

being as newly affirmed, as it appears in
book of Wills B. page 7, 8 and 9,
This October 12th 1894

I. S. Coaker, Clerk.
Superior Court of Buncombe County
N.C.

In the name of God Amen.

I Mylie Keill of the
County of Wicks and State of Georgia being of Sound
Mind and Perfect Memory, blessed be God do make
+ ordain this to be my last Will and Testament in
Manner following that is to say,
as to my body I wish it to be decently buried in the Garden
where my two little Grand daughters were buried. I wish
for all of my just debts to be paid first and then the balance
to be divided, as I shall state in this my last will
February thirteenth, Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-seven, I wish
for my wife and her sons to have the management of my
Property, at my death as the Boys Comes of age they shall
see to it, I wish to have a House built over my grave
large enough to cover my dear wife also let the sills be
out of Old Post Oak fourteen inches square set on rocks
one foot from the ground, Make the frame about five feet high
covered with good heart Shingles, fully one inch thick, after
they are drawn and good heart weatherboarding and painted
black. My will and desire is that my dear wife shall
these Slaves during her life or widowhood for to support
her and my two youngest Sons, Mylie P. Keill and Abraham
J. W. Keill, and School them there on the meadows, I
leave to my dear wife, Edmond and his wife Sarah
and his two youngest children are Leg Grace and
her two Sons, Thomas + Frank and one set of the
black Smith tools, Amanda + Miles Jacob and his
wife Grace and their youngest Child Big Cato
and Sandy Squires + Gideon Jaffer and the use
of the sawmill to grind for me during natural
life or widowhood, as to the Children my Son
Burwell P. Keill, had by Martha his last wife I
will them one Dollar a piece and as to the
part that would fall to my Son Burwell P. Keill.
this may wish and desire is that his daughter
by his first wife should have it Sarah Ann
Keill, Rinder Keill, if she should live to marry
an other and if she should die it is all to

fall back to my youngest son as living at that time my house
and plantation where I now live for the use of my dear wife during her
life or widowhood, and at her death to my Son Abraham J. W. Keill.
making the Crows Creek the line down the meadows of said Creek
to be the line untill it goes to the forks below the Clark road
then to strike a due East line to the back line
toward James Rinders Old Place, all to the South of that line I
give to my Son Mylie P. Keill, to him his heirs and assigns for
ever, as far as my land goes towards Washington, The New Taron +
Lockey Place and Parfous Place + Mylie Burks place, also
and all on the North of that line, the Clark Place John Will
Place and the King Place, and the Burns Place and the John
M. Ghee Place and the Saw + Grist Mill, I give to my Son
Abraham J. W. Keill to him his heirs and assigns forever,
The Abraham Keill Place and the 212 acres of land up by Sards
and the 100 acres the Jam Johnston place, I give to my Son
Ladswich M. Keill, in lieu of the Sadson Place to him his heirs and
assigns forever, Now should not my Son Ladswich Keill be
pleased with the swap my Son W. P. Keill, falls heir to the
Abraham Keill Place and the Sards Lands and the Thomas Johnston
Lands also, The balance of my landed property, to be sold and
divided between my dear daughters and as to my household
furniture I wish at my wife's death to be flung into cash
money, lots as, I have loving Children at that time
and to be equally divided among them, I don't wish
any thing sold, out of the House, And as to my, Buncombe
lands, and Stock that is there I wish to be kept together
if it suits for a Retreat to any of the Children that is
a mind to go, My wife is to have Carpenter James +
his wife Kuter and Komrah and one of the small girls also
for which I have left out above, I leave to my dear wife have
Carriage her two choicest Mules and one road Wagon, and
the best team of mules and one Wagon and two yoke Oxen
and two of the choicest horses and as much of the Stock of
cattle + Hogs as may Executors will think well do her and
all the balance of the Stock property to be sold and equally
divided between my loving Children at my death, and all
the property I leave to my wife and all the proceeds after supporting
her + my two youngest sons to be divided at her death equally
between all her living Children. Now those Children that are
married and have off some Property, I have valued all that
I give them, Burwell P. Keill, had Three thousand and Twenty
Eight Dollars Ladswich M. Keill had thirty one hundred + seventy three
Dollars, Sarah J. W. Keill had three thousand + Ninety eight Dollars.
Martha P. Keill had twenty eight hundred and ninety three Dollars.

