

John W. Jones Will

State of North Carolina Ashe County
July 19th 1873

On this my last will and testimony I desire that the following distributions of my earthly effects should be made: I desire that all my Just debts should be paid, after this bequeath my effects both real and Personal Property to my wife Mary to keep and have so long as she should live. I further grant her the power to sell or exchange the landed property for any other landed property with the assistance of my executor which I shall hereafter mention. Should such sale or exchange become necessary. I furthermore desire that in case of the death of my wife my property shall be equally divided between my children Caroline Allie Jones Sarah Katharine Jones and Mary Jane Farmer as each shall become of age

I furthermore desire that John Grayhead & Peter Grayhead shall be the executors of this my last will and Testimony this the 19th day of July 1873

Witnessed: John W. Jones
Joseph O. Wiley
Martin Duval
Virgil Weaver

State of North Carolina
Ashe County - And the Probate Court
The within will and Testament was on this the 2nd day of August duly proved by the oath and examination of Joseph O. Wiley and Martin Duval the subscribing witnesses thereto who declare that at signing said paper as attesting witnesses it was at the request and in the presence of said testator

Robt. Quinn
Judge of Probate