

each child having received a portion on his or her marriage shall account for same, without interest, and shall receive in addition to the amount so received on marriage a sufficient sum to equalize him or her with the other children.

Fourth - I direct that my Executors keep on interest all moneys on hand or that they may collect as executors, except a sufficient amount to pay my indebtedness.

Fifth - I hereby nominate and appoint ^{and} ~~Famini~~ ^{Famini} ~~St John~~ ^{St John} Executors of this my last will and testament, and direct that they be not required to execute bond as such.

In witness whereof I do ^{to} this, my wife, set my hand, this the 28th day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seven (1907).

All erasures and interlineations in the foregoing will were made before same was signed.

W. B. St John.

Signed and published in our presence, and we have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the testator and at his request this, the 28. day of November, 1907.

J. R. Masengill.

W. A. Miller.

E. A. Brown.

The foregoing written instrument was shown in open Court by the oath of J. R. Masengill, W. A. Miller & E. A. Brown, subscribing witnesses to said paper writing, this, on this the 19 day of Dec. 1907, and upon said written instrument, was adjudged, declared, and decreed by the Court to be the last will and testament of W. B. St John, deceased, and ordered to be recorded in the Book of wills.

Attest S. J. Nye, Com.

By D. A. Hays, d.c.

Last Will & Testament, Probated December
of 1907.
John P. Briscoe dec'd.

The last will and Testament of John P. Briscoe, of Sullivan County, Tennessee. I the undersigned, John P. Briscoe, being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this mortal life, do make, declare and publish this my last will and Testament, hereby revoking and declaring void any and all other wills by me at any time heretofore made.

First - I give, devise and bequeath to my two sons John Franklin Briscoe and Arthur Preston Briscoe, and to my daughter, Carrie Emma Briscoe, the farm upon which I now reside, situated in the Second Civil district of Sullivan County, Tennessee, known as the George W. Bell's place, and which farm was recently purchased by me George Samuel Milers and wife, the same to be their fee simple estate and equal one third shares.

Second - I give, devise and bequeath to my said two sons, John Franklin Briscoe and Arthur Preston Briscoe, and to my said daughter, Carrie Emma Briscoe, in equal one third shares, one and all other property of which I may be seized and possessed and wherever situated, including household and kitchen furniture, cattle, horses, mules, hogs, grain, hay and farming utensils and implements, to be their absolute property.

Third - I give, devise and bequeath to A. R. Briscoe, one dollar (\$1.00) to Walter C. Briscoe, one dollar (\$1.00) to Edward C. Briscoe, one dollar (\$1.00) to Mrs. Essie McCallan, one dollar (\$1.00) to Claude R. Briscoe, one dollar (\$1.00) and to Earnest Metcalf, one dollar (\$1.00); these several bequests of one dollar (\$1.00) to be paid to said parties, respectively, by said John Franklin Briscoe, Arthur Preston Briscoe and Carrie Emma Briscoe, and to be in full of all their claims against my estate.

Fourth - I expressly require and provide that John Franklin Briscoe, Arthur Preston Briscoe and Carrie Emma Briscoe shall take care of me and my wife, Margaret A. Briscoe, and provide for our wants as long as we live; and

will and direct that if one or more of said three last named children should die prior to the death of the survivor of myself and said wife that the said survivor or survivors of said three last named children, that is, those who shall survive both myself and my said wife, shall assume the expense of caring for me and my said wife, and shall have the property that would otherwise have gone hereunder to such deceased child or children of said three last named children.

Fifth: I will and direct that the said John Franklin Briscoe, Arthur Briscoe, and Carrie Emma Briscoe be required to pay off and discharge all just debts and valid obligations against my estate, and that they pay all the funeral expenses of myself and my said wife and give us a decent burial.

Sixth: I appoint John Franklin Briscoe and Arthur Briscoe Briscoe Executors of this my last will and testament and request that they be not required to give any bond as such.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto signed my name in the presence of W. W. Vance, and David Briscoe, without my request, in my presence and in the presence of each other, have signed their names hereto as subscribing witnesses; all on the 20th day of May, 1907.

Witness:

W. W. Vance,

David Briscoe,

John P. Briscoe

The foregoing written instrument was proven in open Court by the oath of W. W. Vance and David Briscoe subscribing witnesses thereto, on this the 30th day Dec. 1907, and thereupon said written instrument was adjudged, declared and decreed by the Court to be the last will and testament of John P. Briscoe, deceased, and ordered to be recorded in the Book of Wills.

Attest J. Kyle Clark
By D. A. Barger, D.C.

Last will & Testament

Rev. J. C. Doan, Decd., *Published Jan'y Term 1908*

I, J. C. Doan do make and publish this as my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time made.

1st I will and direct that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of monies that I may die possessed of or may come into the hands of my Executors.

2nd I will and direct that Alta M. White have my four large pictures.

3rd I will and direct that all the personal property of all kinds consisting of house hold and kitchen furniture, beds, bedding money, and all other kinds of personal property that I may have at my death be equally divided among my W. D. White children, that he has thrown away after home.

4th I will and direct my husband E. D. Doan, all the above property should be out of me during his life time, then it is to go to said W. D. White & heirs as above mentioned.

lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint W. D. White with out bond my Executor in witness whereof I do to this my will by my hand and seal, this the 4th day of Oct. 1907.

J. C. Doan,

Signed Sealed and published in our presence and we have subscribed our names thereto in the presence of the testator, this the 4th day of Oct. 1907.

C. C. Smith,

J. J. Hare,

The foregoing written instrument was proven in open Court by the oath of C. C. Smith and J. J. Hare, the subscribing witnesses thereto, on this the 6th day of Jan'y 1908, and thereupon said written instrument was adjudged, declared and decreed by the Court to be the last will and testament of J. C. Doan, deceased, and ordered to be recorded in the Book of Wills.

Attest

J. Kyle Clark,
By D. A. Barger, D.C.