

Last Will & Testament

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, DAVIDSON COUNTY,
 CITY OF LEXINGTON, LEXINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
 WE, THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1948, considering ourselves the best class ever to enter, leave, or otherwise come in contact with the finest school in this fair land, and having waded through geometry, Latin, French, "A Midsummer Night's Dream," "Silas Marner," history contracts, and "Macbeth," and being still in sound body and excellent mind, do hereby declare this to be our last will and testament to be executed in the following order:

Article I. To the Faculty

Item I. To our esteemed principal, Mr. Wike, we leave all the admiration that our little hearts can muster and leave the halls ringing with our shouts of gratitude for his guidance.

Item II. To Mrs. Hedrick we leave three sheets of sandpaper and a bottle of furniture polish to keep her desks looking like new, and our thanks for her kind leadership through our last year in high school.

Item III. To Miss Manning we leave a North Carolina "Chevvy" license so that she will be in style.

Item IV. To Coaches Maus and Gaddy we leave hopes for the South Piedmont Conference.

Item V. To Miss Pugh we leave a new character to replace "Monsieur Jesse".

Item VI. To Mrs. Lewis we leave a Dramatics Club Constitution.

Item VII. To Mr. Leonard we leave the hope for a bigger, better, and stronger Student Government.

Item VIII. To Sally Griffin we leave the hope that she won't have anyone like Tommy Young, Bob Hendricks, I. M. Leonard and yours truly to pester her during every period of the day and keep her from balancing the books.

Item IX. To teachers, in general, we leave more and better students.

Article II. To the Classes

Item I. On June 6, we leave this building, our autographed seats, our honored caps and gowns, plus our senior class privileges?? We also leave "Macbeth" (Heaven forbid) to the Senior Class of '48-'49.

Item II. To the Sophomores we leave notebooks and lots of pencils and paper on which to do their history contracts.

Item III. To the Freshmen we leave that important "high school feeling."

Item IV. To the Eighth grades we leave the hope of some day becoming Seniors.

Item V. To the classes as a whole we leave our undying love for L.H.S.

Article III. To the Individuals

Item I. Tommy "Lord Salisbury" Young leaves the LEXHIPEP (may heaven bless it) to Joanne Koonts.

Item II. Martha Cox leaves her straight A report cards to Olivia Coggins.

Item III. Bob Hendricks leaves his political ability to any one who can manage to get a sufficient number of votes.

Item IV. Zack Taylor leaves his good lucks to Bill Eanes.

Item V. John Raker leaves his long hair to Robert Jenkins.

Item VI. Martha Harbinson gives her ability to talk to Agnes Wilson.

Item VII. Nancy Witherspoon wills her brain to anyone who can handle it and not explode.

Item VIII. T. D. Stokes leaves to "Nathe" whatever "It" is that was left to him by Bill Hedrick, that started with "Dirty" Everhart.

Item IX. Foy Owen gives his managership and ability in the shop to "Bubber" Gambrell.

Item X. Sam Everhart and "Stinky" Gibson leave their offices in the Lower X to Jimmy Dan Redwine and J. L. Peeler.

Item XI. Isabel Essick surrenders her quiet, efficient ways to Mary Oowtin.

Item XII. "Monk" Mathis bequeaths his overalls, the dirty things, to Jim Dillon.

Item XIII. Bob Holmes regretfully leaves "Teenie".

Item XIV. Mary Ann Hartzog wills her sunny disposition to Jane Strelitz.

Item XV. Betsy Sink leaves her wit, too . . .

Item XVI. "Peahead" Price leaves his athletic ability and loud clothes to "Cootie" White.

Item XVII. Benny Walser presents his sportsmanship to Bob Kepley.

Item XVIII. Doug Gosnell, I. M. Leonard, and Jim Poston give their places in the quartet to Don Leonard, Joe Honeycutt and Jimmy Plott.

Item XIX. Bill Palmer bestows his disposition on "Tubba" Craver (beautiful name).

Item XX. Betty Anne Wall surrenders her popularity to Carolyn Swing.

Item XXI. Mozell Perrell gives her good looks to her little sister.

ITEM XXII. Johnny Bivings, Johnny Newell, Hardrock, and Edgar Swing, with a great amount of noise, leave. Joy! Joy!!

Written, witnessed, signed, sealed, and delivered this 2nd day of January, anno domini, one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight.

DOUG CRAVER, Testator

Witnesses:
 President, ZACK TAYLOR
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