

North Carolina,

Caston County.

I, Rufus L. Fite of the aforesaid county and state being of sound mind, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this my last will and testament.

First- My Executor hereinafter named shall give my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my friends and relatives, and pay all funeral expenses, together with all my just debts out of the first money which may come into his hands belonging to my estate;

Second- I give, and devise to my beloved wife E. A. Fite my entire real and personal property during her natural life, and at her death to be divided equally between my four children, William Fite, Arthur Rollins Fite, Alice Virginia Kaylor and Dora Lavinia McCorkle.

Third- I hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife E. A. Fite my lawful executor to all intents and purposes, to execute this my last will and testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills and testaments by me heretofore made,

In Witness Whereof, I the said Rufus L. Fite do hereunto set my hand and seal

this 22 day of Oct., 1915.

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R.L. Fite.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Rufus L. Fite to be his last will and testament in the presence of us, who at his Request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

J. D. Smith

W. A. Klutz.

State of North Carolina,

In the Superior Court.

Gaston County:

In the Matter of the last will of R.L. Fite-

It appearing to the Court by the oath and examination of J.D. Smith and W.A. Klutz the subscribing witnesses thereto, that the paper writing propounded by the Executor therein named, is the last will and testament of R.L. Fite and that the same was duly executed by said R.L. Fite in the presence of said witnesses and that at the time of signing the same the said R.L. Fite was of sound mind. It is thereupon adjudged that the said paper writing be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of the said R.L. Fite and the Executrix therein named qualify as such.

This the 18 day of September, 1916.

O. C. Cornwell, Clerk Superior Court.