

The foregoing will was proven in open Court at the  
July term 1878 by the oaths of John B. McLean and  
W. F. Crookshanks the two subscribing witnesses thereto  
and ordered to be recorded.

J. F. Gresham Oct.

## Jack Gillespie's Will

This the 14<sup>th</sup> August 1875.

I John Gillespie of Col. commonly called Jack, do make & publish this my last will and testament, 1<sup>st</sup>, I appoint my Brother Preston Gillespie of Col. & John F. Gresham my executors of this my last will & testament, being of sound mind, do bequeath unto my daughter Hattie the two acres of land, be the same more or less the on which we now live, being the lot of land we bought of M. P. Geraldis, further I give to the said Hattie one set of plates, one set of Tea Kups & saucers, one set (6) glass tumblers, one salt cellar, one bid & bals tract & the two calico quilts, two water buckets, one coffee pot, 3 tea spoms, 3 table spoons & one scoop spoon, 6 knives & forks, 3 milk crocks, one jar, 3 chairs, one basket, one fire shovel, the wash pot & tub, two ovens & pot hooks, one dog paw & sifters the cupboard and the flour & molasses barrels, further I give to my daughter Hattie the wheat in the Hogs head 6½ bushels, also my interests in the Corn Crop growing on Isaac Broyles farm, say one third, said Broyles to retain out of my interest any sum I may be justly due him & she to pay R. B. Broyles the amount I am due him for borrowed wheat and M. P. Geraldis the balance due on said lot of land & the amount that may be required to pay for perfecting deed & survey. I further give Hattie the least sum she to pay Isaac Broyles \$1.50 One dollar & fifty cents, further I give to Hattie one third of the wheat raised at Mary Mansfords, one third off the sweet & Irish potatoes crop growing at home. Now further and lastly I give to Hattie my mare plow & 2 pairs of Shovels Mattock, two hoes drawing knife

law and gun she to sell the same to best advantage & apply the proceeds to defray my funeral expenses, the balance to go to my Creditors & that she employ my two brothers Washington & Preston to see that I am decently buried by my father & Mother in the meadow near the old Attic Gillespie homestead. Now I further bequeath to my son James 6 Plates, 2 bowls one jar, the Church one pitcher, one pair of the wheat raised at Mary Mansfords, one third of Sweet & Irish Potatoes prop of Mrs. & stone bedstead. Now further I finally give to my daughter Martha 16 Plates, one dish, one tin pan, 2 books, one jar, one bucket, 1 sugar bowl, one cream pitcher, one third of the wheat raised at Mary Mansfords, one third of the Sweet & Irish Potatoes, in witness whereof I have this the day & date above written signed sealed & delivered this my last Will & Testament in the presence of the Subscribing witnesses Set.

Jack Gillespie  
Sub. n.

Ez J. Mathis  
Isaac Broyles  
James McAllister

The foregoing will was proven in open Court by each of the Subscribing witnesses on oath at the Sept term 1875, and ordered to be recorded. And Preston Gillespie & John F. Gresham Executors theron named were permitted to give bond & qualify.

J. F. Gresham Oct.