

I^d Rebecca Gillikin of the County of
and State of North Carolina being of sound
mind and memory but Considering the nature
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 Executrix (herein after named) shall
provide for my body a decent burial subject
to the wishes of my relatives and friends, and for
all funeral expenses to gather with my just
debts known and to knowmen owing out of the
moneys that may first come into her hands
as a feast or parcel of my estate

Item I give and devise to my daughter Caldonia
the tract of Cleared Land wherein I now live
and other improvements, to have and to hold to
her and her heirs in fee simple forever

Item I give and devise to my daughter Caldonia
my Bed and Bedstead to have and to hold to
her and her heirs in fee simple forever

Item I give and devise to my daughter Caldonia
five acres of wood Land to have and to hold to
her and her heirs in fee simple forever

Item I give and devise to my daughters Eliza
Louise, Missouri Gillikin, Rhoda J. Garrison
and Charlotte Gillikin all the residue of
my wood Land not otherwise disposed of in
this my will and Testament, in equal propor-
tion and share alike to have and to hold to
them and their heirs in fee simple forever

And Lastly I do hereby constitute
and appoint my truly friend Alfred H. Chatwin
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

very part and clause thereof - hereby revoking
and declaring utterly void all other wills and
testaments by me hitherto made.

In witness whereof
I the said Rebecca Gillikin do hereunto set my hand
and seal this 15 day of May A.D. 1852
Signed sealed published & ^{Rebecca x Gillikin}
and declared by the said
Rebecca Gillikin to be her
last will and Testament in the
presence of us who at her request
and in her presence do subscribe
our names as witnesses thereto
Thos M. Gillikin
Elijah P. Gillikin

Carteret County ✓
Superior Court September 26, 1854

The execution of the
foregoing last will and testament is proved before
me according to law by the oaths and examination
of Mrs. M. Gillikin and Elijah P. Gillikin the
subscribing witnesses thereto, who swear that they
saw Rebecca Gillikin the testatrix execute the
same as her last will and testament; that they
attested it in her presence and at her request
and that at the time of its execution she was in
their opinion of sound mind and disposing memory.

Jno. D. Davis
C. S. C.