

State of North Carolina

Superior Court.

County of Brunswick.

On this the 7th day of July 1884,
personally appeared before me H. C. Doshier
Superior Court in and for the County of State of
said Geo. H. Kinsler who after being duly sworn
deposes & says-

First That he is the Executor named in the last
Will & Testament of Chas. Horner. which said
Will is of date 2nd day of Decr A.D. 1882-

Second That the value of the Estate is by estimation
Five Hundred Dollars. and consists of 1 Acre of
land, 1 Mule, Cattle & Hogs, Dress House Hold &
Kitchen Furniture &c.

Third That the names of the heirs are Hiram Horner
the his wife- Fanny, Charlie, Amelia, Allan,
Merrill, Jane & Sarah his children.

The said Geo. H. Kinsler prays that the
said Will may be admitted to Probate-

Done at and presented
before me the 7th day of July
1884-

H. C. Doshier
Clerk Superior Court.

No. 215

J. William H. Standland of the County of Brunswick
and State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and
memory, but on account of the uncertainty of my health
by experience, do make and declare this to be my
last Will and Testament in manner and form
following to-wit:

First That my Executor hereinafter named shall pro-
vide for my body a decent burial, suitable to the
wishes of my relations & friends, and pay all my
funeral expenses out of the first monies that
may come into his hand as a part or parcel
of my estate-

Item My Will and desire is that my wife Mary Dun-
land shall have actually to and for her own use
and benefit all my estate both real and per-
sonal for and during the term of her natural
life, provided that my Executor hereinafter named
shall collect all monies that may be justly due
me, and pay all my just debts - Provision and
to Thomas my son -

Item I give and bequeath to each and every one of
my children one fourth part, except Edward H. Dun-
land now deceased, Emily J. Standland & Margaret
now the wife of Edward Simmons, to which three
my eldest children I have already given one
fourth each, the said to be given at a time that
may seem to my Executor expedient and just -

Item I give and devise to my son Saml. Standland
the tract of land wherein he now lives (land to be
one hundred acres, which shall be his entire
share of all my estate both real and personal
except the said before said -

Item My Will & desire is that all my personal
estate that may remain undistributed at the
death of my wife Mary aforesaid shall be imme-
diately sold by my Executor in a manner that
may seem to him most advantageous & expedient
and the proceeds to be equally divided among
all my children that may then be living excepting
only my son Samuel J. Standland his share of land
being in my opinion equal in value to the share
of another of my children according to the con-
vention.

Done

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My will and desire is that as soon after the death of my wife Mary aforesaid as expedient my Executors hereinafter named shall with the assistance of the County Coroner & such others as he may choose associate with him, divide all my lands except that herein before devised to my son Saml J. Standland equally in lots between all my children that may then be living, except my three oldest children four named, to wit: Edward M. Standland now dead, Joseph J. Standland & Margaret the wife of Edward Simmons, the division to be made between my children Joseph M. Standland, Mary C. Standland, Zilpha M. Standland, Cyrtus C. Standland & Vott M. Standland or their survivors share & share alike, duly estimated being had to the value of each lot, provided that my youngest son Vott M. Standland shall have my house & plantation where I now live -

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My will and desire is that my Executors hereinafter named shall be the guardians of both the persons and estates of all my minor children until they shall severally arrive at the full age of twenty-one years -

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I do hereby constitute and appoint my son Saml J. Standland my lawful Executor to all intents and purposes, to execute this my last will & Testament according to the true intent & meaning of the said, hereby proving all other wills & Testaments by me herebefore made -

In Witness whereof I the said Wm. H. Standland have hereunto set my hand & seal the 16th day of June A. D. 1862.

Wm. H. Standland. (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Wm. H. Standland to be his last will and Testament, who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other do subscribe our names as Witnesses to this -

D. N. Brewster
Saml Rupp -

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The due execution of the foregoing will is proved before me the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court for the County & State aforesaid by the oath and examination of Saml Rupp D. N. Brewster the other Witness being absent and his whereabouts being unknown, and after diligent enquiry could not be ascertained, his signature, and the signature of the testator being duly proved by the oath & examination of two reliable Witnesses, which testimony is filed with said will, who the said Saml Rupp, after being duly sworn deposes and says, that he saw the testator sign the said will, that he acknowledged the same to be his will, and that he signed the same as Witness at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of the said D. N. Brewster the other Witness -

Let it be recorded, together with this certificate -

Given under my hand, at Office the day and date above written -

W. T. Dockel
Clerk Super Court

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Superior Court.

On the 4th day of Feb. 1884, before me, appeared before me W. T. Dockel Clerk of the Superior Court for the County and State aforesaid Saml J. Standland who after being duly sworn deposes and says -

First. That he is the Executor named in the last will and Testament of Wm. H. Standland deceased, which will is of date the 16th day of June 1862 -

Second. That the value of the estate by estimation is about the sum of three hundred dollars, and consist of Land, House hold and Kitchen furniture, Plantation tools and a cow &c -

Third

That the names of the heirs are Margaret
Primrose, John W. Standland, Mary C. McLane,
Zephra M. Ruff, Cynthia C. McLane, and Ann
M. Standland - none of which are minors, and
all of whom

The said S. J. Standley from
that said will may be admitted to Probate
now to and returned
before me this 4th day
of Feb'y 1884
H. S. Doherty
Clerk Superior Court.

I, Mary S. Bruny of Alfis, York County, Maine
do hereby publish and declare the following as my
last will and testament, hereby revoking all former
wills made by me.

First.

I commend my spirit to my God who gave it, and
direct that, if my friends desire it, there shall be a
free medical examination of my lungs by two respect-
able physicians; and that my body be buried in
my cemetery lot beside my father. I also direct
that, immediately after my decease, a telegram
be sent to my brother, George F. B. Lighton,
Gettysburg, Virginia, telling him of my death.

Second.

I give and bequeath to the Congregational
Parish, in Alfis, five hundred dollars, to be
used for the support of a minister in said
Parish.

Third.

I give and bequeath to Samuel A.
Came, of said Alfis, Two hundred dollars,
to be used for the purpose of erecting a mon-
ument, on my cemetery lot for my father and
myself, provided I shall not meet the said
debt during my lifetime; in case I shall meet the
said debt during my lifetime, then this bequest
will go to my residuary legatee.

Fourth.

I direct my executor to allow my
nephew George Lighton to retain the first thousand
dollars he now owes me, (said George giving his note
therefor) provided said nephew shall punctually pay
in lieu of interest on said note, the sum of two
hundred dollars semi-annually to my brother
George F. B. Lighton, during my brother's lifetime;
in case my nephew does not make such payments
punctually as above, then I direct my executor
to make such payments; and wish my brother
to have the two hundred dollars every six months
without fail. At the decease of my brother
I give and bequeath said five thousand dollars
in equal shares to my said nephew George
Lighton, and my niece Mrs. Elattie Brunson,
wife of B. F. Brunson. I give my niece Mrs. Annie
Carp, nothing, believing that she has been well
provided for by my sister Mrs. Francis Cannon.

Fifth.

I give and bequeath to Charles H. Lewis of
Portland Two hundred dollars for the use of my