

Last Will and Testament
of
John Jackson deceased
Probated March Term 1901-

Bristol Tenn

June 1st 1899

I hereby in the presence of these witnesses, give to Nellie Jackson all my possessions, viz: lot designated in deed of September 1893, with house and household effects.

Signed this the first day of June 1899,
John Jackson

Witnesses

Jessie B. King

A. A. Graham

E. H. Kern

E. O. Woodward & Co.

The foregoing written instrument was shown and open Court by the order of E. O. Woodward and E. H. Kern two of the subscribing witnesses, thereon this the 27th day of March 1901 and thereupon said written instrument was adjudged declared and decreed by the Court to be the last will and testament of John Jackson deceased and ordered to be recorded in the Book of Wills.

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John Jackson Clerk

Last Will and Testament
of
J. N. Monroe, deceased
Probated April Term 1901-

In the name of God Amen
I James N. Monroe of the County of Sullivan and State of Tennessee, being of good body, heaith and of sound mind, disposing mind and memory, calling to mind the frailty and uncertainty of human life, and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs, and directing how the estate with which He has pleased God to bless me shall be disposed of after my decease, while I have strength and capacity do to do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby averring and making full and good all other last wills and testaments, by me heretofore made.

First I commend my soul, being to him

who gave it, and my body to the earth, to be buried with little expense or ostentation by my executors hereinafter named.

And to my worldly estate and all the property, real, personal or mixed, of which I shall die seized and possessed, or to which I shall die heir at the time of my decease, I devise bequeath and dispose thereof

J. N. Monroe

In the manner following

My will is that all my just debts and funeral charges shall by my executors hereinafter named be paid out of my estate, as soon after my decease as shall by them be found convenient to do.

I give devise and bequeath to my beloved wife Rebecca Ann Monroe all my estate, both real and personal consisting of Household goods, farming utensils &c. to have and to as long as she remains my widow.

Item 1 I give devise and bequeath to my son John E. Monroe a parcel of land beginning at a planted rock on J. M. Boothers line A 40 E 51 poles to a planted rock on Smiths line then S 43 E 10 poles, thence A 40 E 57 poles to a stake A 39 N 16 poles to the beginning containing 5 acres, said piece land to remain in the hands of my beloved wife during her life or widowhood or until she may see cause to make a deed to the same.

I also give and bequeath to my son John Thirty Dollars in cash to be paid to him as soon as possible after my decease.

Item 3rd I give devise & bequeath to my son Melvin M. Monroe, a certain piece land beginning at a planted rock in the middle of road thence with the center of said road S 47 N 31 P to a stake, in line of said road thence with said road S 35 N 26 P to a planted rock; thence A 39 N 16 P & 6 links to John Monroes line, thence A 40 E 51 P to a stake then S 48 E 16 P to the beginning containing 5 acres I also give devise to Melvin M. Twenty Dollars to be paid him as soon as possible after my death.

Item 4 I give devise and bequeath to my son Auburn L. Monroe a certain piece of land beginning at a planted rock on J. M. Boothers line thence S 1 E with the main road to a hard bush at 4th Cross fence, thence with said fence a direct line to B. L. Plankers line thence with Plankers & Carvers line to a planted rock on Carvers line thence from said rock to the beginning.

Item 5. I will and devise that my Daughter Mollie C Morrell have the remainder of my farm east of said fourth cross fence.

Item 6. I will and devise to my son William H. Morrell a certain boundary of land known as the Rice Arrente land containing 42 acres more or less.

Item 7. I will devise and bequeath to my daughter Lillian Bell Woods Twenty Dollars to be paid on demand after my death.

Item 8. Lastly, I do designate & appoint my son Melvin M. Morrell to be the executor of this my last will and testament. In testimony whereof I the said James H. Morrell have to this my last will and testament contained on two sheets of paper and to each sheet thereof subscribed my name and to this the last sheet thereof I have subscribed my name and affixed my seal this the 23 day of January A.D. 1905.

J. H. Morrell

The above instrument consisting of two sheets of paper was now then subscribed by J. H. Morrell the testator in the presence of each of us and was at the same time declared by him the last will and testament and we at his request sign our names as attesting witnesses.

W. H. Sharp
S. J. Hicks

Cliff City Tenn

The foregoing written instrument was proven in open Court by the oaths of W. H. Sharp and S. J. Hicks subscribing witnesses thereon this the 24 day of April, 1905 and thereupon said written instrument was adjudged declared and decreed to be the last will and testament of J. H. Morrell deceased and ordered to be recorded in the book of wills.

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W. H. Sharp Clerk
S. J. Hicks D.C.

Last Will and Testament
of
May Netherland Dec'd

Testated May June 1905

I May Netherland being of sound and perfect mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament - in witness and form following. First, I bequeath to my daughter Eliza Willis and her two sons Thym Netherland and Walter Willis my house and lot in the town of Kingsport Sullivan Co. and State of Tenn. Except the house on the road and 10 feet of ground around said house also one half of the lot between the main road and the river which I bequeath to Albert Hall and Maudy Hall and to their children. Also that Albert Hall have contrance of the garden spot lying between his house and below a lot on the west.

The said Albert Hall shall have contrall of and take good care of all the above property after my death until said time shall take possession of same.

In witness whereof I have subscribed my name this the 20th day of June 1904.

My hand this Land

I acknowledge as our presence.

John D. Pile
J. D. Deland

The foregoing written instrument was proven in open Court by the oaths of John D. Pile and J. D. Deland subscribing witnesses thereon this the 31st day of May 1905 and thereupon said written instrument was adjudged declared and decreed by the Court to be the last will and testament of May Netherland deceased and ordered to be recorded in the book of wills.

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W. H. Sharp Clerk
S. J. Hicks D.C.

Last Will and Testament
of
Christopher Columbus Prasser dec'd

Testated May June 1905

I Christopher Columbus Prasser of Bristol Sullivan County Tennessee being of sound mind and memory do declare this to be my last will and testament.

1. I give & bequeath to my son C. C. Prasser 40