

John Brady's Will.

State of Tennessee

Washington County

I John Brady do hereby make this my last will and testament = First I will that my wife remain on the place on which I now live undisturbed her & Sarah her daughter until the first of October, then the place to be sold on a credit of two years, one half of the purchase money to be paid down & a lien retained on the property until the balance is paid. I will that one half of the money paid for said land, be paid over to my wife as it is paid over to my executor & the other half shall be paid over equally to my children who I understand are in America, their names are John, Biddy, Micha, & Patie. I will that my former wife shall be made equal with my four children named above. Second I will that one cow the black cow shall be my wife's & the other cow sold & the cow I purchased of Sarah I have paid her two dollars & a half she pay back to my executor the two dollars & a half & she takes back the cow. The wheat I will shall be sold except ten bushels that is now growing on the ^{place} except ten bushels which shall go to my wife. The corn that grows on the field rented by Shippy I will shall be sold to pay my debts & the balance if any to be disposed of as I have ruled in my other property. The proceeds arising from the sale of my personal property shall be divided as I have directed my real estate. The mare Kit shall also be sold at the time specified for the cow which shall be after the first of October & the money divided as the other property. Lastly I do hereby nominate & appoint J. E. Harris my Executor. In witness whereof I do to this my will set my hand & seal. On the day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & seventy seven

John ^{his} Brady ^{mark} (Seal)

Signed sealed & published in our presence & we have subscribed our names in the presence of the testator,

Witness

J. W. Dove

J. E. Harris.

The foregoing will was presented and proven in open Court at the August term 1877 by the oaths of J. W. Dove & J. E. Harris & ordered to be recorded

B. P. Demplins Will.

State of Tennessee Washington County

I Benjamin P. Demplin make this my last will and Testament

1st it is my will that my body be buried in a plain and decent manner and that my funeral expenses be paid out of any money belonging to my Estate by my Executor

2nd It is my will that my ~~last~~ Executor shall have a good substantial pallage built a round the graves of my children made of Cast or wrought Iron sett on rock & wall as soon as it may be convenient for my Executor to do so without oppressing her.

3rd it is my will that all my debts be paid as soon as they can be paid.

4th it is my will that my wife Rebecca P. Demplin have all my lands and personal property that may remain after paying all my debts & funeral expenses to have & to hold and control & dispose of as she sees proper

5th I nominate and appoint my wife Rebecca P. Demplin my Executor and having the utmost confidence in her honesty and integrity I request the Court to not require any security from her intestimony whereof I have ^{been} sett my name in the presence of Thos J and E. E. Wilson this 16 day of June 1877

attest
Thos. J. Wilson
E. E. Wilson

B. P. Demplin

The foregoing will was presented and proven in open Court at the August term 1877 by the oaths of Thos. Wilson & E. E. Wilson & ordered to be recorded.

James Crabtree's Will.

The last will and Testament of James Crabtree of the County of Washington and State of Tennessee hereby Making void of former wills by me at any time made.

And first I direct that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible out of the first Money that may come into the hands of my Executor.

2nd I will and bequeath unto my Son Jerry Crabtree one half of the land on which I now live of which I am lawfully possessed. Third I will and bequeath unto my daughter Martha Arnold the remaining half of the land on which I now live. To have and to hold during her natural life time and at her death her half of said