

Me sign this will in the presence of the testator and at his request same day -

J. W. Ford.
John Blaskely -

Proven in open court by the oaths of J. W. Ford and John Blaskely subscribing witnesses on the 18th day of March 1896 and then John said paper writing was adjudged and decreed by the Court to be the last will and testament of John C. Carr deceased, and ordered to be recorded in the books of wills.

This March 18th 1896

John Fair Clerk
By C. H. Denny D.C.

Last Will & Testament -

of
W. B. Carroll Decd.

Probated Apr Term 1896

I, William B. Carroll, do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking and making null and void all other will by me at any time made

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 possessed of or may first come into the hands of my executor.

2nd I give and bequeath to my son W. J. Carroll the same an which he now lives containing forty five acres of land, he having heretofore paid me the sum of two hundred dollars and the balance of the amount the land is worth I give to him, with all further considerations.

3rd I give and bequeath to my son James F. Carroll the land an which I now live, being my home place, and consisting of three distinct parcels but all adjoining and lying together and aggregating nearly two acres or about

that amount. And I require him, my said son James to take care of his mother Elizabeth Carroll furnishing such necessities as she may need and require, during her natural life of widowhood. Also give and bequeath to my said son James F. all my farming tools ^{including} to wit, one hay rake, one brash fork, one wagon, and a set of all blacksmith tools, one harrow, big plow, &c. I want my son W. J. Carroll to have the use of the moving machine, hay rake, and drill on his own farm, or for himself on the land of any one else, also to have the use of the said blacksmith tools on the same place.

4th Item, I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Jimmerson one hundred dollars, one hundred of which has heretofore been paid her and an other fifty, is now ready for her at any time, and the other fifty dollars will be paid by my executor.

5th Item, I give and bequeath to my daughter Edna the sum of two hundred dollars to be paid to her by my son James F. in part consideration for the land I give and bequeath to him. She is also to have one bed and bed clothes to furnish it, such in value as the other children who have heretofore married received when they left home, and she it my said daughter Edna being unmarried is to have a home here with my said James F. as long as she remain single or unmarried and they all agree and get along peaceably and quietly with among themselves. She is also to have a horse, a cow &c, such as the other children received on going to house keeping. The balance of my personal property is including household and kitchen furniture, I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth during her life time and at her death to be divided between all my children equally and alike, no one excepted.

6th Item - I give and bequeath to my daughter-in-law Maggie Carroll one rookery clock transmitted to me by my father, and which

7th

8th

he desired to remain in the family. I give it to her in consideration of the attention and care she has given me in my sickness.

Item My wife Elizabeth has come many loads of which she received from her father's estate amounting to about four hundred dollars. I have sworn her to have the benefit of full control in her own way.

Item - I hereby designate and appoint my two sons W. B. and J. F. Carroll as executors of this will in case any is needed.

Done on this, the 5th day of July 1893 and signed in the presence of the following witnesses

W. B. Carroll.

Witnesses

L. B. Curran.

J. T. Bagland.

Personally appeared in open Court L. B. Curran and J. T. Bagland subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, and upon their oath declared the foregoing to be the last will and testament of W. B. Carroll deceased and the same was adjudged as such and ordered to be recorded in the books of wills this the 6th day of April 1896

J. M. Fair Clerk

Last Will and Testament

George Rodger Reed

Private May, Tenn 1896

I George Rodger Reed of the County of Sullivan, State of Tennessee, Farmer, realizing the uncertainty of life, but now in perfect health, and of sound mind, memory & judgment, do make and declare this to be my last will and testament in manner and of force following to wit:

First. I give, devise, and bequeath unto my beloved wife Catherine absolutely the piece in which I now live together with all my household and personal property also all real estate to have to hold and control while she may live.

Second. That after the death of my wife Catherine, I give and bequeath unto my eldest son J. M. Rodger the house in which he now lives, and thirty acres of land adjoining to the said lot as follows, Beginning at the mouth of the lane running from the house to the road on S. W. Hand line, running with said lane, south to the Blacksmith shop thence through the edge of the field east to a large cedar rock north east of Barns thence south to my line on top of ridge, thence west to Bargers line, thence north with Bargers line to S. W. Hand corner thence with his line and corner to beginning to have and to hold unto my said son J. M. Rodger and assigns forever.

Third. I give and bequeath to my youngest son Elvina F. Rodger, the house on the Pulley Creek road, generally known as the old Rodger house together with about forty five acres of land more or less, bounded as follows. Beginning at a corner with S. W. Hand on the Pulley Creek road thence with his line and corner south to the