

Wills admitted to Record In the County Court.

the shop field, then backing or running with the fence of the shop field to the orchard fence, then with the orchard fence on the south side of the orchard to the corner of the orchard fence, then with the orchard fence on north west side of the orchard to the north west corner, then with the orchard fence a north east course to the creek, then running so as to include the spring lot on the north side of the lane, west of the dwelling house, thence running into the ridge so as to give timber sufficient for that part of the lot but if there is over one hundred and fifty trees in the boundary I will that my two daughters Elizabeth J. Taylor & Mary M. Suddgrass shall have that boundary about mentioned.

Fourth I will that all the remainder of the farm not legun. aithit to my two daughters Elizabeth & Mary that my dear wife Barbara & her six children shall have and hold with all the buildings on same for their support & education and to have and to hold forever.

Fifth I will that my daughter Elizabeth Taylor one large bay mare, the one I bought from William S. Humming.

Sixth I will to my daughter Mary M. Suddgrass one year old claybank mare with one milk cow, one two year old heifer she making her choice from the lot.

Seventh I will that all the stock & farming utensils of every description remain on the farm after the above bequeaths for the use of my dear wife & six children for their support & education, but if there is more stock than is needed for the proper cultivation of the farm, I will that my dear wife shall sell the said & the proceeds be applied to their support and education.

Eighth I will there be no public sale of any of my effects, but my executors can make private sale of such articles of property, they may think best to dispose of for the payment of debts what few they may be owing.

Ninth I will that my beloved wife & Stephen Taylor shall be my executors of this my last will & testament and I hereby waive all requirements of giving bonds for their duties as executors & I further will that my son in law Stephen Taylor shall superintend & manage the farm in conjunction with my dear wife. (Signed sealed and delivered)

Sullivan County, Tennessee

in our presence this April 17, 1876
Witness
J. P. Porter
P. H. Hammer & J. F. Porter subscribing witnesses & ordered to be recorded May 6, 1876. A. J. Cox Clerk.

The Last Will of Andrew Cowan Decd. admitted to record July 10, 1876.

I And now coming of sound mind and memory and knowing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death do make and publish this as my last will and declared hereby making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made.

And first it is my will and desire that I do recently received and as soon thereafter as possible that my Executor pay all of my just debts out of any money that I may be possessed of or may first come into his hands.

And secondly I give and bequeath to my daughter Susan C. Moore and her heirs a certain portion of my old homestead farm including the house or home residence, whose her and her husband now is to contract a certain boundary which I have marked out it being the east end of the place or farm. And third it is my will and desire that my executor after giving all necessary notices in such case to the remainder of my old Homestead farm to the highest bidder upon a credit of six or twelve months, as he may think best and proper provided, however that I do not sell or dispose of the same during my natural life. And should I sell or dispose of the same it is to be expressly understood that it is to be no way what ever to effect my will or bequest. And I do further will and bequeath to my daughter Nancy Gray Twelve Hundred Dollars provided however that her husband William M. Gray pay to me or my executor the amount due me from him for which I hold his note of not over Hundred Dollars of said amount is to be considered as already paid or advanced by me.

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I do further will and bequeath to my Daughter Sarah two Children, William & I do Say, Hundred Dollars each. I have already given to my son Joseph R. Cowan his portion of my estate, except my black smith tools, which it is my desire that he shall have, and it is furth my will and desire, that my two sons Robt & Joseph R. Cowan have my farming tools & gearings and that they divide them between themselves, except my wheel saw Cutlows Box and Harrow, which I will to my son in law C. M. Moore. And it is further my will and desire that should there be any balance or remainder after satisfying the above bequests that it be equally divided between my son Robt & Cowan my daughter Nancy Gray, & my daughter Sarah two Children equally.

And last, it is my will and desire that my son in law C. M. Moore act as my executor, and I do hereby appoint him as such. In witness whereof I Andrew Cowan the Dictator do set my hand & seal this 19th of July in the year of our Lord One Thousand eight hundred & sixty nine.

Signed sealed & delivered in presence of Andrew Cowan

John S. Cowan
James M. Lowry

Proven in open Court by John S. Cowan and James M. Lowry subscribing witnesses Aug. 25th 1876
J. C. Clark

The last will

of
A. B. Buckkell

Admitted to record Sept. 6th 1876

I Abijah B. Buckkell of the County of Sullivan and State of Tennessee do make and publish this as my last will and testament, revoking all other wills being in bad health and not expecting to live long, but being of sound mind and mind, that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid out of any and every that I may have. Secondly, I will and bequeath to my beloved wife

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all my real estate to wit the farm on which I live to in the County and State aforesaid on Suddicks Creek during her natural life, at her death said farm & real estate to be equally divided between Jonathan B. Willard and Wm. Willard my two nephews. I also will all my personal property notes and money to my beloved wife Susan, also to do as she pleases with forever.

In witness whereof I have this the 26th day of July 1876 my hand and seal

Abijah B. Buckkell
Franklin Hunt

Proven in open Court by subscribing witnesses W. B. & Franklin Hunt Sept. 15, 1876 and ordered to be recorded J. C. Clark

The last will

of
R. H. Dickson

Admitted to record February 1876

In the name of God Amen. I R. H. Dickson being in sound mind do make and publish my last will and testament, Revoking all those wills made heretofore.

First I direct my executors to pay all my debts, as after my death as they can out of my money.

second, I give to my son George B. Dickson five hundred Dollars which has been already payed to him.

Third, I give to my daughter Elizabeth Horn four hundred and fifty dollars ^{three hundred & fifty dollars} has already paid to her.

Fourth, I give to my daughter Margaret Hoover four hundred and fifty Dollars, three hundred Dollars has been paid to her.

Fifth, I give to my daughter Mary Smith two hundred and fifty Dollars, fifty Dollars has been paid to her.

Sixth, I give to my two Grand Daughters, Mary E. Dick & Margaret E. Dickson five hundred dollars to be equally divided between them, in addition to that my executor has to pay the two above mentioned Grand Daughters E. Dickson & Margaret E. Dickson two hundred and fifty dollars and twenty two cts. with interest on the said sum from Oct. 11, 1870 being money for which I sold this property