

David Lamson Will

In the Name of God Amen

I David Lamson of Washington County State of Tennessee being of sound mind and memory (blessed be God) do this Last will & Testament in the eighth hundred & twenty sixth year, Month and, publish this my last will & Testaments in the presence of my friends, that is to say, I having said my last to John Lamson & Jacob Lamson and is to take it in hand and Joseph Lamson is to have fifteen dollars and the price of my land & Abraham Lamson is to have one hundred & forty dollars and my wife Catherine is to have one hundred and forty dollars and Jacob Varner wife Elizabeth is to have one hundred & thirty dollars and of my said land my son David Lamson John Lamson & Jacob Lamson having received their parts in full of my Real & Personal estate and Joseph Lamson Abraham Lamson John wife & Jacob Varner wife is to take their parts of the pay that is coming to them out of the land at the same rate that I was to get it from John & Jacob Lamson John Lamson having paid Abraham Lamson Mammie Lamson Samuel Lamson Henry Black their parts of the land. I paid Joseph Lamson one hundred dollars for his parts of the land and John Lamson paid him twenty five dollars leaving him the above fifteen dollars in the price of the land. My wife clothing & the sum of that is on hand is for my daughter Jacob Varner wife Elizabeth at my decease and all the personal estate that I may have at my decease is to be sold by Executor hereafter mentioned and equally divided among my heirs except John David & Jacob Lamson and I do hereby make and assign my worthy friend John Mullen Executor of this my last will & Testaments — In witness where of I the said David Lamson have to this my last will and Testaments set my hand and seal the day & date above written — Signed sealed published & declared by the said David Lamson the testator as his last will & Testament in the presence of who are present at the time of signing and sealing. Thus of
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David Lamson (Seal)

Jacob Browne

Daniel Davis

The foregoing will was proven in open Court by the Oath of John Catlett and John Catlett two of the Subscribing witnesses Thurst. at January Term 1830 & recorded. — John Mullen Executor in the foregoing will given bond & security as the law directs and given up

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Colvin Finch Will

This my last will in the Name of God Amen. I am given in mind but weak in body I will & bequeath that my funeral & burial expenses be paid and my lawful debts be paid I will & bequeath that my plantation be left to my wife Sarah also my young Run Man & two Cows of her own choosing four head of hogs of her choosing and four head of sheep of her choosing and all the household and kitchen furniture and all the corn and all my farming utensils which she is to have during her life at her death the plantation shall be sold and the property that is left to my wife shall be sold and divided equally between my four children Thomas Finch Aaron Finch Sarah Barbary & Mary Bayles I will & bequeath that the balance of my property be divided equally between my four children named in the will I will and bequeath that there be a board given one year out of my estate when she arrives to the age of eighteen years of age and 1 feather bed given under my hand & seal August 14th 1829
Test Colvin Finch (Seal)

Wm. Doper & Andrew Silburn } The foregoing will was proven in open Court by the Oath of Wm. Doper & Andrew Silburn the Subscribing witnesses Thurst. at April Term 1830 & recorded

Ferdinand Indig Will

This my last will & Testaments made the 6th day of May and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & twenty nine — In the Name of God Amen — I Ferdinand Indig of the County of Washington State of Tennessee knowing the certainty of this life and the certainty of death and the life to come and being frail in body & weak but being in perfect sense of mind & knowing the reality of mind and intellect and also the understanding of aged persons I have at the present of time with the help of God who rules the universe be a spirit in making this my last will & Testament to help me God just is reigning & giving myself up to God he who made me and all that live and move upon this earth is my prayer Amen — I do by the help of God make and bequeath unto my own only daughter Elizabeth Hammel Catharine Phil Barbary Thurst Sally Belle Corne Francis Thomas Bayles and Thine Brown I do will and give and bequeath unto the above named legatees my only daughters all my personal property which consists of horse cows hogs sheep household and kitchen furniture with all farming utensils and all and every article on my plantation premises or appurtenances Thurst for the use of my only daughter Elizabeth Catharine Barbary Sally Corne Deborah and Thine to have and to hold as their own and to their heirs for ever when they are to make an equal division of the said property at my death if they can all agree if not, they are then with my wife and bequeath to make and divide all the property and the debts of the said property