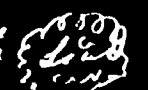


Equal portions of my estate Finally I make and bequeath
this as my last will & Testament in Testimony whereof
I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 20th day of
September A.D. 1892

William Smith 

Signature sealed and published and declared by the
said Testator to be his last will & Testament in
presence of

William Carson

For H. Wilson & Co. Clerk I constitute and
appoint my son Franklin L. Smith sole executor
of this my last will and Testament in Testimony
whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and
affixed my seal this 19th day of October 1892

William Smith 

State of North Carolina
Cherokee County

Witness all men by these presents

That I James L. Vance of the County & State aforesaid
being in a low State of Health and of sound disposing
mind & memory calling to mind the mortality of man
do make & declare this my last will and Testament

First My will is that my body be buried in a Christian
like manner 2nd I desire that all my just debts be
paid the balance of my property I will and bequeath
in the following manner viz -

3rd My will is that my plantation on Stark creek be sold
on a credit of twelve months and the proceeds of said
sale I wish Equally divided between Aunt Margaret
Spott & Uncle James P. McKee to them & their heirs forever

4th I will & bequeath to Uncle James P. McKee a note of
hand I hold on him due 21st Decr. 1892 for the sum of

- hundred & Twenty five Cents with the
 interest thereon to him & his heirs forever —
- 5th I Will & bequeath to Cousin Elizabeth Campbell my negro
 woman Rody & her two youngest children Joe and
 Adeline to her & her heirs forever —
- 6th I Will & bequeath to Cousin Jane Campbell my negro
 girl Minnie & her infant child & their future increase
 to her & her heirs forever —
- 7th I Will & bequeath to Cousin Herbert Yates my negro
 boy George to her & her heirs forever —
- 8th I Will & bequeath to Cousin William Campbell my
 negro boy Daniel to him & his heirs forever —
- 9th I Will & bequeath to Cousin John D Campbell three hundred
 Dollars out of notes I have on hand to him & his heirs
 forever and also my silver watch —
- 10th I Will & bequeath to Cousin Andrew M Campbell —
 three hundred dollars out of the notes I have on hand
 to him & his heirs forever —
- 11th I Will & bequeath to Cousin Robert M Campbell three
 hundred dollars out of notes due to me to him
 and his heirs forever —
- 12th I Will & bequeath to Cousin Robert R Taylor the proceeds
 of the sale of my horse saddle & bridle to him & his heirs forever —
- 13th I Will & bequeath to Cousin John D Smith the amount of
 the two notes due to William Campbell Dec^d my former
 Guardian amounting to ~~three~~ hundred & fifty dollars —
 with interest to him & his heirs forever & also one
 hundred & fifty out of the monies due to me from
 the estate of William Campbell Dec^d —
- 14th I Will & bequeath to Cousin Charles T Walker
 two hundred dollars out of the monies due to me
 from William Campbell dec^d my former Guardian
 to her & her heirs forever —

15th My Will is that the Balance of the Monies due to my Estate after paying the above mentioned Legacies and all just debts (if any) be equally divided between my Three Cousins Mary M Campbell, Jesse C Campbell & Harriet B Yates Share & Share Equally.

16th I constitute & appoint Joseph L Smith Executor to this my last Will & Testament. Given under my hand & Seal this 6th day of ~~November~~ ^{December} in the Year of our Lord 1832.

Mich^l O'Reilly
Benjⁿ R Smith

James L Vance

I have omitted in the above Will to dispose of my negro girl Eliza my Will is that she be given to Cousin Harriet Yates to her then heirs forever. And my Will is also that my Executor cause to be procured three Marble head Stones with suitable Inscriptions to be set one at the head of my Father William Vance; one at my Brother Robert L Vance's and one at my own head & the expense of the same to be paid by my Executor out of my Estate, & my Will is further that this be done in addition to this my last Will & Testament be taken as a part of this same Given under my hand & Seal this 6th day of Dec^r 1832.

Mich^l O'Reilly
Benjⁿ R Smith

James L Vance