

Will of
William E.
Whitfield

I, William E. Whitfield, of Nansemond County, Virginia, hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time made, do hereby make my last will as follows:

1st. I direct that my just debts shall be paid.

2nd. I lend to my wife Sallie A. Whitfield, the house side, or enough of my farm on which I now live for her support, the remainder to be used to keep the farm in good condition, remainder, if any, to be equally divided between my heirs, as directed by my executors.

3rd. I direct that all my chattel property be sold for cash.

4th. I direct that all my real-estate be sold for cash or disposed of as my executors may think proper and just.

5th. I direct that all my money derived from my chattel-estate, real-estate, insurance policy in The Union Central Life Co., all the rest and residue of my personal and mixed estate be equally divided between my children Riley Edward Whitfield, Charles Junius Whitfield, Manning Dillard Whitfield, except William Enoch Whitfield, Solomon Paul Whitfield and Latilda Iola Dobson, wife of J. H. Dobson, who are to have (\$333.33) Three-hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents less out of my estate.

I make this difference because I had an insurance policy in The North Western Life for (\$1000.00) One Thousand dollars for their benefit, otherwise, all share alike.

I name and appoint my three sons, Riley Edward, William Enoch and Solomon Paul, Executors of this my last will.

Witness my hand and seal this 16th day of May, 1912.

William E. Whitfield. _____

Signed, seal and acknowledged by me, William E. Whitfield as and for his last will in our presence, at his request and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses.

J. H. Britt

Job G. Holland

B. W. Council

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VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, the 24th day of October, 1914-

The last will and Testament of William E. Whitfield, (late of this County) deceased, was this day produced before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, and proved according to law, by the oaths of J. H. Britt, Job G. Holland and B. W. Council, The three subscribing witnesses thereto, and is ordered to be recorded.

And on motion of S. P. Whitfield, who is named in the said Will and Testament as one of the Executors of the estate of the said William E. Whitfield, deceased, (the other Executors therein named, Riley Edward Whitfield and William Enoch Whitfield, having in writing waived their right to qualify) who made oath according to law, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00), conditioned and payable according to law, with The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, (by Richard L. Woodward, its duly authorized attorney in fact) as surety, certificate is granted him, the said S. P. Whitfield, for obtaining a probate of said Will and Testament in due form.

And it is ordered that said bond be recorded.

Attest: G. E. Bunting, Clerk,

By Kate Parker, D. C.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I, Sallie A. Whitfield, widow of the late William E. Whitfield, deceased, who departed this life in the County of Nansemond and State of Virginia, being a citizen of said County and State, on the 21st day of October, 1914, do hereby renounce all the provisions made for me or on my behalf in and by the last will and testament of the said William E. Whitfield, which was duly admitted to record and probate in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County, on the 24th day of October, 1914; it being my sole and absolute intention hereby and by this instrument to fully and forever renounce, surrender and give up all rights and provisions to or concerning any property, real or personal mentioned in said Will, as being devised to me; and I do hereby claim all my rights under the statute law of Virginia, in all of the property left by the said William E. Whitfield, as his widow; I hereby give notice of my intention to claim and do hereby claim all my dower interest in the real estate of which the said William E. Whitfield died seized and possessed; and I hereby give notice to claim and do hereby claim all of my share of the personal or mixed property left by the said William E. Whitfield at his death; and all my share as his widow under the law in all cash, bonds, choses in action and all ~~share~~ chattel and personal property of every kind, character and description of which the said William E. Whitfield died seized and possessed; it being my intention by this instrument to stand for and on my rights as his widow under the laws of Virginia, and to renounce any provisions made for me in his said will.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 7th day of November, 1914.

Sallie A. Whitfield (SEAL)

Virginia, City of Suffolk, to-wit:

I, Mary V. Andrews, a Notary Public in and for the city aforesaid, in the State of Virginia, whose term of office expires on the 4th day of March, 1915, do certify that Sallie A. Whitfield, whose name is signed to the foregoing writing bearing date on the 7th day of November, 1914, has acknowledged the same before me in my city aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 7th day of November, 1914.

Mary V. Andrews, Notary Public.

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County

the 10th day of November, 1914-

This Renunciation of Will was presented, and, with the certificate annexed, admitted to record.

Sallie A.
Whitfield,
Renunciation
of Will of
Wm. E.
Whitfield