

State of North Carolina
 Brunswick County
 I, Adelia S. North, do solemnly swear that
 I believe this writing to be and contain the
 last Will and Testament of Fred. A. North
 deceased; and that I will well and truly
 execute the same by just paying his debts
 and that his legacies as far as the said
 estate shall extend, or the law will charge
 me, and that I will well and faithfully
 execute the office of an executrix, agreeable
 to the trust and confidence reposed in
 me and according to law, so help me
 God.

Adelia S. North
 Done and Subscribed before
 me this 28th day of April 1882
 C. H. C.

This the eleventh day of March A.D. 1882
 I William Griseb of the County of Brunswick
 and State of North Carolina being
 in sound mind and memory and knowing
 that all men must die, and leave this
 world, and in the fear of God do make
 this my last will and Testament, namely:
 I wish when I die to be buried in a Chris-
 tian like manner and all my just debts
 paid if any, and funeral expenses
 and then I bequeath and give all my
 real estate that is my land containing
 about three hundred and seventy two
 acres (372) also there is a tract of
 land belonging to myself and Solomon
 Hampton with a Merchant Mellon in to
 wit: One half interest mine all the a-
 bove lands lying and being in the County
 of Brunswick and State of North Car-
 olina One tract known as the Josiah
 Griseb two as the John Sluder tract
 one as the land bought from J. B. Sawyer

One entry and grant of seven acres and one
 as the Wm. Loe to include all my lands to
 be equally divided between the following heirs
 that is to say:

- 1st M. J. Natcliff and Celia his wife and their heirs
- 2nd M. C. Hayer and his wife Eliza and their heirs
- 3rd And the third one is J. M. Tark and his wife
 Mary and their heirs by his present wife Mary
 And the first one is the heirs of H. H. Hays by his
 Mary Tark present wife their first heirs by H.
 H. Hayer to wit here is their names James Francis
 Hayer and William Hayer and Demetrius Adeline
 Hayer
- 4th Is the heirs of Cynthia Lemons to wit, ^{Harris F. now} Thomas
 Hayman and their heirs
- 5th The fifth is the heirs of William Griseb
 to wit: Marion Lowmy Griseb
- 6th And the sixth heir is the heirs of Nancy Car-
 oline Hayer the mother dead. heirs names is
 as follows, M. C. Hayer and S. Hayer now the
 wife of Calvin Hill and Harriet M. Hayer and H.
 H. Hayer all the heirs herein named to wit, the
 list is to in heret all the lands as I have my
 son Alfred a tract of land that made him
 equal to this which his heirs have at this
 time, and I hereby bequeath all the foregoing to
 the six heirs named and I hereby at my wife's
 death give and bequeath all and any per-
 sonable property that I may have to all my
 heirs in law to be divided equally after
 paying all my just debts and funeral ex-
 penses and my wife Susan funeral ex-
 penses out of the personal estate property to
 my seven heirs to wit and include all
 of the heirs named and Alfred Griseb
 heirs and I hereby appoint M. J. Nat-
 cliff my executor
 In witness whereunto to let my hand
 and affix my seal in presence of the
 Subscribed witnesses

Wm. Griseb
 On the undersigned witnesses did see William
 Griseb the testator sign the foregoing

Will and we attest the same in presence
of each other given under our hands and
Seals this 11th day of March 1882

J. Sluder *Qual*
J. M. Redman *Qual*

State of North Carolina, In the Superior
Buncombe County } Court.

A paper purporting to be the last will
and Testament of Wm. Grisebee deceased,
is exhibited before me, the undersigned
Judge of Probate for said County, by M. J.
Ratcliff the executor therein mentioned,
and the due execution thereof by the said
Wm. Grisebee, by the oath and examination
of J. Sluder and J. M. Redman the
subscribing witnesses thereto, who, being
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 and Testament of Wm. Grisebee; that
the said Wm. Grisebee, 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 11th day of March 1882.
And the deponent further saith, that the
said Wm. Grisebee the testator aforesaid,
did, at the time of subscribing his name as
aforesaid, declare the said paper writing
to be 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 at-
testing witness thereto, and at the legacies
and in the presence of the said testator.
And this deponent further saith, that at
the said time when the said testator
subscribed his name to the said last will
as aforesaid, and at the time of the depo-
nent subscribing his name as an attesting

witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said Wm. Grisebee
was of sound mind and memory, of full age
to execute a will, and was not under any
restraints to the knowledge, information, or
belief of this deponent; And further these
deponents say not.

J. Sluder *Qual*
J. M. Redman *Qual*

Severally Sworn and subscribed this 29th day
of July 1882 before me E. H. Herring
C, J, C,

North Carolina }
Buncombe County }

To the Clerk of the Superior
Court.

The undersigned your applicant,
Respectfully Shews to the Court:
That Wm. Grisebee late of the County and
State aforesaid is dead. That he died
leaving a last will and Testament, in which
your applicant is named as executor of
the same -

That the estate consist of personal
and real property - the real property
all being located in the Western
portion of the County, of Buncombe
and valued at about the sum of
four thousand dollars - and the per-
sonal property at about the sum of
three thousand dollars -

That the following is a list of the names
of the heirs at law and devisees, in-
titled to the property of the testator
to wit: 1 M. J. Ratcliff and wife Celia Rat-
cliff Buncombe County, North Carolina;
2 M. L. Hayes and wife Eliza Hayes (3 J. M.
Nash and wife Mary Nash.

4 The heirs at law of the estate of Cynthia
Simons, to wit; Harriet wife of Geo. Hyman
5 The heirs at law of the estate of Wm.
Grisebee deceased to wit; Marion Lory Grisebee