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I give and bequeath to Wm Dykes the note of sixty dollars which I hold against him.

6th

The balance due me on the note made by Taylor Dux, amounting to about eighty dollars, I direct that twenty five dollars of the same be collected and paid to Andrew Dux after which the said note to be cancelled and surrendered to Taylor Dux,

7th

I will and bequeath my nephew James Evans five hundred dollars, and to my niece Martha Evans five hundred dollars.

8th

I will and devise to Noah Humphrey the farm situated in the 3rd district of Blount County, Tennessee, where Thomas B. Whitehead now resides and known as the Thomas B. Whitehead farm and the same conveyed to me by J. W. Coulton, Trustee. I direct Thomas B. Whitehead be allowed to live on said farm during his life, provided he pays said Humphrey a rental of twenty dollars a year and keeps the taxes paid on said farm.

9th

I will and bequeath the remainder of my estate both real and personal to the following named persons and in the manner designated: To Cytha Delozier a one sixth interest; to W. B. Clark a one sixth interest; to Ben Clark a one sixth interest; to Tennessee McMurry a one sixth interest; to George Belack's children a one sixth interest; to Nancy Johnson's children a one sixth interest, being to my brother and sisters and their children as herein set forth;

10th

I nominate and appoint B. J. Clark, son of my brother W. B. Clark, to be Executor of this my last will and testament, Given under my hand this the 6th day of October, 1896.

Witness

J. C. Clark.

Sam P. Rowan

James Delozier

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Smiles

I, Geo. Smider now going into my eightieth year feeble in body but of sound mind do make this my last will and testament hereby revoking any and all wills by me at any time made.

1st I give my soul to God who gave me existence

2nd I will that my body be decently buried after my decease and that my funeral expenses be paid out of any money that may be on hand or the first that shall come into the hands of my executor.

3rd It is my will that all my just debts be paid as soon after my decease as possible

4th I give to my wife my land where I now live together with all my household and kitchen furniture stock cash notes and everything I possess in the world except stutches as I shall hereafter mention to hold and use as she my ex. prope. during her lifetime or widowhood.

5th After the death of my wife I will that my land be given to my son John M. Smider.

6th My land known as the Waters Mill property I give to my son W. R. Smider, or I may sell it and give him the proceeds of the sale.

7th I will that my land where my son John M. Smider now lives known as the Sam Smider farm be sold at public or private sale as my executor may think best and the proceeds of the sale be given to my two daughters, two thirds to Amanda E. Webb and one third Mary E. Henry.

8th After the decease of my wife I will that all the property that she has not made use of be sold and equally divided between my six children or divided as they may think best.

9th I hereby constitute and appoint my son John M. Smider my Executor of this my last will and that it is my will that he settle the estate without any charge for his services only the usual fees &c.

In testimony whereof I have signed my name this 23rd day of July 1894.

Test: Josias Gaubler.

James M. Williams