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I, David S. Willis of the County of Carteret and state of North Carolina being of sound mind and memory, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say:-

First - that my executor, hereinafter named, do provide for my body a decent burial, suitable to the wishes of my relatives and friends, and pay all funeral expenses, together with my just debts howsoever and to whomsoever owing and of the more that may first come into his hands as a part or parcel of my estate.

I Item I give and devise to John Russell Fuloher my mansion house (& household) and my one fifth interest in three hundred acres Land situated on Pine Point. And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend Charles Fuloher my lawful executor to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills and testaments by me heretofore made

I In witness whereof, I the said David S. Willis do hereunto set my hand and seal this 20th day of February A. D. 1901 David S. Willis  
his mark

Signed sealed published and declared by the David S. Willis to be his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence do subscribe our names as Witnesses thereto

Almon Hamilton  
 Allen Hamilton Jr.

State of North Carolina }  
 Carteret County }  
ss on the Superior Court.

A paper purporting to be the last Will and

Testament of David S. Willis deceased is exhibited before me, the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, by Charles Fuloher the executor herein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said David S. Willis by the oath and examination of Almon Hamilton and Allen Hamilton the subscribing witnesses thereto; who being duly sworn, each depose and say and each for himself depareth and saith, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown here, purporting to be my last Will and Testament of David S. Willis that the said David S. Willis 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 20th day of Feb'y 1905.

And the deponent further saith, that the said David S. Willis the testator aforesaid, did at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid declare the said paper writing as 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 David S. Willis was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a Will, and was not under any restraint, or under any knowledge, information or belief of this deponent; And further these deponents say not.

Allen Hamilton  
 Almon Hamilton

Sworn and subscribed, }  
 this 1st day of August 1905 }  
 before me by Allen Hamilton }  
 L. A. Games }  
 Clerk Superior Court }  
 Sworn and subscribed }  
 before me this 2nd day of }  
 August 1905 by Almon Hamilton }  
 L. A. Games }  
 Clerk Superior Court }

North Carolina

Carteret County }<sup>rs</sup> In the Superior Court  
 It is therefore considered, and adjudged by  
 Court that the said paper-writing and every part  
 is the last Will and Testament of David S. [unclear]  
 deceased. Let the said Will, together with  
 probate, be recorded and filed  
 This 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1705

J. N. Garnet  
 Clerk Superior Court

Know all men by these presents,  
 that I, Parker River, of the town of  
 Beaufort, in the County of Carteret, and  
 State of North Carolina, being of sound  
 mind and memory, do make, declare  
 and publish this my last will and  
 testament.

I give and bequeath to the heirs  
 of my beloved brother Le Roy River,  
 deceased, all of my property, both  
 real and personal, after paying  
 from the same my just debts  
 and funeral expenses.

I do nominate and appoint  
 Nannie P. Geffroy, to be the sole  
 executrix of this my last will and  
 testament.

In testimony whereof I have  
 hereunto set my hand and seal,  
 and publish and decree this to be  
 my last will and Testament, in  
 the presence of three witnesses named  
 below, this 26<sup>th</sup> day of September 1905.

Parker <sup>her</sup> River (seal)  
 mark

Signed, sealed, declared and published  
 by the said Parker River, as and  
 for her last will and testament,  
 in presence of us, who, at her  
 request and in her presence, and in  
 the presence of each other, have  
 subscribed our names as witnesses  
 hereto.

Mary E. Bendrix.  
 Elizabeth H. King.  
 Linda <sup>her</sup> Sparrow.  
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