Tamela M. Duncan, twenty eight hundred and ninety four dollars
Now as to the landed property I left to my sons has nothing
to do with my other property and also as to the landed property
I left to be sold for my four Daughters, that has nothing to
do with my other property, I divided that my self ~~their~~ children
that Charles had their amounts of Property are so much a head
of the other children, which must all be made equal at
the division, You will see my Valuations on the back
Part of this Book, Now all the money that is due me
at my death is to be divided between my wife and
my dear children, to make them all equal and as to the
ready money that is on hand at my death, I wish to ~~finish~~
finish my two Youngest, Sons Education, and as to
the Bay Joel, I loaned to Sallie, Kelemus at her death he is
to be divided as my other property was, If my wife
wants my Hog and Horses, let her have it, Then my
dear children + wife I never want any of you to have
any Coldness, nor any hard thoughts among any one of
you about what I leave behind, for my Property I
want for, It want, Give to me, I have left you all a
Plenty and I took as good care of it as I could and
I wish to dispose of it as I saw proper, Now as for
William Piers I wish for you all to treat him with res-
pect he is very near to me, and has no body to look
up to but myself for which, I have made him
a deed of gift, for so much money at my death
which deed of gift bears date with this my last
Will and Testament for which I have left in the hands
of a friend of mine to take charge of for him un-
till my death, and then to take charge of the child
and what I have left him.

Now my dear wife
I have left Old Man Edward to you during your
natural life. I want him treated well and never
put under an Overseer, I wish for him to do any
thing for you he can but not to be treated ill by
any body and let him have time to make him a
little crop and land convenient for him to tend, he
has been a faithful servant to me, and I want him
provided in his Old age, I should have left
him to have served nobody, but I have seen
the evil of it they have come to suffer, and when
it is the Will of God, to take you I wish
for him and his wife to go and live with any
one of my children that they may wish.

so that will treat them well, let them have their choice he has
hope me to get what I have got.

I constitute and appoint my wife
Martha Executrix, and my sons, Lodowick, M. Keill, Wylie P.
Keill, and Abraham T. W. Keill as they become of age my Executors
of this my last Will and Testament, In witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal this 13th day of February, 1837.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged
in presence of
J. S. Walton,
Thomas O. Christian,
Thomas B. S. Keill.

Wylie Keill. (LS)

State of Georgia } In Chambers, July 20th 1844.
Wilkes County.

Personally appeared before us Lewis
S. Brown + Archabald S. Wingfield, Two of the
Justices of the Inferior Court in and for said County
Timothy S. Walton, one of the subscribing witnesses to the
aforesaid Will who being duly sworn deposes and says
that he saw Wylie Keill. Sign and Seal and heard
him acknowledge the aforesaid Instrument of writing
as his Last Will and Testament, and at the time of his
so doing he was of sound disposing mind and memory
and that he subscribed the same as a witness in his
presence and at his request together with Thomas O.
Christian and Thomas B. S. Keill.

Sworn to and subscribed
before us this 20th day July 1844.
Lewis S. Brown J. S. C.
A. S. Wingfield J. S. C.

J. S. Walton,

1837, February 13th Being this day of sound mind and
memory have made a deed of gift to my death of Four
Thousand Dollars, to William Piers to him, his heirs and assigns
forever, for which I wish the interest of this money to clothe
Board and School him, I wish him to be taken good
care of by some friend, I have made choice of my
Nephew Henry P. Keill. If he will be so kind to do
it for me, I wish him to have a good English
learning and to buy and make good principles in
him and take care of him, until he becomes of age
and then to give him the same for him, As witness my hand
and seal this 13th day and date above written.

He was born 27th July 1829.

Test

Wylie Keill

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J. S. Walton,

Thos O. Christians,

Thomas B. S. Keill

Georgia

Wilkes County

In Chambers July 20th 1844.

Personally appeared before us Lewis S. Brown & Archibald Two of the Justices of the Superior Court, in and for said County, Timothy S. Walton, one of the witnesses to the annexed Codicil to the Last Will and Testament of Wylie Keill, deceased, who being sworn says that he saw the said Wylie Keill Sign & Seal and heard him acknowledge the same to be a Codicil to his last Will and Testament and at the time of his so doing he was of sound disposing mind & memory and that the Subscriber had the same as a witness in his presence and at his request together with Thomas O. Christians, & Thomas B. S. Keill.

Sworn to & Subscribed before us this 20th July 1844.
Lewis S. Brown, J. S. C.
A. S. Wingfield J. S. C.

