

Archibald Hale's Will.

Hale attains the age of twenty one year - at which time I will that said Boy Philip fall back to my two sons Abner Hale and William Hale to be equally divided between them I want it expressly understood that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to give the said Lucetta Hale or her son John Hale any title to said Boy as I only intend him to live with them as above stated -

Thirteenth - I will and bequeath unto my son Abner Hale in addition to what I have already given him three negro boys. Solomon, Lesh and Nelson and also a black girl named Mary which shall be his share of my estate -

Fourteenth - I will and bequeath unto my son Wm Hale the farm I now live on including fifty six acres I purchased of John and Robert Allison to have and to hold the same unto him the said William Hale his heirs and assigns forever - I also will and bequeath unto him my black boy named Tom girl named Julia and boy named Emanuel with all my farming utensils blacksmith tools, notes of hand and debts coming to me also horse - cattle - hay - sheep - and my personal estate not hereinbefore disposed of to have and to hold the same - as his portion of my estate -

Fifthly - I hereby constitute and appoint my two sons Abner Hale and William Hale Executors of this my last will and Testament - and I desire and request of the Court that they require the said Executors to give me bond or security as I have the utmost confidence in their doing what is right - In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 24th day of March 1854 -

Witnesses present
William Lyon
James H. Allison
Franklin Lyon

Archibald Hale (Seal)

The foregoing will was proven in open Court by William Lyon, James H. Allison and Franklin Lyon the subscribing witnesses thereto at January Term 1855 -

Henry Hop Clerk

David White's Will.

I David White do make and publish this 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 monies that I may die possessed of or may first come into the hands of my Executor.

Secondly - I give and bequeath to my wife Sythe all my lands except twenty five acres to have and to hold during her natural life or widowhood also to have and hold all of my personal property after all of my just debts are paid - my daughter Anna is to have her maintenance off of the land during the time she remains single.

Thirdly - I give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah and the heirs of my daughter Elizabeth and Mary Ann and Rebecca ten Dollars each after the death of their Mother.

Fourthly - I give and bequeath to the heirs of my son Isaac twenty five acres off of the lower end of my farm to be laid off so as to leave one third of the timber that lies next to Demings line by him paying twenty five Dollars to my Executor.

Fifthly - I give and bequeath to the heirs of my daughter Nancy the land after the death of her Mother.

Lastly - I do hereby nominate and appoint William & White my Executors. In witness whereof I do to this my will. Set my hand and Seal this 25th day of January 1855 -

Signed & acknowledged in our presence

Jerry White
Saml H. English
James H. Crabtree

David White (Seal)

The foregoing will was proven in open Court by Jerry White and Saml Crabtree two of the subscribing witnesses thereto at February Term 1855 -

Henry H. of Clerk