

State of North Carolina }
Brunswick County } Probate Court June 28th 1871

The due Execution of the foregoing will is proven before me the undersigned Judge of Probate for the County and State aforesaid by the oath and Examination of Thomas Samson and Joseph L. Thompson who after being duly sworn depose and say that they saw the testator sign the said will, that he acknowledged the same to be his will, and that they signed the same as witnesses, at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other.

Therefore let it be registered, together with this Certificate - Given under my hand at office, the day and date above written.

R. G. Cuthbert
Judge of Probate

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Personally appeared before me the undersigned Judge of Probate of the County aforesaid Wm. J. Sellers and S. D. Houston, who after being duly and legally sworn depose and say that they are the Executors named in the will of W. R. Sellers deceased - that the value of the testator's property is about Fifteen Hundred Dollars consisting of one fourth part of the Scho. Ware - one fourth lot in the Town of Southville - one fourth lot (the homestead) in Southville, and household and kitchen furniture.

That the names of the heirs are

John S. Sellers	(Grandson)	Residence in Southville
Elizabeth Sellers	(Widow)	" " "
W. J. Sellers	(Son)	" " "
Emma Sellers	(Daughter)	" " "
Ann Eliza Davis	"	" " "

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 28th June 1871

R. G. Cuthbert
Judge of Probate

S. D. Houston
Wm. J. Sellers

State of North Carolina }
Brunswick County } Probate Court June 6th 1871

I Dennis Cannon of said County and State being of sound mind and memory, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following to wit:

First

I give and devise unto my son James H. Cannon the tract of land wherein I now live with all the improvements thereon, containing one hundred and twenty five acres more or less to him the said James H. Cannon his heirs and assigns forever to have and to hold. I also give unto my son the said James H. Cannon one mule or horse, and the best Cart of which I am possessed at my death, and my will and desire is, that my said son James H. Cannon shall take care of and provide for his mother during her life or widowhood which care and provision shall be in law of her thirds and dower in all my real and personal estate, and for which purpose I have given to my son James H. Cannon aforesaid the largest share in my estate.

Second

I give and devise to my son John A. Cannon the tract of land wherein he now lives, which tract of land I have already conveyed to him the said John A. Cannon by deed and hereby confirm the same to him, his heirs and assigns forever to have and to hold.

Third

I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Ann now the wife of Simon Hewitt four head of Cattle to her and her heirs.

Fourth

I give and bequeath to my daughter Lucretia now the wife of W. S. Brille four head of Cattle to her and her heirs.

And lastly I do hereby nominate constitute will and appoint my sons James H. Cannon and John A. Cannon aforesaid executors of this my last will and testament to carry the same into effect according to the true intent and meaning of the same, hereby revoking all other and former wills by me at any time heretofore made.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the twenty first day of January A.D. 1871 Thomas and Legally Married

Seventy

Dennis ^{his} ~~mark~~ Cannon

Signed by the said Dennis Cannon and declared by him to be his last will and testament in our presence who in his presence and at his request have subscribed the same as witnesses

D K Bennette
Melissa Bennette

State of North Carolina {
Brunswick County { In Probate Court 6th June 1874

The due execution of the foregoing will is proved before me the undersigned Judge of Probate for the County and State aforesaid by the oath and examination of D K Bennette and Melissa Bennette, who after being duly sworn depose and say that they saw the testator sign the said will that he acknowledges the same to be his will, and that they signed the same as witnesses at his request in his presence, and in the presence of each other

Therefore let it be registered together with this Certificate - Given under my hand at office this day and date above written

Saml P Swann
Judge of Probate

State of North Carolina {
Brunswick County { In Probate Court June 6th 1874

Personally appeared before me the undersigned Judge of Probate of the County aforesaid James H Cannon and John H Cannon, who after being duly sworn depose and say that they are the Executors named in the will of Dennis Cannon deceased - that the value of the decedent's property is about Eleven hundred dollars, Consisting of 180 Acres of Land in Shalotte Township in the County aforesaid, One Mule - Ten head Cattle - About 20 head Hogs. Farming utensils Horse hold & kitchen furniture

That the heirs are Lucretia
A M wife of A S Burt residence Marion County South Carolina
Mary H C wife of Samson Hewitt residence Brunswick County
John H Cannon

James H Cannon residence Brunswick County

John H Cannon
James H ^{his} ~~mark~~ Cannon

Sworn to and Subscribed
before me this 6th day of
June 1874

Saml P Swann
Judge of Probate