J. S. Walton,

December 20th 1840

Being of Sound mind and memory I make a bequest of gift, off all the money I have at Interest at this date to my dear Daughter, Mary A. Duncan of Gunsville, District South Carolina, for her to dispose of in this way, that is at my death for her to have an equal division of it between my dear wife Martha Keill, and all my living Children at my death, and at the death of my dear wife, her part that she now make use of to be equally divided between all my living Children, at her death, Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of these Subscribing witnesses

Test

J. S. Walton

W. P. Keill

Wylie Keill

Georgia

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Sworn to & Subscribed before us this 20th of July 1844.

Lewis S. Brown J. S. C.

A. S. Wingfield J. S. C.

J. S. Walton,

Monday September 2nd 1844.

The Honorable Court of Ordinary of Wilkes County met according to Law,

Present their Honors L. S. Brown, A. S. Wingfield, W. L. Embury, & James Harris.

It appearing to the Court that the Last Will and Testament of Wylie Keill as contained in his Will written 13th February 1837, and tested by J. S. Walton, Thomas O. Christians, and Thomas B. Keill, and as contained in a Codicil written 25th December 1840. Bequeathing all his money to Mrs A. Duncan, and tested by J. S. Walton, & W. P. Keill and as contained in a Will written February 13th 1837, tested by J. S. Walton and Thomas O. Christians, bequeathing certain money to Williams Ribers, have been duly proven in Chambers before their Honors Lewis S. Brown, & Archibald S. Wingfield Ordered that said Will composed of three parts afore-said be admitted to record and that Letters Testamentary do issue to L. M. Keill, Exec by said Will upon being duly qualified before Clerk of this Court.

The State of Georgia
County of Wilkes

J. J. W. Bunn, Ordinary of the Court or Ordinary in and for said County and State aforesaid said Court having jurisdiction in matters pertaining to Grant of Administration, probate of Wills &c, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and perfect copy of the last Will and Testament of Wylie Keill, deceased, and the Probate of said Will, with the Order entered therein, as the same appears of record

In My Court,

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official Seal this the 16th day of January 1895.

Seal

J.W. Bissnes,
Ordinary Wilkes County,

The State of Georgia,
County of Wilkes,

I, Leaborn Reese a Judge of the Superior Court of the State of Georgia, the same being a court of record do hereby certify the J.W. Bissnes Esq. who hath signed his name to the foregoing Certificate, was at the time of so doing, Ordinary in and for the said County, and State duly commissioned and sworn that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit and that his Signature thereunto is genuine and that the said attestation is in due form. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this the 17th day of January A.D. 1895.

The State of Georgia }
County of Wilkes.

Leaborn Reese
Judge Superior Court

I, A.A. Barnett, Clerk of the Superior Court, in and for the County and State aforesaid, the same being a Court of record, do hereby certify the Hon. Leaborn Reese, who hath signed his name to the foregoing Certificate, was at the time of so doing, one of the Judges of the Superior Court, of the State of Georgia, duly commissioned and sworn, that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his Signature thereunto is genuine. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official Seal this the 18th day of January A.D. 1895.

The State of North Carolina }
County of Buncombe

A.A. Barnett
Clerk Superior Court
In the Superior Court,

A paper writing purporting to be a Copy of last Will and Testament of Wylie Hall, deceased late of the County of Wilkes, and State of Georgia, and bearing date the 18th day of February 1837. Together with a Codicil to said last Will and Testament bearing date the 19th day of February 1837, and an attestation to said last Will and Testament, bearing date the 20th day of February 1837.

day of December 1840, is exhibited before me J.L. Cathey, Clerk of the Superior Court in and for the County of Buncombe and State of North Carolina, and it appearing that the said last Will and Testament, together with the Codicil thereunto has been duly proven and allowed in the State of Georgia, according to the laws thereof, and that the paper writing now produced is a true Copy, or Exemplification of the said last Will and Testament of the said Wylie Hall, deceased duly Certified, and authenticated, by the Court in which the said last Will and Testament, was proven and allowed and by the Act of Congress in such case made and provided, and it further appearing to the Court that some of the property of the testator is situated in Buncombe County, it is now on motion of M.E. Carter and P.A. Cummings, attys for some of the Propounders, of said last Will and Testament, ordered and adjudged by the Court that said paper writing, so Certified and authenticated and produced before me, as a copy of the said last Will and Testament of the said Wylie Hall, deceased, together with the Codicil attached thereto and that the same be allowed, filed and entered of record upon the record of Wills in said Buncombe County this the 28th day of January 1895.

J.L. Cathey, Clerk
Superior Court