

State of Arkansas
County of Sharp I, Solomon Granger, County and
Justice within and for Sharp County, Arkansas do hereby
certify that said McLeod's when Certificate of record
is shown on the foregoing instrument is and was at the
date of said Certificate County Clerk and of said
Court of the County of Sharp for said County that said
Certificate is in accordance with the laws of the State of
Arkansas and that his official acts as Clerk of said
Court are entitled to full faith and credit.
Given under my hand this 8 day of January A.D. 1870
Solomon Granger, Judge.

In the name of God - Amen.
This being my last will & testament.
I now give bequeath, after all my just
debts are first paid, to my children
namely Marcus R. Stovall I give and be-
queath to him all my money and other
property given to him heretofore by me.
shall remain his forever and he is not
to account hereafter to any other of his bro-
thers or sisters. I now give to Robert P. Stovall
and bequeath to him all money & other prop-
erty given to him heretofore by me and he
shall not account for any part to his bro-
thers or sisters. I now give to my son Mosey
H. Stovall all money and other property given
to him heretofore and he shall not account
hereafter to any of his brothers or sisters.
I now give to Alfred P. Stovall in the like
manner I now give to my daughter I give
bequeath to my daughter Adeline Cartwright
all money and a negro girl named Julia
and all other property given to her heretofore
and she is not to account hereafter to
her brothers or sisters. I now give to my daughter
Lemina Colston I give and bequeath to her
all money and other property and she
is to keep it in like manner I give to my
daughter Emily Henry in like manner
I now give to my daughter Susan Stovall
I give and bequeath to her a negro girl
named Mary a horse and saddle and
furniture a bureau and Cane and all
other necessary things for table & household
she and them now be it fairly under-

stood after the death of my beloved wife
Elizabeth Stovall and myself I do give my
two sons James M. Stovall and Albert P. Stovall
all the Tract of land that I now live on the
tract No. 10 which is about three hundred
acres be the same more or less to be equally
divided between them My said James is to
have the farm and houses where I now
live the line between said Community
and my north line at Robert Haley's line
in the road running South East direction
with the main road to Gallatin road
thence across the branch to Rigdon's
line so as to give my son A. P. Stovall
the Spring on the South side of my
dwelling so as to give him room to
build a house I shed he need it now
be it understood that this gift is to be
clear and above all other gifts and they
shall not account to any of their bro-
thers or sisters for any part of it At my
death I give to my two daughters Emma
Colston and Emily Henry twenty five
acres of land lying on the water of the
and Creek by the name of James Stovall
farmers tract this land is to be
sold and the money equally di-
vided between the two girls above na-
med. Now be it fairly understood
by all should my beloved wife Elizabeth
M. Stovall be left a widow she shall have
full possession of all my tract of land
where I now live and all the negro
stock farming tools in a word all
the farm to do with for her benefit
and my said James and family
to live with his mother and on the
work that shall be needed for her benefit and
after the death of the longest live of me or wife
then my negro is to be equally divided with all
my children except Adeline Cartwright she has
had her full share of the negroes and after James
and Albert Stovall take such stock as they
may wish and farming tools the balance of the
stock of all kind, farming tools shall be sold
and equally divided with all of my children
Now if my wife should be left widow and

Should marry hereafter she shall only have a child's part during his life. I ~~choose~~ choose by appointing my son James M. Stovall and my wife Elizabeth Stovall my Executors & Executrix to my last will & testament.

Witness my hand & Seal this 2nd day of Oct. 1852.
It is understood that James M. Stovall and Elizabeth Stovall shall not be bound to give security for their Executorship, Witness this 2 day of Oct. 1852.
J. M. Rickman
Samuel Bradley.
William P. Stovall

State of Tennessee
Sumner County Court June Term 1868

The last will & testament of Wm. P. Stovall was this day produced in open Court for probate and was duly proved by the oath of J. M. Rickman and subscribing witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded. - And James M. Stovall and Elizabeth Stovall Executors named in the will appeared in open Court and Mrs Elizabeth Stovall declared becoming one of the Executors and further stated that she should dissent from said will of Wm. P. Stovall her late husband deceased and asked that dower may be assigned to her of all the lands of her deceased husband and thereon James M. Stovall one of the Executors named in the will accepted the position of the same and thereupon the said James M. Stovall entered into bond without security as she did in the will and acknowledged the same to the State of Tennessee in the penal sum of Two Thousand Dollars, Caudatimus as the law directs and was duly qualified.
John L. Buggy clk

State of Tennessee
Sumner County May Term 1870.

The last will & testament of William Stovall was this produced in open Court and was duly proven by the oath of Samuel Bradley one of the subscribing witnesses the same having been proven by one of the subscribing witnesses J. M. Rickman at a former term of this Court and James M. Stovall one of the Executors named in said will entered into bond and was duly qualified at said former term.
May 2nd 1870
Jesse Cage A.C.

Whereas I am the owner of an estate in my own right consisting of Lands and personalty all being the proceeds of a sum placed in the hands of my husband Robert Williamson by my mother John I. Williamson in order to provide for the management of said property in the event of my death do hereby make and establish this as my last will and testament.

