

State of Tennessee Sullivan County

Will of Jane Crockett Deceased

In the name of God Amen. I Jane Crockett of Sullivan County Tennessee being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all others by me made. First, after all my just debts are paid, I give and bequeath to James Offield and James McHowarth my interest of one third I have in the farm on which I now live to be equally divided between them it being the one third of the tract left to me by my late husband containing 213 acres in all.

I also give to them one other tract of land joining the above containing 434 acres and conveyed to me by my Father. Said Offield to be divided the same way.

I give to James Offield the 100 acres I have on the top of Dick's mountain left to me by my brother. That D. Offield also to him. I give my mare Skep. I give to Silas C. Offield a bed and fifteen dollars in cash.

I give to Peter Offield fifteen dollars in cash.

I give to Joseph Offield fifteen dollars in cash.

I give to my brother Lewis Offield fifty dollars.

I give to Elizabeth Offield my best side saddle.

I give to James W. Row and my grey mare Kit.

All the residue of my property such as household and kitchen furniture grain farming tools and money in fact every thing I have not devised above I direct my executor to divide equally between James Offield and James Howard.

And lastly I nominate and appoint Thos. D. Pemberton Executor of this my last will.

In testimony of all which I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of June 1872.

Jane Crockett (deceased)

Witness in presence of

John W. King

D. C. King

Proven in open Court by J. W. King & D. C. King on the 6th of July, 1874, before me

John F. Smith Notary Public

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Francis S. Stewart's Will.

I Francis S. Stewart being weak in body but sound in mind and knowing the uncertainty of life do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking all other wills or parts of will by me made at any time heretofore.

First it is my will and desire that after my death my executor pay my funeral expenses, and all of my just debts out of the first money that may come into his hands belonging to my estate.

Secondly I will my beloved wife Sarah Elizabeth all of my real estate that I may die seized & possessed of to hold and enjoy during her natural life for her own benefit and to enable her to raise & educate my minor children at her death said real estate shall be divided equally between all of my children.

Thirdly I will my wife Sarah E. all of my household & kitchen furniture on hand and that my executor is hereby directed to set apart to her a sufficiency out of the grain and meat on hand to support her & family until the growing crop is gathered; also I will my wife my grey mare Guly & my bay Bet (with the understanding that my son Arthur is to have her colt this spring) three milk cows all of the hogs on hand and the wool of my sheep this spring one two horse wagon & harness for the same one two horse harrow two scythes & rakes and any other farming utensils on hand necessary for her to carry on the farm. I will and further direct that after the foregoing bequests are set apart to my wife that my executor proceed to sell all of my personal property of every description and collect all debts that may be owing to me and after paying all of my just debts as heretofore provided that he will then expend the as judiciously as he can the balance of the money on hand in erecting a dwelling house & other improvements on my real estate for the benefit and comfort of my wife & children. Lastly I hereby nominate & appoint my friend Peter Leonard executor of this my last

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will and testament.

Signed and acknowledged H. L. Stewart
in presence of us

this 23rd day of March 1874

Geo. Garrison

W. S. Snodgrass

Proven in open Court April 16th 1874

James P. Glader Clerk

Last will of H. L. Stewart In the name of God Amen
I H. L. Stewart of the County of
Sullivan and State of Tennessee and being
of sound mind and disposing memory do
make this my last will and testament hereby
revoking any and all former wills by me at
any time made.

First I will that my body be decently interred after
death by my Executors and that my funeral expenses
and any just debts I may owe at the time of my death
shall all be paid by my son Mathew M. Butler out of
the property bequeathed and devised to him by me.

Second in the event my beloved wife, Elizabith
should survive me it is my wish and will that she
have a fund equal in value to one third of ~~my~~ ^{my} real
estate the amt in trust thereon to be used
by my Executor to secure her comfortable support &
maintenance during her remaining days upon earth
and I direct that my Executor shall provide for her
my said wife a nurse of her own choice to wait on her
when sick and to do all that can be to render her comfort-
able during her life & for this purpose I will & direct that
my said wife have a lien upon my two farms, one in
Carter County & known as the Lemmibly farm and
Pleasant Hill farm in Sullivan County as a
security for her comfortable maintenance & and
which support and maintenance is to be equal
in value to the interest upon one third of my
of my real estate if necessary to her support &c.

Third I give and devise to my son Mathew M. Butler
that portion of my farm in Carter County

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Known as the Lemmibly farm lying north of what
is known as the "Narrows" at the bridge which is situ-
ated on the Jonesboro road and supposed to contain
about four hundred and fifteen acres in this
portion or boundary and, which 415 acres is
subject to the lien above mentioned for the support
& maintenance of my wife. Fourth The remain-
of said County farm in Carter County which remain-
der is supposed to be about three hundred acres the whole
tract supposed to be about 715 acres I will give and
devise to my Granddaughters Ellie M. Vaughan
Rachel A. Vaughan Sarah E. Vaughan Anna Pratt
Vaughan and Martin Vaughan the children of Rachel
A. and Margaret J. Vaughan. This 300 acres being the
upper portion of my said farm in Carter County from the
point above described in the "Narrows" to its Southern
boundary I desire shall be sold by my Executors
and the proceeds to be equally divided between my
said Granddaughters when they all shall have attained
the age of 21 years and my said Executors are authorized
to sell said 300 acres before all of said grand-
children shall arrive at age but in the event of
such sale then my Executors will loan out the
money at safe interest and with undoubted security
until the youngest of said Granddaughters reaches
said age of 21 years.

Fifth I will and devise to my son Mathew M. Butler
my farm in Sullivan County known as Pleasant
Hill farm and supposed to contain about
one hundred and fifty acres including
mill and all other appurtenances thereunto
belonging &c.

Sixth I will and bequeath to my son Mathew M. Butler
one thousand dollar stock in the Vir-
ginia & Kentucky Rail Road

Seventh I will give and devise to my son Mathew M. Butler
the one half of 8 and one
quarter acre lots between Lee & Brown
streets in the town of Bristol.