

Will Record

file in my office, except that the signature of the testator in the original is in German's, with
 my signature at office this 9th day September 1843.

(Recorded by David Pinner Clerk)

John W. Puttidge CLK

By David Evans DE.

Will of George Keller

Know all men by these presents that I George Keller of the County of Sullivan and State of Tennessee do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void, all former wills by me at any time heretofore made, And first I direct that my body be decently interred and and that my funeral be conducted in a manner corresponding with my estate as it hath pleased God to entrust me with, I dispose of the same as follows,

First I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible out of the first money that shall come into the hands of my executor from any portion of my estate real or personal, "Secondly" I direct that my two sons George Keller and John Keller furnish my dear and beloved wife with all the necessaries of life during her natural life I will and bequeath to my son George Keller and John Keller my tract of lands that I now live on to be equally divided between them and if my said sons cannot agree in the division of said tract of lands I direct that it may be done by some two or three disinterested men, I direct that my said sons pay to my daughters Mandy, Barger and Sarah Mitchell and Mary E. Keller fifteen hundred dollars each, I direct that my said sons George and John pay over to Mandy and Sarah this said amount of money in five years after my death in the currency of the country, and I direct that my said son George and John pay one to my said Martha E. Keller and Mary E. Keller this said amount of my in six years after they become of lawful age, I direct that my two daughters that now living at home Martha E. & Mary E. have one horse each and two beds each and two mixed cows each, I direct that Mandy, Barger my daughter have one horse and I direct that my daughter Elizabeth Barger have five dollars and I direct that my said son George and John build an other house on the said plantation when it may become necessary after George shall have lived three years where he now lives. I have test a

considerable amount of property during the war and if my executor should receive anything I direct that said amount of money so collected may be used to buy horses for my said daughters that I have directed to have horses, and I direct that my wife have my tray man and that she remain on the plantation and I direct that my said son George use the money on hand for the use of the family, and I further direct that all my personal property be left on the plantation for the use of the family now living at home to be used by said family as they see proper.

I do hereby make and ordain my esteemed George Keller executor of this my last will and testament In witness whereof I George Keller the testator have to this my will set my hand and seal this the 11th day of May 1843 Signed and sealed and delivered in the presence of us who have subscribed in the presence of each other

Witness

John W. Cox

Brown June 1st 1843

John J. Enos

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George Keller (Test)

Will of George Keller
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in the common paper currency of the County
1st I will that all my personal property of every kind shall be sold on a
Twelve month's credit - by my executor and when the money is collected
to be equally divided between my heirs after legal expenses being paid
by executor
6th and lastly I do nominate and appoint my son James W. Bottom
my Executor to carry into effect this my last will and Testament
and that he may do so without being held to Security in Witness
whereof I do hereunto set my hand and affix my seal to this my last
Will and Testament this the 18th day of May 1868 signed and sealed
in the presence of us

3 Nicholas Bottom (seal)
his
witness

James Brown
C. H. White

State of Tennessee
I J. J. Phillips Clerk of County Court -
Dallam County of said County certify that the foregoing
Will was proved in open Court by the Subscriber witness on
the 5th day of October 1868

Teste
J. J. Phillips Clerk

Will of Agnes Woods

In the name of God amen

I Agnes Woods widow of the late John Woods
of Sullivan County State of Tennessee being sound in mind
and memory but feeble in body and knowing the uncertainty
of life and that it is appointed for all to die. Do make and
publish this my last will and Testament wishing all other wills by
me made at any time heretofore
1st I will my soul to God who gave it my body to be decently
buried and my funeral expenses paid to be paid by executor hereafter
named

Second I will and bequeath to my Son Woods in 3rd Hill
Plantation one which I now reside also a tract of land forming
the same supposed to contain one hundred acres more or less and
which was granted to John Woods by virtue of an Entry
Also one other small tract of Land a young horse conveyed
lands conveyed to the said John Woods by Mathias Little

tract of land lying in Hardin County State of Tennessee
supposed to be four hundred acres also my negro girl Meda
and my negro boy John & the other half of my furniture &
books also guns and hardware & silver and several other plate
also some other household furniture also my negro
boy Benson. I also give and bequeath to my son George
the purchase of the plantation on which I now live on including
the building thereon & also the negroes thereon also the same
procurement along my negro girl Sarah & her child Asher and my
negro boy Daniel. I also direct that my son William after my
death should do what stock on the plantation & what money he may have
the property See page 96

Will of Nicholas Mottern

In the name of God amen

I Nicholas Mottern being of sound mind and memory
but aged infirm - do make and publish this my last will
and Testament hereby revoking all other wills by me made
1st I will that all my just debts and funeral expenses
shall be paid by my executor with the first money that
comes into his hands

2nd I will and bequeath to my son James M. Mottern
and to my grand son James M. Mottern son of Henry Mottern
all the land I now live on to be equally divided between them
by a guardian appointed for the said James M. Mottern
my Grand son and my son James M. Mottern if they can
not agree in the division of said land each shall choose a third
man to divide said land

3rd I will that my son James M. Mottern and the guardian
appointed for my Grand son James M. Mottern shall each
pay one hundred and eighty dollars which two sums make
three hundred and sixty dollars

4th I will order and say that my executor shall pay to my
daughter Mary Jordan fifty dollars and to my son John Mottern
fifty dollars and to my son Phillip Mottern fifty dollars
and to my son William Mottern fifty dollars and to my
daughter Susan Goodman fifty dollars and to my
daughter Sarah Lowmyer fifty dollars my executor shall
have two years to pay the foregoing sums and to be paid