

State of North Carolina Ashe County Nov 27 1865

Know all persons by these presents that I James F. Hurley of the County and State aforesaid do will the following property to Julia Ann Hurley my wife so long as she remains my widow the property consisting of all the household and kitchen furniture and two head of Cattle one mare and all the farming tools also all the other property belonging to me the said James F. Hurley also my land where I now live it being in five tracts containing about one hundred and fifty acres. The condition of the above obligation is such that if the said Julia Ann Hurley should marry that she forfeits all of the above named property. Then my children to have the same. The land to be equally divided between them and what ever there may be of the other property.

I do therefore affirm David Dickson in the above named will. Whereunto I have set my hand and affixed my seal

This 27 day of November 1865

Attest James F. Hurley
Eli Blewens

North Carolina } Superior Court July 2 1865
Ashe County }

This day personally came Julia Hurley and being sworn says she is the widow of James F. Hurley who died during the war and that this will is all in the hand writing of the said James F. Hurley except the name of the subscribing that she found the said will after his death among the deeds and other valuable papers of the said James F. Hurley. Also came George Hurley and Solomon Blackburn and being duly sworn and credible witnesses and they say that they are acquainted with the hand writing of the said James F. Hurley and that they think this will is all in the genuine handwriting of the said James F. Hurley except the signature of Eli Blewens marked as and attested witness and that Eli Blewens is dead. It is therefore adjudged that the said will is duly proven and ordered to be recorded.

J. M. Dickson C. C.