

J. C. Little's Will.

In the name of God amen:
I J. C. Little of the county of Lincoln, the State of N.E.,
being of sound mind and memory and knowing the uncertainty
of life and the certainty of death do make and declare this my
last Will and testament hereby declaring all wills and testaments
by me heretofore made to be null and void therefore that is to say

1st. I will and bequeath to my beloved wife lastly E. Little the tract
of land I now reside on joining the lands of James Carter,
Moses W. Sherrill and Robert A. Young containing one hundred acres
more or less also mi one sixth interest in the lands of my Dece^d
beloved father Huc Little containing $8\frac{1}{2}$ acres more or less a part
which lies on waters of what is known as Little's creek. The other
joining my former stated tract of lands, I now reside upon, and
also my part in my Mother's dower together with all life & black,
farming utensils and household and kitchen furniture, also all
other effects pertaining or belonging to the above stated tracts or
parts of tracts of land, and also my part of land and other
property of my Dece^d Sister, Nancy Little, also my negro woman
named Linda and her increase for her to do as she pleases with
the negro woman, if she should mind her and obey her, I allow
her to sell her if she can't make her mind her, also all other
effects not herein stated that may be found in my possession
also all book accounts and notes due me to be collected and after

named Linda and her increase for her to do as she pleases with
the negro woman, if she don't mind her and obey her, I allow
her to sell her if she can't make her mind her, also all other
effects not herein stated that may be found in my possession
also all book accounts and notes due me to be collected and after
my just debts and all have been paid I also will and bequeath
that my remains interred in the grave yard at Fairfield Church
and that a suitable slab be erected to my memory after all
the above bequeaths and all have been complied with, then I will
and bequeath all the within stated tracts of land and stock
to my beloved wife her life time, and at her death to be
equally divided between my children, I allow my wife Vazth E.
Little to do as she pleases with the negro woman sell her or keep
her, and my will is that she shall hold all the rest of my property
her life time, and then at her death be equally divided among
my children, and lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint as my
lawful executor, and executrix, my friend W. W. Monday Esq, and
my beloved wife Vazth E. Little to Execute this my last will
and Testament to all intents and purposes, and doe in their presence
hunto sed my hand and Seal this the 2^d day of January A.D. 1864

Wm. W. Monday
William Little

J. C. Little