

declared and decreed by the Court to be the last will and testament of Mrs. Smith, deceased, and ordered to be recorded in the Book of Wills.

Teste:

John R. Snow, Clerk

Last Will & Testament

George B. Wexler died. Forfeited May Term 1901.

I George B. Wexler 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.

First: I direct that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any money that I may be possessed of, or may first come in the hands of my executor.

Secondly, I give and bequeath to my wife Elizabeth all of my property, personal and real. I have already advanced to each and all of my children his or her proportional share of all my estate having decided and conveyed to each a parcel of land, which constitutes his or her share.

Lastly, I do hereby nominate and appoint my wife Elizabeth my executor; and she is hereby exonerated from taking oath, giving bond or settling with the Court.

In witness whereof I do to this my will set my hand and seal. This the 11th day of April 1895.

George B. Wexler (Seal)

Signed sealed and published in our presence and we have subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the testator.

This the 11th day of April 1895.

M. S. Campbell
J. C. Willard

State of Tennessee

Sullivan County. The foregoing written instrument was proven in open Court by the oaths of M. S. Campbell and J. C. Willard subscribing witnesses thereto. In this the 20th day of May, 1901, and Thompson said

written instrument was adjudged, declared and decreed by the Court to be the last will and testament of George B. Wexler, deceased, and ordered to be recorded in the Book of Wills.

Teste:

John R. Snow, Clerk
By J. N. Ingoldby, C. C.

Last Will & Testament

Wm. D. Sharpe died. Forfeited May Term 1901.

I, Wm. D. Sharpe, a citizen of Sullivan County Tennessee, 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.

First, I give and bequeath to S. A. Newland and Helen A. Newland his wife all of my personal property, consisting of notes and accounts, household furniture, and a Black Man named Lucy, with the request that she shall not be sold. I also give and bequeath to the said S. A. Newland and wife Helen the contents of my father and mother and myself painted by my uncle S. M. Sharpe now in possession of my sister Mrs. M. K. Hale, with the exceptions hereinafter mentioned.

Secondly, I give and bequeath to my grand Niece Margaret Rebecca Newland the bed and bedstead I am now using; also the large armed rocking chair with cane back and seat that I am now using; also, the bureau in the room commonly known in the family as uncle William's room; also a gold bearing quartz chain, and a Steriscope with a lot of Steriscope pictures.

Thirdly, I give and bequeath to my grand Nephew Joseph Newland my traveling trunk, and leather valise, also a pair of saddle-pockets formerly owned by my father.

Fourthly, I give and bequeath to my grand Niece Mary Ellen Newland the large bedstead just like the one I give to my grand Niece Margaret Rebecca; also an invalid rocking chair now in my room.

Fifthly, I give and bequeath to my grand Niece Stella Rhea Newland a large home-made walnut bedstead, also an invalid chair formerly used by my mother, also a wash stand with drawers and doors, also a Morocco valise.

Sixthly, I give and bequeath to my grand Nephew Vane Price Newland, a home-made walnut table with a drawer and white knobs, also, such other little articles about the house owned by me individually, not otherwise bequeathed, as his parents may select for him.

Seventhly, It is my will and desire that my wood-land tract of land lying and being in the tenth Civil district of Sullivan County, Tennessee on the N. side of Elkens Ridge adjoining the lands, on the North of John G. Linn and B. H. Gaines, on the East, S. D. Frost on the South, the said S. D. Frost and John Spahr, and on the West the lands of Lambirth & the Baadman heirs, containing 52 acres more or less, which said land shall be sold within two years after my decease, and out of the proceeds, I give and bequeath the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) to the "Shornwell Orphanage" at Clinton South Carolina; also out of the proceeds of said land I give and bequeath to an orphan girl now about fifteen years of age known as Belle Taylor the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) which she is to receive in six years from this date, or when she reaches the age of twenty, One should she die before reaching her majority, then the said One Hundred Dollars is to be added to the two hundred dollars bequeathed to the Shornwell Orphanage as aforesaid. If there be any remaining proceeds of said land then I will and bequeath the same to the said S. A. Newland and wife Hellen A. Newland and I give them any undivided individual property of mine not herein bequeathed.

Lastly, I do hereby nominate and appoint S. A. Newland my executor. He may enter upon the office immediately after my decease without taking any oath, giving any bond or being required to settle with the Court.

In witness whereof I do, to this my will, set my hand and seal. This 10th day of March 1898.

Erased interlineations made before signing
 W. D. Sharron Seal
 Signed, published, and declared by the above named William D. Sharron, as his last will and testament, in presence of us, who at his request,

have signed as witnesses of the same.

W. M. Perry
 R. A. Ideol
 W. H. Gaines

State of Tennessee
 Sullivan County
 The foregoing written instrument was ~~presented~~ proven in open Court by the oath of W. H. Gaines one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, on this 6 day of May, 1901, and continued for further proof.

Teste:
 Jas. C. Snow, Clerk

State of Tennessee
 Sullivan County
 The foregoing written instrument was further proven in open Court by the oath of R. A. Ideol subscribing witness to said written instrument, on this the 25 day of May, 1901, and thereupon said written instrument was adjudged, declared and decreed by the Court to be the last will and testament of W. D. Sharron, deceased, and ordered to be recorded in the Book of Wills.

Teste:
 Jas. C. Snow, Clerk

Last Will & Testament
 of Nathan B. Casley, died. Probated July Term, 1901

I Nathan B. Casley of the County of Sullivan and State of Tennessee, being in feeble health, and feeling the uncertainty of life, and its continuation, 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.

First: I direct that funeral expenses, and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible out of any money that I may die possessed of, or may first come into the hands of my executor.
 Secondly, I give grant and bequeath to my beloved wife Nancy E. Casley during her natural life, or while she survives my widow, all my property, both real and personal of which I may die seized.
 Thirdly After my wife's death I give grant and bequeath to the children of my son Edwin L. Casley