

Will and Testament, and with the power to -
advise, my dear daughter, Hattie Bowm. of the
State and County aforesaid -

In testimony whereof, I have herewith subscribed
my name and affixed my seal this, the 25th
day of July in the year of our Lord Eighteen
Hundred and Eighty-four.
S. J. C. Smith. Seal

At the request of the above named Testatrix and
in her presence and in the presence of each other
we herewith subscribe our names as witnesses to
this instrument, which the said Sarah Smith
declared unto us, as aforesaid, to be her last
Will and Testament.

Witness our hands and Seal
this the 25th day of July A. D. Eighteen Hundred
and Eighty-four.

J. B. Denton. Seal
J. N. Tucker. Seal

The foregoing Will was presented and proven in open
court at December Term 1884, by the Oaths of
J. B. Denton and J. N. Tucker the two subscribing
witnesses thereto and there being no exceptions
taken the same was admitted to probate and
ordered to be entered of record.

E. A. Shipley
County Court Clerk

John Bowman's Will

Be it remembered that I John Bowman of
the County of Washington and State of Tennessee
Being confined to my Bed with agitations but
of perfect sound mind and disposing memory -
knowing that it is appointed unto me once to
die do Publish this my last Will and Testament

Firstly I give my soul to God who gave it and
my Body to be Buried in a decent Christian
order.

Secondly. My Will and desire is that all my
just Debts and funeral expenses be fully paid
and if there should not be enough left remaining
to pay all my Debts my will is that enough
of my personal property such as my Beloved wife
and children can best spare be sold either
publicly or privately and full payment to
be made.

Thirdly. my will and desire is that my Beloved
wife Eliza Bowman have the free use and control
of all my Real estate and personal property
During her natural life and at her Death this
to be equally divided among my children, Mary,
Ann, Theodora Archibald, Elizabeth, Daniel J.
Mary to be paid of money that may arise
from a sale of my personal property to each
of them as they come to majority age, or to their
heirs if any should depart this life and leave
minor issue before the Death of my wife, and
as respects my Real estate it may be equally
divided among them in such quantities as
three Commissioners may declare to be of equal
value or my children may purchase of each
other or sell the whole and divide the money
as may Best suit.

Fourthly. My will is that my Beloved wife
Eliza Bowman and my Beloved son Theodore
Bowman be my Executors and, Executor
Signed and Sealed this the 13th day of September
1882.
John Bowman. Seal

John Bowman's Will.

in presence of
Harden Apper
Daniel Snider
D. J. Bowman.

The foregoing will was presented and proven in open Court at December Term 1884 by the Oaths of Daniel Snider and D. J. Bowman the two subscribing witnesses thereto and there being no exceptions taken the same was admitted to probate and ordered to be entered of record.

E. C. Shipley
County Court Clerk

Susannah C. Bayless Will.

The last will and Testament of Susannah C. Bayless.

In the name of God Amen. I Susannah C. Bayless of the county of Washington, State of Tennessee Being in good Bodily health and of sound and disposing mind and memory I do make and publish this my last will and Testament, and to my worldly estate and all the property of which I shall die seized of, I devise Bequeath and dispose thereof in the manner following—

I give devise and Bequeath to my Beloved husband Robert R. Bayless, my house and lands, and its appurtenances situated in county of Washington, State of Tennessee District No. 10.

And also I give my Interest of my Mother's estate to my Beloved husband Robert R. Bayless to have and to hold the same to him Robert R. Bayless, his heirs and assigns from and after my decease to him and their use and behoof, forever

In Testimony whereof I the said Susannah C. Bayless, have to this my last will and Testament contained in this one sheet of paper thereof subscribed my name and to this have affixed my Seal this 23rd day of July 1884.

Susannah C. Bayless. Seal

The above instrument consisting of one sheet was now here subscribed by Susannah C. Bayless the Testator in presence of each of us, and at the same time declared by her to be her last will and Testament and we at her request sign our names hereto as attesting witnesses.

J. A. Pritchett Seal
William Melvin Seal

all of which residing in the county of Washington State of Tennessee

The foregoing Will was presented and proven in open Court at February Term 1885 by the Oaths of J. A. Pritchett and William Melvin the two subscribing witnesses thereto and there being no exceptions taken the same was admitted to probate and ordered to be entered of record.

E. C. Shipley
County Court Clerk