

State of North Carolina }
 Pitt County }

I E.A. Mays Clerk of the Superior Court in and for the County afore said do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the last Will and Testament of Louis C. Gaylord read of record and on file in my Office and of the Certificate of probate to same In testimony whereof I write my hand and Official Seal this the 22nd day of October 1895.

E.A. Mays
 Clerk Superior Court

- I John W. Gaylord of Lee Mills town Ship Washington County N.C. being of sound mind and memory do Make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament viz. I desire to be buried in St. Luke's Churchyard by the side of my wife and that plain marble stones with the usual inscriptions be placed at each of our graves.
- Item I I desire that with the money collected on my life insurance policies all my burial expenses be paid together with all my other just indebtedness especially that to H.L. Spurred by that the mortgage on my farm held by him be canceled.
- Item II I give to my daughter Mable C. Morris one hundred dollars.
- Item IV My Son John H. Gaylord having already had an equitable share of my effects, I give him one dollar.
- Item V I give to my Son Lyman W. Gaylord my farm on condition that he furnish a home and reasonable support for my daughter Martha L. Gaylord and Minnie Gaylord during their natural lives, or until they marry, and also that he shall furnish the same to my daughter Mable C. Morris in case she should ever be in need of the same.
- Item VI All the rest and residue of my estate real and personal & mixed money, goods & chattels of every description I give to my three young children Martha L. Minnie, and Lyman W. Gaylord, to be equally divided among them.
- Item VII I appoint my Brother C. A. B. Gaylord executor of this my last Will and Testament and guardian for my minor children. In testimony whereof I here to set my hand and seal on the 9th day of September 1895.
- Signed & sealed in presence of }
 John H. Clarke }
 C. F. Windley }
- John W. Gaylord Seal

State of North Carolina } SS in the Superior Court
 Washington County }
 A paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John W. Gaylord deceased is exhibited before me and I am under signed Clerk of the Superior Court for said County by C. A. B. Gaylord the executor therein mentioned and the due executor thereof by the said John W. Gaylord

Originally appeared C. A. B. Gaylord of the executor named in said will
 & been subscribed to the court from a copy of the will & letters were sent to him
 10 day of Nov. 1895. J. F. Munnice

