

In testimony whereof I have set my hand
and affix my seal and published and
the 1st day of September 1897.

Charles P. McLean

I have read and published by the
said Charles P. McLean and published by the
said and testament in presence of me the
at the request and in the presence of me the
the presence of each with my hand and
in our names and witnesses have witnessed
at the place of the said testament.

Witness my hand and seal this 1st day of September 1897.

J. C. Cooper
J. H. Johnson
J. H. Stokely for

George Cook testimony

I, J. H. Stokely do swear that
I as well as J. C. Cooper and J. H. Johnson saw
the within named Charles P. McLean sign
and published the within paper in his last
will and testament; that I subscribed
the same as a witness thereto at the special
request and in the presence of the said
Charles P. McLean and in the presence of me the
said J. C. Cooper and J. H. Johnson; that
the said Charles P. McLean signed the same
freely and voluntarily and gave at the
time of such signing of bond and
expressing mind and intention.

J. H. Stokely

Sworn to and Subscribed

Before me this 1st day of
May 1897 -
J. M. Stone
Ordinary

George Cook testimony I Charles P. McLean of said State
and County being of sound mind and memory
and understanding do make this my last will
and testament in presence and in the presence
following

I wish that my soul return to the
who gave it.

I hereby leave and bequeath to my
son John the same and all in possession
and on which we reside with all the
household and kitchen furniture and
all the stock on the place including the
lows and hogs. I also give and be-
queath to my son John all the
said stock and all in the same.

I hereby leave and bequeath to my son and
daughter John and Mary all the same
and all the same and all the same
as in and to the said testament.

I desire that Sallie Johnson shall have
a good white cow good clothing and
when she becomes of age I desire that
she shall have the family that I have
left.

I desire that the balance of my estate I
desire to be sold after my decease
of public or private sale as shall be
agreed upon by my heirs and be
divided in equal shares between my
children and those heirs.

I desire

I appoint my son John as the
executor of this my last will and
testament.

State of Texas. }
 County of Gregg. } Before me J. E. Newell,
 County Clerk of Gregg,
 I do hereby renounce the appointment
 as one of the Executors conferred on me by
 the will of Charles P. McLain, late of
 Cobb County, and refuse to take any
 part in its probate, and pray that
 you will duly file this renunciation
 and I further endorse and recommend
 that W. S. McLain, my Co-Executor, be author-
 ized and clothed with full power as
 Executor of the said will.
 John. McLain.

The State of Texas. }
 County of Gregg. } Before me J. E. Newell,
 County Clerk of Gregg,
 County Texas on the day personally appear-
 ed John M. McLain, known to me to be the
 same who name is subscribed to the forgo-
 ing instrument and acknowledged to me
 that he signed the same for the purpose
 therein set forth.
 Given under my hand and Seal
 of office this May 12th 1897.
 J. E. Newell,
 Court Clerk of Gregg Co. Texas

Filed in Office and Admitted to
 Record. May 3rd 1897.
 J. M. Stone, Ordaining