

name as aforesaid. Declare the said paper writing
 subscribed by him, and exhibited the last
 Will and Testament, and this deponent did then
 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
 swears 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 deponent's subscribing his
 name as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid
 the said Levi T. Oglesby was of sound mind
 and memory, of full age to execute a Will,
 and was not under any restraint, detention,
 information or belief of this deponent; And further
 that deponent says not

N. J. Dougherty

Sworn and subscribed
 this 3rd day of December 1903 before me,
 L. A. Garner

Clerk Superior Court

North Carolina

County of Carteret, ss. In the 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 Levi T. Oglesby, deceased. Let the said Will
 together with the probate, be recorded and filed.
 This 3rd day of December 1903

L. A. Garner
 Clerk Superior Court

I John Mason 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)
 shall provide for my body a decent burial
 suitable to the wishes of my relatives and friends
 and to pay all my just debts whatsoever and
 to whomever owing out of the moneys that
 may first come into his hands as a part or
 parcel of my estate.

Item, 2nd: I give and devise to my beloved
 wife all my Real and Personal property,
 to have and to hold during her natural
 life or widowhood then to be divided, as
 follows.

Item 3d: To my son George, my House and
 cleared land on which I now live, my
 share of the Mill, which is now owned by
 my said son George, Willis Gaskill and
 myself. One Horse if there be any, and
 my large canoe to have and to hold he
 and his heirs and assigns absolutely forever.

Item 4th: And the residue to be equally
 divided between my following named
 children, Rebecca, Tabitha, Agnes, John,
 David and Mary, to have and to hold they
 and their heirs and assigns forever.

Item 5th: I give and bequeath to my daughter
 Polly, One Dollar to have and to hold she
 and her heirs and assigns absolutely forever.

Item 6th: And lastly I do hereby appoint and
 constitute my trusty friend John H. Lipton
 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

and disclaiming utterly void all other Wills and Testament by me heretofore made.

In witness whereof I the said John Mason do herewith set my hand and seal, this 9th day of Oct. A.D. 1873

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the said John Mason, 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.

Franklin ^{his} Mason
David ^{his} Lewis

Admiral

I give to my son George my one half of Schu. Island, and also all my cattle and more after the death of my beloved wife, Sophia Skittens thereto

John ^{his} Mason

State of North Carolina

Hatteras County

In the Superior Court of said County, by George W. Mason and the due execution thereof by the said John Mason by the oath and examination of Franklin Mason and David Lewis 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 John Mason, that the said John Mason 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 9th day of Oct. 1873. And the deponent further saith, that the said John Mason, 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 said 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 John Mason 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 not.

Witness at Franklin Mason

Louis Lewis

Franklin ^{his} Mason
David ^{his} Lewis

Albert K. Howell

Agly. W. Mason

Subscribed and sworn to on and subscribed this 14th day of November 1903

L. A. Howell

Clerk Superior Court

As to David Lewis
Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 16 day of November 1903

Thomas C. Chadwick Jr.

North Carolina

Hatteras County

In the Superior Court of said County, by George W. Mason and the due execution thereof by the said John Mason by the oath and examination of Franklin Mason and David Lewis 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 John Mason, that the said John Mason in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper-writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and

L. A. Howell
Clerk Superior Court