

Proven in open Court by the oath of A. F. Hall, subscribing witness on this the 1st day of July 1895, and continue until the 16th day of August, 1895.

J. M. Hains, Clerk,

By L. H. Denny, D.L.

Proven in open Court by the oath of E. R. King, subscribing witness on this the 16th day of August 1895

J. M. Hains, Clerk,

By L. H. Denny, D.L.

Last Will & Testament } Probated Aug. Term, 1895.  
of }

Sampson S. Gross Deed, I, Sampson S. Gross, being in feeble health, but of sound mind and disposing memory, and being desirous of making such a disposition of my property as I deem just and equitable among my children, do hereby make and publish this as my last will and testament, hereby revoking all wills heretofore made by me.

First - It is my will and desire that my personal property, consisting of household and kitchen furniture be disposed of as follows, to wit: My daughter,

Martha, is to have my clock & 2 chairs, my daughter, Susan is to have my casting stove, my son William is to have my bed & 2 chairs, and my daughter Lydia is to have my fall-top table and my two chairs - this being the only personal property owned by me.

Second - It is my will and desire that my Executor, hereinafter named, sell all the real estate of which I may be possessed at the time of my death, as soon after my death as practicable and out of the proceeds pay, first, all my funeral expenses, second, all my just debts, and the remainder, if there be any, be will divide equally among my four children named in the first paragraph of this instrument.

Third - I hereby nominate and appoint my brother, Jesse P. Gross, Executor of this my last will and testament. Witness my signature, this the 12 day of June, 1895.

Sampson S. Gross  
Muse

Signed and acknowledged by the testator in our presence on this the 12 day of June 1895.

D. W. Emmitt } Witnesses  
J. J. Smith }

Proven in open Court by the oaths of D. W. Emmitt & J. J. Smith, subscribing witnesses on this the 16th day of August, 1895, and ordered to be recorded in the Book of Wills.

J. M. Hains Clerk  
By L. H. Denny, D.L.

Last Will and Testament

of I Mary E. Gilliam being lawfully married and desiring my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills that may have been made by me

To my husband Alexander Gilliam I give and bequeath and devise my my undivided interest in a tract of land lying in the district of Washington County adjoining the lands of John Doster, Jerry Mohler and John Ward and others containing about one hundred and forty acres more or less in the whole tract to have hold and posse unto him his said husband and I also give and bequeath devise to my husband Alexander Gilliam my undivided interest in two tracts of land in Big Mountain Harrison County Tennessee, one tract being the tract on which Anna Simpson now resides and the other tract is unoccupied and being the same tract and some of my my mother Nancy Cawford to have and to hold and possess unto him her said husband and lastly I appoint constitute Jacob Dunbar my Executor to this my last will and testament and hope he will faithfully execute the same in witness whereof I sign my name in presence of witness at March the 5th, 1895

Attest

Jacob Dunbar  
G. T. Hodgetts

Mary E. Gilliam  
muse

Proven in Open Court by the oaths of Jacob