Drury Morrows Will

The Nuncupative will of Drury Morrow made during his last sickness, at his residence in the 17th Civil District (Campbell) of Washington County Tennessee on the 13th day of December 1870 and reduced to writing on the 21st December 1870.

The said Drury Morrow being in feeble health, but in sound and disposing memory, made the following disposition of his worldly effects, Calling upon the subscribing witnesses hereto to witness the same. That is to say.

I Drury Morrow give and bequeath to my son James H Morrow the farm he now lives on, known as the Hysinger tract adjoining Dail Bowman, Mark Chase & others, and also give him fifty acres off of the home tract, to be taken off next to Bowmans line, and also one third in value of the three horses I now own - And also (After first paying my funeral expenses & debts out of the same) One third of the proceeds of the Notes due me.

Second I give and bequeath to my son John M Morrow Two hundred acres of land including the new house in which he now lives in the same Civil District, it being a part of the home farm, to be run off next to the fifty acres herein before bequeathed to my son James H, off the home tract, - also one third in value of said three horses, and also one third of the Notes due me after the payment of my debts.

3rd I give and bequeath to my son Benjamin F. One hundred and fifty acres of land, including the mansion house and all of the home buildings. Also my Grey mare named "Coaly" and my bay mare named "Kit" and one third in value of the three horses hereinbefore named - Also a four horse wagon, and what Hogs and Cattle are on the farm and all my house hold furniture in my house, and the farming implements on the home place, And all the corn on hand and all other grain except fifty bushels of Wheat, and also one third of the Notes due me after paying my debts &c. The 50 fifty bushels of wheat herein reserved is to go towards the payment of my funeral expenses & debts

4th I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary J Campbell Forty acres of land off of the home farm Adjoining Sloghs land. The said Mary J. holds a Note on me for a bout Two Hundred & Fifty Dollars exclusive of interest. She also has in her hands, belonging to me, money amounting to about three Hundred dollars, out of which I wish her to retain

a sum sufficient to liquidate and settle sd Note and the remainder of sd money I wish to be equally divided among my three sons James H. John M. and Benj F. Morrow

5th I give and bequeath to my son-in-law Washington Kitzmeller the husband of my late daughter Sarah Eighty Acres of the farm on which he now lives including the improvements said land lying in the Buffalo Ridge District adjoining the lands of Martin Roller, & others, and being a part of the old David Kitzmeller farm.

6th I give and bequeath to my two Grand Children Elizabeth and Sarah Alice daughters of my said daughter Sarah and the said Washington Kitzmeller the residue of the said Tract on which the sd Washington Kitzmeller lives in equal degree. The whole of said tract containing Two Hundred Acres more or less.

It is also my will that the land herein devised to my said two Grand Children shall be rented out for their support and especially for their education until they shall became of age

7th Some years ago I borrowed a mare of Thomas Kell a mare which afterwards went blind & sold sd Mare I have now on my place a Colt of sd Mare and also hold a Note on said Kell for $130.00/100 Given in 1861. and it is my will that said Colt and said Note be given up to sd Kell (Who Married my niece) in lieu of said Mare borrowed from him.

8th It is also my will that no sale of any of my effects be made by my executors herein after named.

9th I hereby constitute and appoint my two sons James H and John M Morrow the executors of this my last will and Testament.

In testimony of the truth and correctness of the foregoing will of the sd Drury Morrow we the Witnesses both present together, at the making thereof have hereunto set our hands this the 21st day of December 1870

James Moore
John R Carson

The foregoing will was presented to the court for probate at the 1st term 1871 and proven by the oaths of James Moore & John R Carson who state that they were personally present when said will was made by the said Drury Morrow dec'd and that he was in his proper mind and that the same was reduced to writing

Drury Morrows Will.

within ten days after it was made by the said Drury Morrow
And the said James H. & John M Morrow Executors therein named
came into Court and entered into bond and was duly sworn
and the Court ordered that letters Testamentary issue to them
there being no objections offered by any of the heirs at the time.

J. F. Gershaw Clerk.

Daniel Bowmans Will

In the name of God Amen

I Daniel Bowman of Washington County Tennessee being weak in body but of sound Mind and Memory. Considering the uncertainty of this mortal life Blessed be Almighty God for the same do make and publish this my last Will and testement, in manner and form following, that is to say. First I Want my Body interred in a decent and ~~my~~ Respectable manner And my expenses paid out of my Estat. Second, all the lots that I own in Johnson City I will for the use of the Family, that is Say to Catharine Bowman and my son Hiram Bowman during ther natural lives, after the death of my wife Catharine Bowman and Hyram Bowman I will it to my son Hyrams legal Heirs. my will is to put two thousand Dollars of My Money out at interest in Government Bonds if it can be don for the use of my wiff Catharine Bowman & Hyram Bowman jointly but not to go to Hyram if he drinks Liquor.

Thirdly the six thousand dollars that is Due me on the 8th day of April 1871. now in the hands of Abraham H Sachs Race St Philadelphi Pencelvania State Be collected if it can Be by my Executor or Executors or Administrators and be put on interest upon the Same Conditions and in the same way that the two thousand Dollars heretofore Spoken of was.

My will is that my wife Catharine Bowman to have all the house hold & Kitchen furniture and to have controle of the house & kitchen that we now occupie as long as she Remains my widdo My two horses to be

Daniel Bowman's Will Cont

disposed of by my Executors or Administrators.

I hereby appoint Daniel Giesler and Alfred Carr my Executors of this my last will and testament hereby Revoking all others wills by me made. in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & fixed my seal this 1st day of April 1871.

Daniel Bowman (Seal)

Attest
L Bowers
L H P Lusk.

The foregoing will was proven in open Court by the oath of L Bowers and L H P Lusk the two subscribing witnesses thereto at the May term 1871. And Daniel Giesler one of the Executors therein named refusing to enter into bond. J P C Nelson came into open Court with Alfred Carr the other Executor And entered into bond with approved security and was duly qualified as the law directs

J. F. Gershaw Clerk

Thomas J. Young's Will

I Thos J. Young of the County of Washington & State of Tennessee being of sound & disposing mind do make this my last Will & Testament. First I give to my wife so much of my effects as she may by law entitled to to have & hold the same during her natural life or widowhood. all the residue of my property of every description I give to my three Children viz Thos J Young Wm F & Adlio B. Young to be equally devided between them. I appoint my two sons Thomas J Young & William F Young Executors of this my last will & testament with as full authority as I possess as my real estate will be incumbered. I direct and give to my executors full authority to to Sell a part or the whole of my real estate or to Mortgage the same to raise monies to take of the debts upon it in short I give them all powers possessed by me. In testimony I have set my hand & affixed my seal This 23 January 1871.

T. J. Young (Seal)