

North Carolina, Cherokee County.

I, Dora Nichols, (Widow of P. L. Nichols deceased) of the State and County aforesaid, being of sound mind, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make and declare this my last will and testament:

First. My executor hereinafter named, shall give my body a decent burial, and place at my grave a monument in keeping with my means and wishes of my relatives and friends, and pay all funeral expenses, together with all my just debts, out of the first money which may come into his hands belonging to my estate.

Second. I give and ~~bequeath~~ devise to my beloved Brothers, Mabel D. Collett, and George Collett, and to my beloved sister Amanda Allison, and to each one of them in equal parts, all of my money, Bonds, stamps, certificates of deposits, money in Banks, Notes, accounts or other evidence of indebtedness due to me, that I may be possessed of at the time of my death, after first deducting the amounts expended as provided for in the first paragraph of this instrument.

Third. I give and devise to my trusted friend and relative Dora Lambert, One Bedstead, One Mattress, Two Pillows, Quilt, Blankets, Sheets, Pillow Cases, and such other appurtenances as would constitute a bed complete as designated and pointed to her in the presence of my friends and relatives.

Fourth. I give and devise to my friend and relative Verta Robinson, all of the remainder of my household and

Kitchen furniture, consisting of each and every article contained in my dwelling house and kitchen. (except the bed and furnishings described in paragraph Third of this instrument).

Fifth. I give and devise to the lawful heirs of my father (Hugh Collett deceased) in equal portions to each and every one of them, all of the lands that I may be possessed of, or have any in at the time of my death.

Sixth. I give and devise to the Andrews Baptist Church (in which I hold my membership) all of the remainder of my personal property, consisting of live stock, farm implements, provisions, and each and every article of personal property (not hereinbefore disposed of in this instrument) that I may be possessed of at the time of my death.

Seventh. I hereby constitute and appoint my trusted friend J. R. Leach, 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.

In witness whereof, I, the said Dora Nichols, do hereunto set my hand and seal, this the 9th day of February, 1922.

Dora Nichols Seal.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Dora Nichols, to be her last will and testament in the presence of us, who, at her request and in her presence (and in the presence of each other) do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

R. M. Lambert
Jes. E. Robinson } Witnesses.

Recorded March 21, 1922.

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North Carolina } In the Superior Court -
Cherokee County } Before the clerk.

In the matter of the Will of Dora Nichols, Deceased,
The paper writing hereto attached and purporting to
be the last will and testament of Dora Nichols,
deceased, is exhibited before the undersigned
Clerk of the Superior Court of Cherokee County,
North Carolina, by J. R. Leach, the executor
therein named, and thereupon the following
proof thereof is taken - by the oath and ex-
amination of R. M. Lambert and Geo. E.
Robinson, the subscribing witnesses thereto,
as follows:

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R. M. Lambert and Geo. E. Robinson, being duly
sworn, depose and say, and each for himself
deposes and says, that he is a subscribing
witness to the said paper writing now shown
him, purporting to be the last will and
testament of Dora Nichols, and that he saw
her execute (or heard - acknowledge the execution
of) this writing as her last will and testament,
and that affiant attested it in the presence and
at the request of said Dora Nichols, deceased;
and that at the time of its execution (or
at the time its execution was acknowledged)
said Dora Nichols was, in affiant's opinion,
of sound mind and disposing memory.

R. M. Lambert

Geo. E. Robinson

Severally subscribed and sworn to before me.
This 20 day of March, 1922.

A. L. Johnson

Clerk Superior Court Cherokee County.

And thereupon it is considered and
adjudged by the Court that the said
paper writing and every part thereof is

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is the last will and testament of Dora Nichols,
deceased, and it is ordered that the same, with
the foregoing examination and this certificate,
be recorded and filed.

This 20 day of March, 1922.

A. L. Johnson

Clerk Superior Court of Cherokee County.