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3 New falling leaf Tables  
1 Black Horse  
1 Bureau  
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Daniel Nicklin		15 00
Daniel Wolf		20 55
Charles Jenkins		21 00
F. Armstrong		11 50
M. Drift		18 00
Geo. Hamilton		75 00
James Paxton		5 25
George Bowyer		3 31
		\$477 92

Selia A. Kyle Army  
with the wife annexed  
of Catharina Kyle and

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R. L. Parish Com of Co.

Clerk Office Alleghany County Court  
28<sup>th</sup> June 1874.

This Date Bill was this day presented in said  
Office and the same being duly certified by  
the Commissioner of Co. for said County, as required  
by law, is admitted to record.

Test.

J. D. Scott  
J. C.

I William Scott of the County of Alleghany  
and State of Virginia do make and publish this  
my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all  
other Wills, bequests and devises heretofore made by  
me of every kind whatsoever.

I It is my will and desire that my funeral expenses  
and just debts if any there be, be paid by my Ex-  
ecutors as soon after my death as practicable.

II I will and bequeath to my dearly beloved wife  
Catharine M. Scott for and during her natural life,  
my plantation upon which I now reside, together  
with all the live stock, grain, and other personal prop-  
erty therein of every kind and description, except my  
Chas in action, and if my wife finds it necessary  
for her comfortable support and maintenance to sell  
some of the Stock or other personal property on the  
place she can do so by being careful to take such  
an account as to leave me sufficient to pay my debts  
and expenses.

if she ascertain the surplus products of the farm inc-  
adequate to a convenient payment of the Tax of the  
place, including necessary repairs, my executors are  
hereby authorized to pay said Tax out of any funds  
that may be in their hands belonging to my Estate.  
III. It is my will and desire that my Executors sell  
out all of my Town property including the lots  
between the Depot and Lexington, until such time  
as they and my children or the survivors of them may  
deem a judicious time to sell said property, at  
which time they shall sell the same upon such  
time and terms as may be deemed best by them  
and the net proceeds of the rents and profits of  
the said Town property and lots, together with the  
net proceeds of the sale thereof I will bequeath  
to be divided into four equal parts, and to be dis-  
tributed as follows, first; I will and bequeath  
one fourth part of the said net proceeds to my son  
in law Denton Wiley to be held by him in trust  
for the benefit of the children of my son William  
M. Scott subject to the provisions hereinafter contained  
to my daughter Mary C. Wiley wife of J. C. Scott  
Mr. Wiley, shall and bequeath the fourth part  
of said net proceeds to be held by her as separate  
estate, independent of the control of her husband  
and in no way subject to his debts or contracts.  
And the receipt of my said daughter Mary C. E.  
Wiley shall be a sufficient voucher in the hands  
of my Executor to release them from all liability  
as to the one fourths, hereby willed and bequeathed  
to her. To my daughter Dallie C. Wiley wife of  
Denton Wiley, one fourth of said net proceeds to be  
held by her as separate estate, independent of the  
control of her husband, and in no way subject  
to his debts or contracts. And the receipt of my  
daughter Dallie C. Wiley shall be a sufficient  
voucher in the hands of my Executor to release  
them from all liability as to the one fourth hereby  
willed and bequeathed to her. To my daughter  
Emma Hammond one fourths of said net pro-  
ceeds, to her and her heirs forever.  
IV It is my will and desire that as soon after the  
death of my wife as may be deemed practicable  
my executors sell all of my personal

property that may then be on my said plantation including furniture of every description, by public auction; and that the net proceeds thereof together with any other fund that may then be in the hands of my Executor, not distributed be distributed precisely in the manner and form that I have hereinbefore directed the net proceeds of the sale and rents of my farm property, including the lots before described, to be distributed, provided that any one of my children may select any piece or pieces of furniture and the same may be charged in the distribution at the appraised price thereof, and provided further that the piano now in my mansion house is not to be considered as part of my estate, the same being the individual property of my daughter Sallie C. Wiley and which she can remove whenever she may deem best.

