

Mrs E. M. Deaderick's Will

In the name of God amen, I Emeline M. Deaderick of the County of Sullivan in the State of Tennessee being in sound mind and health and about to proceed to the North do make this my last will and Testament, and I give and bequeath to my only dear deceased sister children all my estate both real and personal, of which I may be possessed & which may remain after the payment of my just debts, reserving \$300 for my Brother Joseph and five hundred more to my dear little nephew Deaderick Anderson hereinafter than I have to the rest, & appoint Abram S. Gommam and Jas M. Deaderick my Executors In witness whereof I have this day declared & published this to be my last will and Testament signed with my name & seal this 24th day of March 1859 declared & published in presence of.

Attest
Stephen S. Stuart
Daniel P. Ford

Emeline M. Deaderick, (s)

The last will & Testament of Emeline M. Deaderick, late of this County, was produced in open Court March term 1870 & proven by the oaths of S. Deaton, Stuart & Daniel Ford the witnesses thereto & admitted to record, and James M. Deaderick appointed Executor of said will by said Testatrix, having declined to serve as such it is further ordered that J. P. Gommam & Nathan Gommam be they are hereby appointed & constituted administrators with the said will annexed of the estate of the said Emeline M. Deaderick Decd & are allowed until the next June term of this Court to qualify as such & enter into the bond & security required by law.

John P. Gommam Clerk

Petition of Hannah C. Anderson

To the Worshipful County Court of Washington County, Your petitioner Hannah C. Anderson respectfully represents that Samuel Anderson was last an inhabitant of this County and departed this life in the month of 1849 leaving this a last will and testament and by said last will and testament appointing John R. Fair his sole executor, who was duly qualified and proceeded to act as the Executor of the Estate of the said Samuel Anderson Decd until he the said John R. Fair departed this life in this County of Washington on the day of 1861 leaving his property and estate unadministered upon in this County of Washington, a large portion of the estate of the said Samuel Anderson Decd, and that your petitioner is the widow of the said Samuel Anderson Decd and a resident of the County of Washington and is ready to give bond and sufficient security as required by law, and your petitioner further sheweth unto your Honorship that the last will and testament of Samuel Anderson Decd, was destroyed by fire with all the originals and copies thereto containing and to supply the said will, your petitioner sheweth unto your Honorship as near the original as can be remembered by persons who saw and read the said will and who say they remember the contents distinctly and the supplied copy offered by your petitioner is in substance and form substantially the same as the original and the only heirs at law of the said Samuel Anderson Decd, all of whom are of lawful age to act for themselves, agree that the annexed and supplied copy shall be to all intents and purposes be the same as the original will of the said Samuel Anderson Decd, wherefore she prays that your Honorship will grant her letters of administration, or some new such testament annexed of the said deceased.

This the 7th day of February 1870.

On motion, the Court ordered that the above petition be granted and that the will therein mentioned be entered of record.

John P. Gommam
Clerk, W.C.