

Probated June Term 1893

We the undersigned hereby certify
 that John Miller (now dead).