First: It is my will and desire that my husband R. Williamson shall continue to hold all of my said property in Trust and manage and control the same as heretofore so long as he live and for that purpose I do hereby clothe him with power and authority to manage said property in such manner as to him shall seem best, giving him the power and authority at any time to sell any or all of my property, either real or personal and to make to the purchaser title to the same. He is likewise clothed with power and authority to make trusts and take title to himself as trustee. He is likewise clothed with power and authority to make advances unto to any of my children in such sums as he may deem best for their interest. He is likewise clothed with power and authority to arrange and settle up my interest in the Tennessee Cashmere Company and likewise in the United Cashmere Company and to receive the proceeds of same making such compromises and adjustments in relation to the same as he may deem best.

Secondly: At the death of my said husband all of my said property then in hand shall be divided amongst my children changing their into any advancements that has been made or may be made my said husband having authority and power if he deems to pay over to and or all of my children their distributive share at any time taking their receipt for the same.

Thirdly: My said husband as trustee aforesaid in order to meet and pay of any indebtedness of mine and particularly the notes which I have secured, granted to Perkins, Holder and others in the hands of J. J. Lister is authorized and empowered to pay the same out of any means in his hands or if necessary to sell property real or personal to pay the same.

It is my purpose and desire by these to give to my husband R. Williamson full and complete power to manage and control all of my said property in the said way that he has been managing it and for that purpose I specially direct that he shall not be required to give any bond either as the Executor of this my Will nor as Trustee for the management of the same nor shall he be required to file any Inventory of my Estate nor make any settlement with the Clerk of the County Court.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 14th day of June 1870

Eliza Williamson

Testator in our presence and witnessed by us in the presence of each other and the Testator and her request this 14th day of June 1870

W. R. Perkins
Geo. W. Allen

State of Missouri

Sumner County Court August Term 1870

The last will and testament of Mrs. E. M. Williamson deceased was this day produced in open court for probate and was duly found by the oath of W. R. Perkins and Geo. W. Allen subscribers witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Aug 8. 1870

James C. Cagle D.C.

In the name of God Amen, I Lewis S. Martin being weak in body, but sound in mind, do ordain and declare the following to be my last will and testament.

1st I direct that my burial expenses and just debts be paid out of any money that may be on hand and if it is my wish and desire that my body be decently but plainly buried.

2nd I direct and will that the tract of land on which I now live be held by my beloved wife E. Belinda Martin during her natural life or widowhood and then to descend to my children Sarah S. Martin, Elmore D. Martin and Elijah D. Martin or in case of the death of either of them without issue, then to the surviving children.

3rd I will and bequeath to my wife E. Belinda Martin during her life or widowhood the whole of my household and kitchen furniture, wagon farming utensils my

two mares, all the horned cattle on hand, all the stock, hogs, fifteen head of sheep, fifteen barrels of corn, after the pork is fattened and all other produce of the farm of every kind whatsoever and fifteen hundred pounds of pork.

4th In case of the decease of my wife E. B. Martin I direct that the whole of my personal property and my land be sold to the highest bidder and that the said E. Belinda Martin receive one hundred dollars out of the proceeds thereof and the remainder to be equally divided between my heirs and in case of the death of my wife E. Belinda Martin before marriage or before the time my youngest child becomes twenty one years of age, I direct that the whole of my estate both real and personal be sold to the highest bidder and the proceeds be equally divided between my heirs.

5th I direct that all of the property at my death not otherwise disposed of in the third section of this will be sold at private sale by my Executor and the proceeds go to the benefit of my family and that my Executor keep this money and pay over the same to my wife when called on.

6th I direct that James H. Reddick by my Executor to this my last will and testament. Declared to be my last will and testament this Sept 7th 1870

Witnessed in presence of
J. H. Durham
James H. Martin

State of Missouri

Sumner County Court September Term 1870.

The last will and testament of Lewis S. Martin was this day produced in open court for probate and duly proved by the oath of James H. Martin one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and was ordered to be recorded. James H. Reddick appeared in said court and accepted the same and together with his securities Jonathan Durham and James H. Martin entered into and acknowledged their bond to the State of Missouri in the sum of three thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and said James H. Reddick was duly qualified.

Per

James C. Cagle Clerk.

Know all men who shall see these presents, that
I James A. Bell of sound mind knowing the uncertainty of life
and wishing to leave my real and personal property of what
I may be possessed at my death in such a manner that
there being the duties of providing for and settling my estate
shall have as little trouble as the nature of such business
shall require, do publish and by these presents declare this
to be my last will and testament in the words following
to wit:

First, After paying my funeral and burial expenses and
all my just debts which I may be indebted, I wish the
balance of said property real and personal to be applied
in the following manner, To my wife Nancy Ann Bell all
my real and personal property during her natural life,
she to support clothe and school my children out of the
same and at her death what property then may be left
shall be equally divided between my children, namely:
Martha V. O. B. and Nancy R. Bell.

Witness my hand and seal this 25 day of June One thousand
eight hundred and seventy.

Given and sealed in
presence of
Atty W. Bradley
J. A. Bell

James A. Bell

I appoint William Massy and Richard
H. Bradley as my Executors to this my last will & testament.

State of Tennessee

Sumner County Court August Term 1870.

The last will
and testament of James A. Bell died was this day produced in
Open Court for probate and was duly proven by the oaths of
Atty Bradley and J. A. Bell subscribing witnesses thereto and or-
dered to be recorded. Whereupon Richard H. Bradley one of
the Executors named in the will, the other, to wit, William
Massy having renounced, appeared in Open Court together
with J. A. Bell and Atty Bradley his securities, and entered
into and acknowledged their bond to the State of Tennessee
in the penalty of One thousand dollars, conditioned ac-
cording to law, and said R. H. Bradley was qualified.
This day of August 1870.

Attest

John Long D.C.