Eleanor Carrol Simms

(-20 Feb 1846)

Simms. Yesterday at the residence of Capt. Forrest, Mrs. Eleanor Carrol Simms, relict of the late John D. Simms. The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral on Monday next at 1 o'clock p.m.

Will of Simms, Eleanor C., of D.C. (dtd. Oct. 23, 1845, probated March 6, 1846; Book 6, pp. 71-72, O.S. 2632; Box 18)

To daughter Nancy D. Johnson, \$1,000 which I loaned her husband Richard D. Johnson, he continuing to pay interest to my Exr. For benefit of son Richard N. Simms until he is able to do without it; to Nancy an additional \$1,000 in stock in Washington City, \$1,100 in Ohio 6 percent stock; balance of stock and other property to son R.N. Simms.

If suit now pending in court of Chancery in Va., wherein W. Brent, Jr. is plaintiff and J.D. Simms and Eleanor C. his wife are defendants be decided in my favor, then daughter Nancy may have her choice of three negroes and ½ of proceeds from hire of negroes.

Nothing to sons John and Charles, they being well provided for; Richard has to finish his education; step-daughter is in affluent circumstances; remainder to daughter Nancy.

Exr.: French Forrest, son-in-law; guardian of son R.N. Simms

Wits.: Moreau Forrest, William B. Scott; Emily D. Forrest