V. It is my will and desire (W. Scott) that as soon after the death of my wife as practicable the plantation upon which I now reside be divided into four parts of equal value, and as nearly equal in the number of acres as may be, and to my son-in-law Benton Wiley I will and bequeath one of the parts of my said plantation, being one fourth thereof, to be held by him in trust for the benefit of the children of my son William M. Scott. But it is my will and desire that my said son in law Benton Wiley shall out of the annual interest from the fund willed and bequeathed to him in Section III of this my last will and testament in trust as therein specified, and out of the funds of my said plantation hereinabove allotted to him in trust as aforesaid, that is to say out of the annual interest and profit thereof, give to my son William M. Scott as much in money or produce or in money and produce as may be necessary for his maintenance if so much there be. And should my son-in-law Benton Wiley decline to execute the trust herein imposed upon him or should he from any cause fail to execute the said trust, it is my will and desire that the Court in which my last Will and Testament is admitted to probate appoint some fit and proper person trustee to execute the said trust in place of my said son-in-law Benton Wiley. And to my daughter Mary A. C. Wiley, wife of Robert M. Wiley

for her and her heirs to be held and enjoyed by her as separate estate, independent of the control of her husband and in no way subject to his debts or contracts. And to my daughter Sallie C. Wiley wife of Benton Wiley I will and bequeath one fourth of my said plantation, for her and her heirs, to be held and enjoyed by her as separate estate, independent of the control of her husband and in no way subject to his debts or contracts. And to my daughter Emma Hammond I will and bequeath one fourth of my said plantation, to her and her heirs forever.

VI. It is especially my will and desire that none of my children be charged with any advancements of any description made by me, and should my daughter Emma Hammond continue to reside with her master in my plantation; there is to be no charge against her for maintenance either of herself or her children, and there shall be no account or debt of any kind unpaid, unpaid, or unadjusted prior to my death.

VII. It is my will and desire that the estate real and personal hereinbefore settled and bequeathed to my son in law Benton Wiley in trust as aforesaid be kept together during the life time of my son William M. Scott, and at his death the same is to be distributed among his children.

VIII. I hereby constitute and appoint my friend Robt L. Parrott and my son-in-law Benton Wiley Executors of this my last Will and Testament. And I hereby declare these presents to be and contain my last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof I, the said Testator, William Scott, have to this my said last will and testament written upon two sheets of paper, to the first sheet thereof set my hand, and to this the second & last sheet thereof set my hand, and seal this 7<sup>th</sup> day of April in the year 1871.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the Testator William Scott as and by the Testator William Scott as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us who in his presence, at his request and in the presence of each other have humbly subscribed our names as witnesses.

J. Jerome Hobbs

R. S. Parrott

Codicil

I William Scott do make and publish this codicil to my last will and testament which was executed as aforesaid set forth on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of April 1871. My beloved wife Catherine M. Scott having departed this life it is my desire to make some suitable provision for my daughter Emma Hammond and her children, and the children of my son William M. Scott in addition to the provision made for them in my will aforesaid I do therefore declare by my will and desire as follows: To wit: My plantation upon which I now reside, together with all the her Stock grain and other personal property thereon of every kind & description, except my slaves in service, shall be kept together in the manner indicated in the second clause of my will aforesaid, just as if my wife had survived me, for the period of five years from the date of my death subject to the control and supervision of my executors named in my said will. The said Executrix will cut out such portions of the farm as she may deem best to the end that my daughter Emma Hammond and her children and the children of my son William M. Scott, all of whom will occupy my mansion house for the said period of five years, may be suitably maintained and supported my object being to provide a home and a maintenance for my daughter aforesaid and her children, and the children of my son aforesaid for the said period of five years from the date of my decease. All of the surplus products of the farm of every description shall constitute a part of the funds in the hands of my Executrix for distribution as indicated in the third clause of my will, should there be any such surplus products after maintaining the persons aforesaid in the manner that they are now maintained by me. It is further my will and desire that no change be made in the distribution of my estate against any of the parties above named for their support and maintenance during the said period of five years, and at the expiration of said period of five years from the date of my death it is my will and desire that my said plantation be disposed of as directed in the fifth clause of my will, provided that my executors may sell my said plantation without dividing same if they and my surviving children shall agree that it is best to make sale of same. And in case of a sale of said plantation, the proceeds of the said sale are to be divided in the manner indicated in the said clause.

