

1844
Bohannon
will

I, William Bohannon of Grayson County do hereby make my last will and testament in manner and form following: that is to say I desire that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid after the payment of my debts and funeral expenses I give to my wife Elizabeth Bohannon one acre of down with its contents one hundred and thirty six bushels and one barrel with its contents three heads and furniture such as she may deem proper to select two head of cattle of her own choosing one fine shawl of fine tawge one pair of flax Doves one large table one oven & cold one skillet and lid one small pot one pair fine chairs one cabinet one washstand one washbasin tub one steel and one and one pair of foot stools one pair of daggers all the soap and tallow and the garden and kitchen furniture of bacon if so much on hand or one fine bag all the wheat on hand twenty bushels of corn if so much on hand or so soon as it can be gathered also the full possession of three or more acres of land and orchard and further provided should there be any ready money on hand at my decease, it is my will that my wife Elizabeth Bohannon have full possession of it and should there be any money at the decease of my wife Elizabeth Bohannon it is my will that it be equally divided between my Daughters namely Margaret Hamner & Hannah Hask Anna Russell Naomi Richardson Mary Anderson Jane Hask & Eliza Anderson & Sarah Hagar and further I give my wife Elizabeth Bohannon full possession of the spring & spring house & it is my will that my Executor here after named attend and see that my wife Elizabeth Bohannon is affectionately taken care of agreeable to the requirements of a bond that Joseph Bohannon gave me for our support dated June 13th day 1844 and if he the said Joseph Bohannon fails to comply with the requisitions of said bond that my Executor at the request of my wife Elizabeth Bohannon compel him the said Joseph to comply with said requisitions according to law and should my wife Elizabeth Bohannon become helpless or dissatisfied to stay where she is after my decease it is my will that she rent out the narrow house the smoke house spring house & orchard & choose whom she please to live with and that my Executor attend to the same and that he be allowed a reasonable compensation for his services out of the funds arriving from my estate 4th It is my will and desire that my son Joseph have two dollars to him and his heirs for ever, 5th I will unto my Daughter Margaret Hamner twenty two Dollars & forty cents 6th I will to my Daughter Anna Russell thirty one Dollars 7th and after my daughters ~~Anna~~ Margaret & Anna shall have received the sums to them bequeathed that the balance of my estate not otherwise disposed of to be equally divided between my Daughters (Viz) Margaret Hamner Hannah Hask Anna Russell Naomi Richardson Mary Anderson Jane Hask Eliza Anderson & Sarah Hagar 8th and lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my friend William Hask Executor of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all others in former will or testament by me heretofore made, In witness where of I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 17th

day of April in the year of our Lord 1850 signed sealed published and declared by William Bonham as for his last will testament in the presence and hearing of us who at his request and in his presence have subscribed our names as witnesses

William Young
David R. Pugh
James Thomas

William Bonham

Craigson County to wit May Term 1853

That the last will and testament of William Bonham dec'd was proved by the oath of David R. Pugh William Young and James Thomas subscribing witnesses there to and is ordered to be recorded, & that on the motion of William Hark the Executor therein named acknowledge with them to, and to gather with Alexander Porter his security entered into and acknowledge in the penalty of \$200 - conditioned as the law directs certify and is granted them for obtaining a probat of the said will in due form

Wm. Sickey J.C.

Estate Tobias Phillips Dec'd

Do John Cook admr, with the will annexed of the said Tobias Phillips paid,
 Do this sum paid to Legatee others the first of July 1847 258 19
 Do this sum paid to Legatee per Receipt, 246 00
 Do Commission of 5 percent on the above Induam. ments 25 06
 Do this sum paid to widow Phillips for receipt part of the interest of 258 98 - - - 20 85
 Do this sum paid to her per Receipt 9 00
 Commission on \$46 58 cent 3 32
 Do this sum received for contingent expenses (Receipts &c) 3 50

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554 92
526 72
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46 58
573 50
547 52
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21 88
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18 38

Contingent Estate lev.

Pay this sum in the hands of the admr. on settlement 28 August 1847
 Pay some arrangement the interest of the above sum needs to be paid to widow of John Phillips one of the heirs of Tobias Phillips dec'd for the maintenance of the children of the said John Phillips

Pay interest on \$258 98, part of the above principal, which needs not fully paid to the said widow each account
 Amount from other side

Balances in the hands of admr. not subject to Commission -

Coroll County Commissioners office January 1853
 To the Honor of Craigson County