

Ordnance 1 if he should live to be 21 years old or have a Lawfull heir, but in the event of his death before he becomes 21 years old, the said Land to be divided between W^m Nicholas Sebrell and Benjamin W. Sebrell, but if either one should die before they are 21 years old the other one to have all of the said Land. I also give John A. Sebrell one negro man Dany, one feather Bed & furniture and give him one dollar in money and one negro woman Nelly to him and his heirs forever.

5th I give and bequeath unto my son Benjamin W. Sebrell the plantation where on I formerly live called Rose Dale with all the balance of my lands that I have not disposed off in case he lives to become 21 years old or has a lawfull heir but if he should die before he becomes 21 years old the said plantation to be given unto W^m Nicholas Sebrell and John W. Sebrell, but if either one should die before he becomes 21 years old the other one to have the plantation &c. I also give unto my son Benjamin W. Sebrell one negro Boy Henry, one man Leman and give him one dollar in money to him and his heirs forever.

6th I give and bequeath unto my daughter Caroline R. Bishop one negro woman Sam and one feather Bed and furniture to her and heirs forever.

7th I wish and desire in that my Books be divided equally between my five sons as they shall best of right.

8th I wish and desire that all of the balance of my property that I have not disposed of be sold by my Executors which I shall name below and after paying all my just debts and expenses be equally divided between my eight children that is today. One 8th to Maria Louisa Briggs, one 8th to Ann Mason Corbett, one 8th to Caroline R. Bishop, one 8th to James E. Sebrell one 8th to George W. Sebrell one 8th to W^m Nicholas Sebrell, one 8th to John Nathl Sebrell and one 8th to Benjamin W. Sebrell to them and their heirs forever.

9th I appoint in this my last will and testament my son James E. Sebrell my Executor and wish him to qualify without giving security. Witness under my hand and Seal this 23rd day of August 1856.

W^m Sebrell

W^m J. Sebrell (Seal)

James A. Sebrell
W^m D. Westbrook
John James

At a Court held for the County of Southampton, the 30th day of July 1857
The last will & testament of W^m Nicholas J. Sebrell dec^d was proved by the oath of James A. Sebrell, W^m D. Westbrook and John James, the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of James E. Sebrell the Executor therein named who made oath and entered into a acknowledgement about (the will requesting him to be permitted to qualify without giving security and the Court requiring none) and the penalty of thirty three and Dollars evidenced as the law directs Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.

Teste.

L. R. Edwards, C. C.

The estate of Elizabeth Smith Dec^d.

Sett account with Martha Smith, her Administrator

1852		D ^s	C ^t
	By cash from sales of personal estate		100339
	By Commissions on \$1002.39 at 5 per cent	50 11	
	By paid Taxes and Exh. Costs	4 38	