

MONTGOMERY FAMILY

Copy of the Last Will and Testament of Wm. Mtgomery Dec'd. (original in possession of George Montgomery, Sevierville, Tennessee)

I William Mtgomery of Sevier County and State of Tennessee, do this Twenty fourth day of March A.D. Eighteen hundred and Fourty, make, ordain, publish and declare this my Last Will and Testament, in manner following that is to say--

First. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Mtgomery all the Land whereon we now live, and all the Entries I have made and the appurtenances thereto; for and during hernatural life, with all and every species of property, and all the money on hand, and some cash notes to be disposed of at her pleasure for the maintinance and Education of our Children, the above notes to includ one handed to Spencer C. Gist & George W. Porter for collection. I still desire that G.W. Porter have the use of the money for said note by the payment of Interest as long as my Wife's necessity and convinee will admit and after my sons grow up so as to successfully attend their mether in a new country. I hereby vest her with full powers to sell and dispose of and make Title to all my Land in as carefull & ample manner as I myself could do, relying confidently on her sound Discretion in providing for our children in some other regin

Second. I have a note signed by Madison Rawlings Monroe Rawlings & Ashel Rawlings sn Executed to George Sawyers for Eighteen Hundred Dollars in silver and assigned by him to me- and due the 1st day of February last past which I require my Executors to place at Anterest in safe hands, as speedily as may be, and as my children come of age, divided as near as practicable as equal shears of said fund that they may have for each as they are of age and apply untill they all shall have an equal division, both male and female, and after the decease of my wife, an equal Division of all that may remain of my Estate real and Personal-

Thirdly. I request my Executors to sell my Interest in the Wears Land (say one-eight of the tract at private sale and to give William Henderson the refusal of it, at a fare and reasonable price; or rent it until that price (\$500.00) can be had, and divide the money arrising therefrom between my children as above directed-

I hereby make, ordain, publish and appoint my beloved Wife Elizabeth Mtgomery Executrix and Bobby W. Winton & John W. Grant both of Reane County Executors of this my Last Will and Testament-

In testimony whereof I the said Testator have hereunto signed my name, and affixed my seal, declaring the foregoing to be my Last Will and Testament, on the draft above written

In presence of
Isaac Love, Baddell Scruggs, Peter Rambo

William Mtgomery (SEAL)

State of Tennessee, Sevier County, I, O.H.P. Hill Clerk of the County Court of Sevier County, Do hereby certify that, the foregoing is a true and perfect Copy of the Last Will and Testament of William Mtgomery, now on Record in my Office- Given under my hand and seal of Office, at Office in Sevierville, this 6th day of May A.D. 1840. O.H.P. Hill, Clerk of Sevier County