

said Martha Moore, the testator aforesaid did at the time of subscribing her name as aforesaid declare the said paper writing so subscribed by her and exhibited to be her Last Will & Testament and this deponent did thereupon subscribe his name at the end of said Will, as an attesting witness thereto, and at the request and in presence of said testator. And this deponent further saith that at the same time when the said Testator subscribed her name to said last will as aforesaid and at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid the said Martha Moore was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a Will and was not under any restraint to the knowledge, information or belief of this deponent; and further than deponent's say not.

John Evans

Solemnly sworn and subscribed Willis A Davis
this 3rd day of Nov. 1905 before me.

R. S. Newton,

Clerk. Supr. Court.

North Carolina, } ss.

Brunswick County, } In Supr. Court.

It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing & every part thereof is the Last Will & Testament of Martha Moore, deceased. Let the said Will, together with the probate be recorded & filed. This 3rd day of Nov. 1905.

R. S. Newton

C. S. C.

State of North Carolina, }
Brunswick County, }

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN.

I, John W. Stanaland, of the above named State and County, being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life do therefore, make, ordain, publish, and declare this to be my last Will & Testament - that is to say: I give, bequeath and dispose of as follows, to wit: - To my beloved brother Daniel E. Stanaland and his heirs and assigns, all my land and appurtenances situate thereon known and described as lands of John W. Stanaland, lying in Shallotte Township in the County of Brunswick and State of North Carolina, consisting of live tracts of land containing Twelve Hundred and twenty-six acres more or less: First tract; known as the Blackwell tract, bounded on the North by N. E. branch of Little River, on the East by the lands of J. B. Thomas on the South by the Sound, on the West by the David Treadwell lands. Second tract: bounded on North by the Georgetown road, on the East by Jacob Bell lands, on the South by the Atlantic Ocean, on the West by the lands of J. B. Thomas to have & to hold the same, forever. And in connection with this my last Will and Testament, I hereby give to my beloved brother, Daniel E. Stanaland all of my personal property of every description and kind whatsoever. Likewise I make, constitute and appoint Forney Gore, Executor of this my last Will & Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this the twelfth day of October in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and five

J. W. Stanaland

Witnesses:

Sam McEliscin

J. H. Patterson.

State of North Carolina, }
Brunswick County, }

In the Supr. Court.

A paper purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of J. W. Stanaland, deceased is exhibited

before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County by the Executor therein mentioned and the due execution thereof by the said J. W. Stanaland by the oath and examination of Sam Milliken and J. H. Patterson, the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn doth depose and say, and each for himself depose and saith that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him purporting to be the Last Will & Testament of J. W. Stanaland, that the said J. W. Stanaland in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing which is now shown as aforesaid and which bears date of the 12th day of October, 1905.

And the deponent further saith, that the said J. W. Stanaland, the Testator aforesaid, did at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid declare the said paper writing so subscribed by him and exhibited to be his Last Will & Testament, and this deponent did then upon subscribe his name at the end of said Will as an attesting witness thereto, and at the request and in the presence of said Testator; And this deponent further saith that at the same time when the said Testator subscribed his name to the said Last Will as aforesaid and at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid, the said J. W. Stanaland was of sound mind & memory of full age to execute a Will and was not under any restraint to the knowledge, information or belief of this deponent. And further these deponents say not.

Several, sworn and
subscribed, this 14th day

J. H. Patterson
Sam Milliken

of Nov. 1905, before me, R. S. Newton, C. S. C.
North Carolina, } ss. In Supr. Court.
Brunswick County.

It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the Last Will and Testament of J. W. Stanaland, deceased. Let the said Will together with the probate be recorded and filed. This 14th day of Nov., 1905.

R. S. Newton
Clerk Supr. Court.

No 10.

I, Samuel Black, of the County of New Hanover in the State of North Carolina, do make, publish and declare this my Last Will & Testament, hereby revoking and making void all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made.

I hereby constitute and appoint my daughter, Mary E. Watters, sole Executrix of this my Last Will & Testament. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Mary E. Watters, the profits derived from the services of all my slaves, the dividends arising from my Bank Stock, and the interest accruing on all bonds and notes belonging to my Estate, excepting however the bond hereinafter referred to, to be held and enjoyed by my said daughter for the use, maintenance and support of herself and the maintenance, support and education of my two grandchildren, Samuel Paxton Watters and Sarah Ann Lillington Watters, until the said Sarah Ann Lillington Watters shall have attained the age of twenty-one years. I give and bequeath to my sister, Elizabeth Black the interest accruing on a certain bond made by St. John Lodge and Concord Chapter of Wilmington, now held by me, said interest to be held and enjoyed by my said sister during her life, and it is to be collected by my Executrix and remitted to her semi-annually.

I give and bequeath to my aforesaid daughter, Mary E. Watters, all my slaves, to be held by her during the minority of my grandchildren hereinafore mentioned, and they may be worked or hired out as my said daughter may consider most beneficial to the interest of my Estate and I hereby authorize and empower my said daughter to sell and dispose of any one or more of said slaves should she deem it advisable so to do, and should it become necessary and manifestly to the interest of all interested in my Estate, from the happening of any unforeseen circumstances, connected with slave property, that the whole of my slaves should be sold, I hereby authorize and empower my said daughter to sell and dispose of all my slaves. It is however my wish, and I do direct that my driver, Moses, and his wife Phyllis and her child should not be sold, but they must be kept together and should it become necessary sufficiently provided for during the life of said Moses.

Upon the arrival of my aforesaid granddaughter at the age of twenty-one years it is my will and I direct