

Last Will & Testament of Mary Knight Dec.

I Mary Knight of the State of North Carolina and County of Pitt. being of sound mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made

First, I desire that my body be decently interred, and to such worldly estate as it has pleased God to intrust me with I dispose of the same as follows.

2nd I desire that all my just debts and burial expenses be paid as soon after my deceased as possible, out of ~~any~~ monies that shall come into the hands of my executor from any portion of my estate.

3rd I give and bequeath to Rebecca Brown daughter of Littlebury Brown the Sum of Twenty five Dollars, to her and her heirs forever.

4th I give and bequeath to Mary Brown daughter of Littlebury Brown the sum of Twenty five Dollars to her and her heirs forever.

5th I give and bequeath to Martha Brown daughter of Littlebury Brown the Sum of Twenty five Dollars to her and her heirs forever.

6th I give and bequeath to Lydia Brown daughter of Littlebury Brown the Sum of Twenty five Dollars to her and her heirs forever.

7th I give and bequeath to Joseph Brown son of Littlebury Brown the Sum of Twenty five Dollars to him and his heirs forever.

8th I give and bequeath to Gray Brown son of Littlebury Brown the Sum of Twenty five Dollars to him and his heirs forever.

9th I give and bequeath to my beloved brother Ollen Cobb all the residue of my estate.

And I do hereby appoint my brother Ollen Cobb Executor of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I Mary Knight the Testator have to this my last will set my hand seal this 10th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty four

Signed & sealed in the

Mary ^{her} Knight ^{Seal}
mark

presence of us

Howel ^{her} Thomas

Henry Stancill ^{mark}

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary Knight dec^d was produced in open Court by Ollen Cobb the person named as executor therein, when Henry Stancill and Howel Thomas the two subscribing witnesses to the same were duly sworn and deposed that said paper writing was signed by the said Mary Knight in their presence and declared by her to be her will, that at the time she was of sound mind and memory, and that they signed the same as witnesses in the presence of said testatrix and at her request. The Court then ~~has~~ declared that said will had been proved in due form of law and was ordered to be recorded and filed. At the same time Ollen Cobb came into Court and duly qualified as executor to said will. The Court declares the value of the estate to be six hundred Dollars

J. A. D. May Clerk