

This is the last will & Testament of Thompson G. Smith

I want all of my debts paid including my burial expenses - After which I desire my wife to have all the remainder of my personal and real estate for the purpose of educating & raising my children, having full control of same for that purpose - In the event she should marry, then I desire that all my property should be sold & equally divided among my children & my wife - she - my wife coming in as equal heir with my children in the proceeds of sale of my property. Out of the money now on hand, I wish Billy Moore to be paid at once Twenty Dollars, Mr Thomas House Seven dollars & furniture Cents - Mr Cook the amount of fourteen dollars & seven cents being the amount for paint &c used on my house, also ~~omit~~ Billy Hunt an item for cutting up corn I appoint James C. Partolt my Executor, and also my wife Executrix of this my last will and Testament.

This September 26th 1880. Thompson G. Smith

We the undersigned witnesses at the request of Thompson G. Smith and in the presence of each other hereby attest the signing of the above will, which was done in our presence this 26th day of September 1880.


B. J. Castiel
A. N. Warfield
Jas C Hartford



State of Missouri
County of DeKalb, ss.

In the Probate Court

I, Jas. S. Stevens Judge & Ex Officio Clerk of the Probate Court of DeKalb County, State of Missouri having examined the foregoing instrument of purporting to be the last will of Thompson G. Smith deceased, and signed by Thompson G. Smith, and having heard the testimony of Benjamin J. Castiel and James C. Hartford subscribing witnesses thereto in relation to the execution of the same, do declare & adjudge said instrument to be the last will and Testament of the said Thompson G. Smith deceased, late of DeKalb County Missouri. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Office in Waycross this fourth day of October 1880.

 Jas. S. Stevens
Judge & Ex Officio Clerk of Probate Court

Filed for Record Oct. 4th 1880 & recorded Oct. 5th 1880.

J. S. Stevens
Judge & Ex Officio Clerk Probate Court.