

No. 127

State of North Carolina
Barnwell County

In the name of God Amen -

I English Hankins of the above County and State, being in sound mind, but feeble in health, do make and declare this my last Will and Testament in the manner and form following -

1st I give and bequeath to Amy Burton all the land I may own at the time of my death. Also all Cattle & Hogs - During her life time, and after her death all the land Cattle & Hogs to go to the Children of Amy Burton Viz:

Mary, English, Richard, Dunsan, Florence, and English Hankins, Jr, to have and to enjoy, as other property - and I also hereby appoint Cuffey Hankins to be and act as my Executor -

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal in the presence of three witnesses - on this the 10th of May 1902.

Witnesses, H. K. Ruark
A. J. Robbins.

English Hankins (Seal)
made

No. 162

I, Kenneth M. Murchison, of the City of Wilmington, State of North Carolina, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in the manner following - that is to say:-

I hereby appoint my son, Kenneth M. Murchison Jr, and my sons in law, James Spruick and Shirley Carter, to be the executors of this my last will and testament, without bond; and I hereby revoke all other Wills and Codicils heretofore made. Should my wife Katherine survive me, my executors are instructed to provide for her wants in any way she may determine. I direct that my property of every description be equally divided between my five children -- Luola M. Spruick, James M. Ellis, Jesse M. Carter, Kenneth M. Murchison Jr, and Marion Hurkamp; except that my youngest daughter, Marion M. Hurkamp's share shall be held in trust for her benefit the income from which is to be paid semi-annually. My reason for this exception is that her husband has not the necessary business experience to manage her part of the estate, I leave it to the discretion of my executors to pay out to her at the end of the year all her interest in the estate. Should any emergency arise whereby it would seem necessary to furnish more than her income, my executors can exercise their discretion in the matter of assisting her. Should she have any children, I direct that a sufficient sum be invested for their support, and upon reaching the age of twenty-one years, they are to be given their portion of the estate. Should she die without leaving any children, her share reverts to the estate. In making my daughter, Marion M. Hurkamp an exception to the immediate division, it is done that she may have a sufficient income for her support outside of any increase in fortune that might come to her husband. To be deducted from the estate, I request that my sister, Lucy M. Murchison, be paid her share of the

given Two Thousand (\$2000) Dollars, should I survive her, then this sum is null and void. Believing that Otton Plantation and my property in Yancey County, known as Coney River will be enhanced in value on account of the growing timber, I direct that these properties not be sold until such time as seems best. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 10th day of November 1903.

H. W. Murchison (seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named testator as his last will and testament, in the presence of us who, at his request, and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names and addresses. Witnesses.

W. E. Bender

W. D. Kuhn

J. W. Murchison.

State of North Carolina: In the
County of Brunswick: Superior Court.
A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of H. W. Murchison deceased is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, by Kenneth M. Murchison Jr., James Sprunk and Shirley Carter the executors therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said H. W. Murchison, by the oath and examination of W. D. Kuhn and J. W. Murchison two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn, doth depose and say, and each for himself depose and say, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the last will and testament of H. W. Murchison that the said H. W. Murchison 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 tenth day of November 1903.

And the deponent further saith, that the said H. W. Murchison 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 and 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 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 H. W. Murchison 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 these deponents say rest.

W. D. Kuhn

J. W. Murchison

Severally sworn and subscribed, this 9th day of June 1904, before me.

H. S. Newton, C. J. C.

North Carolina, } In the
Brunswick County } Superior Court.

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 H. W. Murchison deceased. Let the said will together with the probate, be recorded and filed.

This 9th day of June A. D. 1904.

H. S. Newton, C. J. C.