

Will of Thomas C. Patton

In the name of God Amen.

I Thomas C. Patton of the town of Rheatsville in the County of Greene and State of Tennessee being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainties of this frail and transitory life do make Ordain publish and declare this to be my last will and Testament that is to say first after all my just debts are paid and fully discharged, the residue of my property both real and personal, I give bequeath and dispose of as follows to wit

1st - I give and bequeath to the three daughters of my Brother James Patton namely, Minny Bell, Margaret, Edney, and Nora Elizabeth, three heirs and assigns one half of my undivided interest in a tract of land consisting of one hundred acres lying and being in Lenoir County, State of Kentucky, on the waters of Little Rabbit Creek and adjoining the lands of Chas. Scott, Richard Dursley and Moir Black.

2nd I give and bequeath to my Brother George W. Patton the remaining half interest in said tract of land aforesaid.

3rd I do further give and bequeath to the aforesaid legatees all the moneys or property, personal or real, that ~~that~~ I may die seised and possessed of to be equally divided between my Brother Geo W. Patton and the Children of my Brother James Patton. I do further will that if my Executor herein after appointed, can sell the land herein bequeathed to the Children of James Patton to the advantage of the Children that he do so and divide the moneys equally between them share and share alike.

I do further make constituted and appoint my Brother James Patton to be Executor of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

In testimony of which I hereunto set my hand on this 30th day of March A.D. 1883.

Thomas C. Patton
mark

Signed and acknowledged
in our presence March 30th 1883

W. H. Shoun
W. D. Good

The foregoing Will was presented in open court and one of the witnesses thereto being dead, viz. W. H. Shoun was

being reported to the clerk, and Newton Hacker having appeared in open Court and testified that he was acquainted with the handwriting of W. H. Shoun and that he believed the same to have been signed by him as one of the subscribing witnesses. Also came into open Court A. M. Mettetal, who, after being duly sworn said that he was personally acquainted with W. D. Good, one of the subscribing witnesses and also that he was familiar with his hand writing and believes his signature to the foregoing will to be genuine, and there being no exceptions taken the same was admitted to probate and ordered to be entered of record.

Eliza C. Seaton's Will

I Eliza C. Seaton of the County of Washington State of Tennessee do make publish and declare this to be my last will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all other wills by me at any heretofore made.

1st I will and direct that my beloved husband A. B. Seaton have the ^{care, control and} management of my farm situated in the Eastern corner of the town of Jonesboro Tennessee and upon which I now live and that he shall receive unto him self all the benefits and uses of said farm together with all improvements thereon for and during his natural life for his maintenance and support.

2nd I further will and direct that my daughter Maggie Seaton have a home with my said husband upon said farm and to have her reasonable support and maintenance off of said farm together with my said husband so long as she may remain unmarried, and it is provided that in the event my said daughter should marry and should become a widow without a comfortable home of her own prior to my said husband's death then she will continue to make her home with him in like manner as previous to her marriage and have her support off the farm until the death of my said husband.

3rd After my death I direct that so much of my personal property be sold in such way and manner as