

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF DOUGHERTY

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MRS. W. J. DAVIS

I, Mrs. W.J.Davis of Wilmington, New Hanover County, North Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all wills heretofore made by me.

1.

I wish my executor or executrix, as soon as possible after me death, to pay my debts, and I authorize him or her to sell any of my property at public or private sale, as he or she may see fit, without authority or order of court.

2.

I give to my beloved daughter, Alma Davis Westbrook, and to my beloved son, D.H. Davis, all of my property, both real and personal, wherever located, under the following divisions: Fourfifths of my estate to my daughter, and one-fifth of my estate to my son.

3.

My executor or executrix is not required to give any bond or make return to any court.

4.

I constitute and appoint Alma Davis Westbrook, my daughter, as the sole executrix of my estate under the above revision. In the event of the inability for any reason for my daughter, Alma Davis Westbrook, to qualify and act as executrix of my estate, in this event I constitute and appoint my brother, Calvin D. Gore, as the sole executor of my estate.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand, this 9th day of May, 1934.
(SEAL)

Mrs. W.J.Davis

Signed, sealed, and published by Mrs. W.J.Davis as her last will and testament, in the presence of us, the undersigned, who subscribe our names hereto as witnesses at the instance and request of said testatrix, and in her presence and in the presence of each other.

This 9th day of May, 1934.

Esther Hind

Mrs. D.C. Sanders

J.B.Lanier

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA :
COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER :

I, T.A.HENDERSON, Clerk of the Superior Court of the aforesaid State and County, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Last Will and Testament of Mrs. W.J.Davis, deceased, as the same is taken from and compared with the original on file in this office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 17th day of June, A.D., 1942.

T. A. Henderson
CLERK SUPERIOR COURT
NEW HANOVER COUNTY

(SEAL)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA :
COUNTY OF BRUNSWICK :
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
R. L. BLAND

I, R.L.BLAND, of the aforesaid County and State, being of sound mind, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make and declare this my Last Will and Testament.

FIRST: My executor, hereinafter named, shall give my body a decent burial, suitable to the wishes of my friends and relatives, and pay all funeral expenses, together with all my just debts, out of the first moneys which may come into his hands belonging to my estate.

SECOND: I give and devise to Ceasar Hardy that portion of my seashore place which lies on the east side of the road which leads from Theodore Pierce's home to the Bland Landing, and including Landing.

THIRD: I give, devise and bequeath to my beloved nephew, Ernest Parker, all of my property, both real and personal, of whatsoever nature, wheresoever situate, of which I may be seized and possessed, except my home and one acre of land upon which my home is now erected, and the tract of land which I have devised to Ceasar Hardy. This gift and devise is made upon the condition, however, that my beloved nephew shall pay all of my debts and expenses as fully set forth in the first paragraph of this Will.

FOURTH: I hereby constitute and appoint my beloved nephew, Ernest 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 and every part or clause thereof, hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the said R. L. Bland, do hereunto set my hand, and seal, this the 30 day of May, 1942.

R. L. Bland (SEAL)

his X mark
By Dr. J. W. Hayes

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by R. L. Bland to be his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence, do subscribe our hands as witnesses thereto.

J. W. Hayes, Md. (SEAL)

Frederick Mintz (SEAL)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA)
BRUNSWICK COUNTY,) SS. IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, BEFORE THE CLERK,

A paper-writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of R. L. Bland, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said county, by Ernest Parker the executor therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said Ernest Parker is proved by the oath and examination of J. W. Hayes MD and Frederick Mintz, the subscribing witness thereto, who being duly sworn do depose and say, and each for him, if depose and saith, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper-writing now shown him, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of R. L. Bland; that the said R. L. Bland, in the presence of this deponent, subscribed his name at the end of said paper-writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 30th day of May, 1942.

AND THE DEPONENT FURTHER SAITH, That the said R. L. Bland the testator aforesaid, did, at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid, declare the said paper writing so subscribed by him and exhibited to be his last Will and Testament, and this deponent did thereupon subscribe his name at the end of said Will, as an attesting witness thereto and at the request and in the presence of said testator. And this deponent further saith that at the same time when the said testator subscribed his name to the said last Will as aforesaid, and at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said R. L. Bland was of sound mind and memory of full age to execute a Will, and was not under any restraint, to the knowledge, information or belief of this deponent: And further these deponents say not.

Severally sworn and subscribed, this 25th day of July, 1942, before me.

S. T. Bennett
Clerk Superior Court

J. W. Hayes, Md.