said five years all of my personally of every description and dispose of the proceeds as directed in the fourth clause of my will. It is further my will and desire that the debts due me when collected and any other property that I may have that is not mentioned in my will be distributed also in the manner indicated in the third clause of my said will. Nothing in this codicil shall be construed so as to prevent my Executrix from making sale of my Town property and lots as indicated in the third clause of my will, whenever they and my surviving children shall agree that it is best to make sale of same. In testimony whereof I sign my name and affix my seal the 14<sup>th</sup> day of November 1873.

W. Scott (Seal)

The above codicil was signed sealed published & declared by the Testator William Scott so and for a codicil to his first will and testament in the presence of his wife in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other two hours past twelve noon on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of November 1873.

R. S. Tunley  
R. L. Parish

Alleghany County Court 1873.

It witness furthering to be the last will and testament of William Scott deceased together with a codicil thereto in as the best produced to him and found the said Will by R. L. Parish and A. J. Hobbs the subscribing witnesses thereto and the said Codicil by R. L. Parish and Mr. S. Tunley the subscribing witnesses thereto. Whereupon it is ordered that the said Will and Codicil be recorded as the true last will and testament and codicil thereto of the said Wm. Scott deceased. And on the motion of R. L. Parish one of the executors named in the will (the other executors named therein declining to qualify) who made oath as the law requires, and with Mrs. Emma Hammond (by Lewis Payne her Attorney in fact) Lewis Payne, Wm. M. Scott, L. T. Wickey, James A. McCleary and A. J. Hobbs his sureties (who made oath as to their sufficiency) entered into a acknowledge a bond in the penalty of Fifteen Hhds and 9 Dollars, conditioned according to law and waiving the Homestead Exemption (which bond is ordered to be recorded). Certificate is granted the said R. L. Parish by obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.

Wm Reynolds  
Off Bill  
Ex'd

The undersigned appointed by the County Court of Alleghany, at the May Term, Appraiser of the property of Wm. D. Reynolds deceased, being duly sworn, hereunto annex a list of all the property found or known to exist, with the value attached. I. viz:	
Saw Mill Castings and two bands.	Valued at. \$ 1000
" Saw and Saw gate iron.	5.00
1 Whip Saw	.50
1 Cupboard	3.00
1 Bedstead and Bedding	15.00
1 Clock	.50
6 Chairs	3.00
1 Large Table	.50
1 Bureau	4.00
3 Pictures and frames	.20
2 Ovis	15.00
1 Horse	10.00
1 Tract of Land supposed to be pasture	2000.00
1 Saddle & Bridle	.80
1 Rifle Gun	4.00
2 Bonds each for \$2666.66 dated 15 January 1873 with interest from date until paid & subject to a credit as 145 days 1874, of 6000.	4833.30
Bush or bands	572.00
1 Still	15.00
1 Pair Steel Yards	.60
1 Drop cloth Daud.	3.00
	<u>\$7517.30</u>

G. H. L. Maine  
C. A. Tristley  
W. H. Hamilton

Q. M. Reynolds Esq.

Comet R. L. Parish Com. Yes.

Clerk's Office Alleghany County Court

19<sup>th</sup> August 1874.

This Appraiserment Bill of the Estate of George Jackson dead, Wm. D. Reynolds deceased was this day presented in said Office, and the same being duly certified by the Commissioner of Probate for the County as required by law is admitted to record.

