

Will
of
F. J.
Randolph
Priest

I F. J. Randolph of Greene County and State of North Carolina do make and publish this my last will and testament. I give and dispose of my estate and property as follows, that is to say: I desire that all my lawful debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my death as possible.

Item 1.

I set apart for burial ground one half acre to include the present grave yard to be extended North and East as far as to get the necessary quantity, which ground shall be used for that particular purpose for all future time.

Item 3.

I give and bequeath to my wife Mary L. Randolph all the cleared land lying between the ditch on the North A. E. Denton's line and the ditch on the South of the building containing by estimation 15 acres more or less of cleared land, to have and to hold during her natural life. Also I give her the privilege to get firewood and rail timber off of any of the woodland but do not give her the right to sell any timber or wood.

Item 4.

I give and bequeath the balance of my real estate not already disposed of, to the lawful children of Thomas Litchworth and Elijah Parker, each child to have the same. I also select R. A. L. Carr as Guardian, without bond, for said children, and the said Litchworth and Parker are not to have any control over said property, and after the death of my wife Mary L. Randolph I desire the land given to her to be divided between the children of the said Thos. Litchworth and Elijah Parker as directed above and controlled as above.

Item 5.

I give and bequeath to my wife Mary L. Randolph all my personal property of whatever nature except one bedstead, bed and bed clothing which I wish my wife to give to Susan Summersell.

Item 6.

I hereby appoint and constitute my friend R. A. L. Carr sole executor of this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all other wills at any time heretofore made by me and do declare this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I the said F. J. Randolph have hereunto

set my hand this the 13th day of March 1891.

F. J. Randolph,
Signed, declared and published by the above named F. J. Randolph, as his last will and testament in the presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Witnesses =

W. A. Darden,
E. H. Hornaday, Md.

North Carolina } In the Superior Court
Greene County }

In the matter of the Will of
F. J. Randolph, dec'd:

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament is exhibited before me, John W. Blount, Clerk of the Superior Court of said County, by A. E. Denton, and R. A. L. Carr and Mary L. Randolph having renounced their respective rights as Executor and Administratrix; and it appearing to the Court by the oath and examination of W. A. Darden and E. H. Hornaday the subscribing witnesses thereto that the said paper writing is the last will and testament of the said F. J. Randolph, that he was of sound mind and memory, of full age, and otherwise fully competent to make a will, it is therefore adjudged that the same be admitted to probate, and that A. E. Denton qualify as Admin with the will annexed upon giving the necessary bond. This May 3rd 1893.

John W. Blount,
Clerk Superior Court