

RECORD OF WILLS.

and sealed thereof.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal. This 27th day of May Anno Domini 1847.

Executed in presence of: James Gillespie Seal
C. G. Wright
Orrin Graham
J. A. D. McDonell

North Carolina August Term A.D. 1847-
Bladen County

The foregoing paper writing purporting to be the
last Will and Testament of James Gillespie, was
exhibited in open Court and duly proved by the
oaths of Thos. A. D. McDonell and Orrin Graham
the subscribing witnesses to the same, as the last
Will and Testament of the said Gillespie, at the
same time Joseph Gillespie and Susan Gillespie
the Executor and Executrix therein named, in open
Court renounced the Executorship of said Will.
then Richard Gillespie, the other Executor therein
named, was duly qualified as sole Executor to
the said last Will and Testament.

H. H. Robinson
"Clerk"

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In the Name of God "Amen"

I Dugald Ray of Bladen County and State of North
Carolina being weak in body but of sound mind and
memory. Blessed be God do this 11th day of May one
thousand eight hundred and forty, make and publish the
my last Will and Testament - revoking all former wills
by me made, in manner following - viz -

It is my Will and desire that all my just
debts shall be paid.

I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Margaret
Ray, and her heirs forever, all of the remainder of
my property, after my just debts are paid, viz -
my three negroes Sam. Litchon and Frank, all my
Cattle Hogs, Plantation tools Horsehold and Kitchen
furniture.

I appoint my beloved wife Margaret Ray Exec-
utrix to this my last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed my seal, the day and date first above
written.

Given sealed and delivered Dugald Ray Seal
In presence of us,
Orrin McDonell
Wm. M. Carr.

February Term 1848 -

This Will was proved by the oaths of Archibald
McCall and H. H. Robinson and ordered to be
registered in the Book of Wills, and Margaret
Ray qualified as Executrix thereon.

H. H. Robinson.
"Clerk"