

State of North Carolina
Bladen County
December 22nd 1870.

In the name of God "Amen"

I John McMillan of the State and County aforesaid being and feeling weak and infirm of body but of sound mind and judgment thanks be to God do make and publish this my last will and Testament with which I feel myself ready and amply satisfied and.

First I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Anna McDaniel my lot in Elizabethtown No 53 with all its improvements ways Minerals waters water courses and whatsoever to the same belongs to her and her heirs forever.

I also give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Anna McDaniel one hundred and forty acres of land lying on the east side of the Creek Next River joining Mr Purdie's land and I likewise give and bequeath unto my daughter Anna McDaniel my half of a tract of land lying on the east side of Creek Next River joining the King's Branch and formerly from Margaret Jones by Mr Purdie her husband and myself to her and her heirs forever.

I also give and bequeath unto my daughter Anna McDaniel a certain negro girl now in her possession named Milly together with her child Elias and all their future increase and I give unto my grand daughter Margaret J. Richardson my negro girl named Lucy with all her future increase further I give unto my son in law Duncan McDaniel and unto my son John McMillan three lots in Elizabethtown containing as follows 65-64- and 100. and all the lands that I own on the Brown Marsh joining Dugel and

I also give and bequeath to my son in law John McDaniel and to John McMillan my son my negro girls Mary and Isabella now in possession of James P. McRae with all their future increase and likewise my negro girls Lydia and

the above property viz: That given to my two sons Duncan McDaniel and John McMillan in common I give in trust only to be applied to the sole use and benefit of my daughter Margaret McDaniel her present children and all her future issue and further I give unto my son John McMillan known by the name of State Park with all the lands adjoining the same together with the land wherein I live with the Maurice Stone and all other houses thereto appertaining.

I also give unto my son John McMillan the half of a lot in Elizabethtown on the East corner next the Court Stone bought between James S. Purdie and myself.

I also give unto my son John McMillan all my household and kitchen furniture of every description together with all my stock of every kind consisting of horses cattle Sheep and Hogs and all my Farming utensils

I also give unto my son John McMillan my negroes Cudner Joe Bill Jack John Sam Nelson Jim Davis Scott Bess Erdine Hayes Molsey with all their future increase to him and his heirs forever.

I also give and bequeath unto my son John McMillan my house and lot in Wilmington on Market Street to him and his heirs forever.

I also give unto my son John McMillan all the notes and accounts I hold against any persons or persons whatsoever. So my son John McMillan must solely and alone pay all my debts out of his portion.

I also give unto my daughter Anna McDaniel my lot in Wilmington on Dock Street to her and her heirs forever.

I also give unto my daughter Anna McDaniel a piece of land containing three hundred acres lying on the Main Road leading from Wilmington to Fayetteville joining Patrick Smarties land near Cypress Creek in which John McMillan School Master now lies to her and her heirs forever.

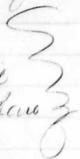
I also give unto my daughter Anna McDaniel a piece of land lying on Penn Bull containing on which Jacob Tatums now lies to its use to

RECORD OF WILLS.

Margaret Jane Chickerton my Grand daughter
and I hereby duly appoint my Son Mr. M'Nillan
Executor to this my last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal the day and year above written
Signed and sealed

On purpose of

James Campbell  John McMillan and
Daniel McRitchie 

In the Name of God. Amen

Knowing that it is appointed for all men once
to die bodily make in body but in perfect mind
and memory. Thank God for the same and in
what foretold goes it hath pleased God to bless
me with it is my wish to dispose of as follows.
viz. First it is my will that my funeral ex-
penses and just debts be paid.

I give and bequeath to my Son John St.
Singletary with some exceptions here after named
the one moiety of the land & now live on and the
Cattle that has given to him by his Grand Father
John Hester, also twenty five acres back of Mikeson
Lake

Item. I give and bequeath to my Son Ephriam
Singletary two hundred acres of land on the
Rayford Branch and the cattle given to him by
his uncle Ephriam Hester.

I give and bequeath unto my Son Thomas Singletary
two hundred of land on Harrison's Lake also
thirty five acres back of where I now live

I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Sing-
letary a negro boy named Chris.

I give and bequeath unto my daughter Hannah
Singletary a negro boy named Peter.

Item

I give and bequeath to my daughter and Son
Daniel M. Singletary the one moiety of the land whereof
& now live, also twenty acres on the bank of Mikeson
Lake. my Son St Singletary is to support and educate
my Son Daniel Singletary until he arrives at the age
of twenty one years and if the said John St Singletary
fails to comply with any will my Son Daniel is to be
taken by my Executors from him the said John St.
Singletary and claim from him the said John St.
Singletary a sufficiency for his education and Support
are my property now owned or left as Legacies to be used
by my Executors. and the money arising from the sale
is to go towards giving my children here after named
an equal share of education viz. John St Singletary Ephriam
Singletary Thomas Singletary Mary Singletary andannah
Singletary of any kind remain to be equally divided
between all my children John Ephriam Thomas Mary
Hannah and Daniel.

I constitute and appoint my worthy friends William
Robison John Neely and John St Singletary Executors
of this my last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal the 10th day of April 1873.

Test. 
James Campbell  his
Morris Summer  son
John Davis  son

State of North Carolina 
Adam Davis of S. Thomas Singletary above
said do make this a Codicil to my last Will and
Testament which is to say.

Article first I will and bequeath unto my wife
Jane Singletary and Jane Wilson whom I have
married since the making of the Will to which
this Codicil is annexed one Cow and Calf ten
Doms and Pigs together with all the property both
real and personal that came to her by me on my
intemarriage with the said Jane Wilson

Article second I will and bequeath unto my
Son Thomas Singletary one hundred acres of land