

RECORD OF WILLS.

It appearing to the Court by the oath and examination of L. T. Beatty and E. C. Bannerman the subscribing witnesses thereto, that the paper writing propounded by the executor therein named is the last will and testament of Rachel Ann Readwell and that the same was duly executed by said Rachel Ann Readwell in the presence of said witnesses and that at the time of signing the same the said Rachel Ann Readwell was of sound mind It is thereupon adjudged that the said paper writing be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of the said Rachel Ann Readwell and the executor therein named qualify as such.

Thus the 27th day of July 1891

Geo. F. McElvin,
Clerk Superior Court.

Will of
Abram Page

State of North Carolina)
Gladwin County

I Abram Page of said county and State being of sound mind and memory but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say:

1st

That my executor hereinafter named shall provide for my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of relatives and friends and pay all funeral expenses together with any just debts however and to whomsoever owing out of the moneys that may first come into his hands as a part or parcel of my estate.

2nd

I give and bequeath to my daughter Ellen Smith twenty-five dollars

3rd

I give and bequeath to my daughter Laura Peterson twenty-five dollars

4th

I give and bequeath to my daughter Amanda Norris twenty-five dollars.

5th

I give and bequeath to my daughter Emma Page twenty-five dollars.

6th

I have already given to my daughter Anna McDaniel twenty-five dollars hence she has no lot or part in my estate after my death except as hereinafter

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provided in clause 5th

7th

I give and bequeath to my son W. C. Page that tract of land wherein I now reside containing 107 acres more or less together with all the buildings and improvements thereon

8th

My will and desire is that all my personal property be sold and that the debts owing to me be collected and if there be any surplus over and above the payment of debts, expenses and legacies that such surplus shall be equally divided between my wife and all my children in equal portion share and share alike to them and every one of them, their executors and assigns.

9th

My will is that my wife Sarah in case she shall be living shall enjoy a lifetime estate in my real estate and that my son W. C. Page shall secure to her a comfortable living. And lastly I do hereby constitute my friend Charles P. Parker my lawful executor to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same.

In witness whereof I said Abram Page do hereunto set my hand and seal this 10th day of November 1886

Signed sealed published and

declared by the said Abram Page to be his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

W. J. Parker

A. A. Cromartie.

State of North Carolina) Dr. Superior Court
Gladwin County

In the matter of the last will of Abram Page: It appearing to the Court by the oath and examination of W. J. Parker and A. A. Cromartie the subscribing witnesses thereto that the paper writing propounded by the executor therein named is the last will and testament of Abram Page, and that the same was duly executed by the said Abram Page in the presence of said witnesses and that at the time of signing the same the said Abram Page was of sound mind It is thereupon adjudged that the said paper writing be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of the said Abram Page and the executor therein named qualify as such.

Thus the 10th day of Nov. 1886 Geo. F. McElvin C. S. C.