An Appraiserment of the goods and chattels of the late William Scott deceased, in the County of Alleghany, made on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of September 1874 in this by the undersigned John S. Pitzer, A. B. Pennington and Lewis Payne three of the Appraisers nominated and appointed by the County Court of the County of Alleghany, said appraisers having first taken the oath prescribed by law.

1 Book Case / Table	\$ 12.00
1 Library 150 Volumes (alms)	66.00
1 Table	5.00
1 Rocking Chair	6.00
1 " " 10c	6.00
1 Set Split Bottom Chairs	6.00
1 Sofa	15.00
1 Parlor Stair	5.00
1 Large Mirror	10.00
Carpet and Rug in parlor	10.00
1 Pr. of Pillows	.50
2 or 3 Cristianas in parlor	1.00
Cel. Stick in Hall	4.00
1 Picture in Glass (Chamber)	8.00
1 Walling Leaf Table	1.00
1 Wash Stand	1.00
1 Clock	2.00
1 Wash	12.00
1 Carpet (Rug)	4.00
1 Bedstead, Bed & Bedding	20.00
1 Set Old Chairs	1.00
6 Old Chairs	1.00
1 Pr. Andirons, Shovel and Tong	1.50
1 Side Board (Dining Room)	15.00
1 Cupboard	2.50
2 Walling leaf Tables	3.50
1 Old Sofa	.50
8 Windsor Chairs	4.00
1 Set Dishes, Glassware & Crockery	5.00
1 Pr. Old Andirons	.25
1 Bed & Bedding (Feather Bed) (over parlor)	20.00
1 Bedstead, Feather Bed & Bedding	20.00
1 Wash Stand, Bowl & Pitcher	1.00
1 Shaving Glass	1.00
	3.00

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Carpet & Rug		145.65
1 Old Bureau & Glass (Upper Hall)		275.00
1 Wardrobe		5.00
1 Sugar Chest, 1 old Trunk		<u>\$ 6069.93</u>
1 Table		Dro. L. Peltzer 3 Apprais.
1 Teacher Bed, Bedding & Bedstead		113 Pessinger 3 Apprais.
1 Bed Mattress & Bedding		Lewis Payne 3 Apprais.
1 Bureau		
Kitchen Furniture		
1 New Wagon & Bed		
1 Old Bed		
2 Two Horse Plow		
1 Carriage & Harness		
1 Horse Bed		
1 Bed Jack		
1 Mow Miller		
6 Set Wagon Harness, 14 Horses		
7 Quilting Box		
1 Mud Stove		
129 Bus. Wheat		
200 " Corn (about)		
1 Old Heat Fan		R. S. Parikh
1 Cow Shelter		Exec. W. Scott 1871
1 Old Threshing Machine		
4 Milk Cows		
6 Yearlings		
4 Calves		
6 Hogs		
3 Sheep Slaves		
2 Harrows		
3 Grain Cradles & Mowing Scythe		
2 Bonds to James Warren Principal		
3 Bed " Mrs Robinson "		
1 Bed " Bro. L. Boswell "		
2 Bed " Bro. L. Peltzer "		
1 Bed " M. McLeary "		
1 Bed " Jacob Stults "		
1 Bed " Mansfield H. King "		
1 Bed " Bro. Sniffick "		
1 Bed " Arthur Lee Jr. "		
1 Bed " Bro. St. Allen "		
1 Bed " Thompson McAllister "		
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Miss Sally Cosby	1. Bed and Bedding	\$ 30.00
same	3 Baskets Quilts @ 6.00	18.00
same	1 White Counterpane	4.00
same	1 Table Cloth & Towels	1.00
same	3 Baskets	.25
Dr. H. Gilmer	1 Old Buggy & Extra Habs	12.50
A. G. Cameron	1 Ox Wagon	3.00
Sam. Trout	Country Arms	.35