

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. )

PICKENS DISTRICT. )

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IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:

I, Demsey Yow of the State and District aforesaid, being of sound mind and memory, but aware of the uncertainty of life, do make, constitute and declare this to be my last will and testament.

ITEM 1. I desire all my just debts to be paid.

ITEM 2. I give and bequeath One thousand dollars to my daughter Elizabeth Yow on the express condition that she shall surrender to me in my lifetime or to my Executrix after my death, any and all instruments of writing in her possession purporting to have been signed by me, and especially an obligation for fifteen hundred dollars payable at my death. And if she refuses to surrender this paper, then she is to receive nothing from my estate.

ITEM 3. I do hereby give, bequeath and devise all the residue of my estate, real and personal, to my beloved wife Mary E. Yow to her and her heirs forever.

ITEM 4th. I think and believe that my son Thomas Yow is not entitled to any further part of my estate - and I believe that his treatment to me, will justify me, before the world for the present disposition of my estate.

ITEM 5. I hereby revoke and annul all wills or testaments heretofore made by me.

ITEM 6. I do hereby constitute and appoint my wife Mary E. Yow my sole Executrix of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty-eighth day of September Anno Domini One thousand eight hundred and sixty.

Signed sealed acknowledged and published as the last will and testament of Demsey Yow in presence of

DEMSEY YOW. (L.S.)

C. H. SPEARS.  
LEONARD TOWERS.  
JOHN W. F. THOMPSON.

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