

my funeral expenses, and all of my just debts. And lastly, I give and bequeath, all the rest, residue and remainder of my personal estate, goods, and chattels of what nature or kind so ever, to my said son W. A. Massengill, whom I hereby appoint sole Executor of this my last will and testament, waiving the right of Bond.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy two.

Witnesses
Samuel Sells
A. J. Hall

Marion Massengill (Seal)

Done in open Court by the oaths of Samuel Sells & A. J. Hall subscribing witnesses to the foregoing instrument, and ordered to be recorded in the book of wills, this August 1st 1887

N. D. Bachman, Clerk

Last will and Testament

Samuel Colbaugh, Decd. Probated Aug. term 1887

In the name of God Amen:

I Samuel Colbaugh of Sullivan County, in the State of Tennessee, being sick and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, Considering the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby to be better prepared to leave this world, when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my Last will and Testament, in manner and form following.

First, and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth, to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named.

1st I will that my funeral expenses and all my just and lawful debts be paid from my personal effects of my Estate.

2^d I will & bequeath that Mariah L. Colbaugh my beloved wife possess and hold all my personal and real estate, during her widow-hood or natural life for the purpose of raising, maintaining and educating her family, and after her death, my real estate and the proceeds shall be distributed as follows.

3^d I will and devise (that of my real estate situate and being located in the 9th Civil District in the County and State aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Marion Shell, Allen Hottel & Mary A. Arrants) unto my oldest son William S. Colbaugh, the north eastern part of said land, Beginning on a double white oak, corner to A. Hottel and my own lands, running thence in a southern direction, so as to strike the cleared land at where a cross fence between a clover field on the east and a wheat field on the west now are, then with said fence to the rail road, then direct to the County road, then with said road to a rock opposite to where an old fence used to stand, and where some fruit trees, and cedars, are growing, then north east with said old fence row and comes to an Apple & Cedar trees thence running south of east so as to run across the big spring in the meadow, then continuing the same course across the meadow and to a stake in the line of A. M. Shells land, then with the line of S. Shell, the Arrants land and A. Hottel to the beginning, to have and to hold in fee simple with and under conditions that I shall name hereafter, when complied with.

4th Item. I will and devise unto my youngest son Robert, A. Colbaugh the remainder or residue of my real estate all of which is heretofore described - embraces the south west part, adjoining the land, set apart for his brother and A. M. Shell and Allen Hottel, and includes the dwelling house, the Barn and orchards to have and to hold unto his heirs and assigns in fee simple, subject to the conditions hereafter named and to be complied with.

5th Item. The conditions specified in Devise No. 3. and No. 4. are that, on or before my youngest son (to wit) Robert, A. Colbaugh attains to his twentieth year that the said William S. Colbaugh and Robert, A. Colbaugh, shall pay or cause to be paid unto my Executor to be hereafter named, the sum of three hundred ^{each} dollars, in good and lawful money, which two sums will aggregate six hundred Dollars, and is to be divided between my three Daughters, as hereafter stated and each one of them has a lien upon the above described Devise until their claims are fully adjusted.

- 6th Item. I will and bequeath unto Mary, Ette. Hall, the sum of two hundred dollars, one third of the amount provided for in Item No. 5.
- 7th Item. I will and bequeath unto Peter Colbaugh the sum of two hundred dollars, in good and lawful money.
- 8th Item. I will and bequeath Lula E. Colbaugh the sum of two hundred dollars.
- And lastly I do hereby appoint and constitute Horace Hughes, and Dr. M. M. Martin as Executors of this my last will and Testament and requiring them to take on site over the real estate to prevent the cutting and denuding the land of timber. I also make and annul all other wills heretofore by me made, ratifying and confirming this and from other to be my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this the 28th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred eighty seven.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Samuel Colbaugh the above named Testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Geo. P. Faw

Samuel. P. Bolton.

Proven in open Court by the oath of Geo. P. Faw one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing instrument and ordered to be recorded in the book of wills in this the 1st day of August 1887

N. D. Bachman, Clk.

The above will was further proven on the 5th day of October 1887 by the oath of S. P. Bolton the other subscribing witness

N. D. Bachman Clk.

Last will and Testament. Probated September term 1887

James E. Bear Decd. In the name of God amen: James E. Bear being of sound mind but frail in body and in view of the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death. Do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and Testament

That after all my funeral expenses and just debts are paid, I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Manerva Barr and my single daughter Bettie Barr all of my real and personal estate for them to have and to hold so long as my daughter Bettie remains single. If she marries then she is to have, have the Scott farm I now own, if she dies without heirs, then the Scott farm which I will to her shall be equally divided between my Son Isaac and my daughter Manerva J. Browder and their heirs.

And at the death of my wife the place on which I now live is to be equally divided between my children and their heirs.

James E. Bear

Signed in the presence of the following witnesses on this 19th day of Aug. 1887

N. D. Farr

B. J. C. Johnson

Proven in open Court by the oath of N. D. Farr and B. J. C. Johnson subscribing witnesses to the foregoing instrument and ordered to be recorded in the book of wills, on the 5th day of September 1887

N. D. Bachman clerk

Last will and Testament

Thomas J. Chasr Decd. Probated Oct. term 1887

Thomas J. Chasr of County of Sullivan and State of Tennessee do make and publish this as my last will and Testament to wit: I will and bequeath to my daughter Amanda E. Chasr two good Beards and Bead close to ones of value, and one Cup-board that is here in my house, and one clock in my house and seven head of hogs, and all the chains in my house and all the rub grain that is coming to me and two cows in witness whereof I