

Then I do not give my other grandchildren any of my estate because I have
 given to their parents their full share of my estate.
 Then I do I confide the execution of this my will to my son Mr. M. Gilliam, and
 appoint him my sole executor, and desire him not to have any opposition
 of my estate, and wish he may not be required to give any security whatever.
 In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and made this 24th day
 of March in the year One thousand eight hundred and ninety six.
 John R. Gilliam (sub)

Signed and sealed and acknowledged
 by John R. Gilliam as and for his will
 & testament in our presence.

John B. Gary
 Jas. W. Smith

At a County Court held for Buckingham County, July 13th, 1896. This paper
 writing purporting to be the last Will and Testaments of John R. Gilliam dec^d
 was this day produced in Court and proved by the oaths of John B. Gary and
 James W. Smith, the subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded.
 And on the motion of Mr. M. Gilliam, the executor therein named, who made
 oath thereto, and entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of \$2000.
 conditioned according to law, without security, the testator directing by his
 will that none should be required, certificate is granted to said Mr. M.
 Gilliam, for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.
 Testi: P. A. Forbes, Clerk.