

North Carolina
Cherokee County, July the 19th 1897.

I Ellar Coleman, do
Will what I have to Nancy Miggins and
Paralee Coleman.

(Signed) Ellar Coleman
J. M. Gibson
Lucy Gibson

State of North Carolina
Cherokee County,

Nancy Miggins presents a
paper writing for probate purporting to be
the last will and testament of Ellar Coleman
deceased, and states on oath

- I That applicant is a devisee in the said
Will.
- II That the testator owned two shares in
the lands of her deceased father worth
about two hundred dollars one half interest
in one mule value about \$30.00, 7 Bee stumps
and wearing apparel &c worth about \$15.00
- III That residence of Nancy Miggins your
applicant is Murphy Cherokee County N.C.
and the other devisee resides at his mother's
home in Cherokee County N.C. P.O. Murphy N.C.
- IV That one of the devisees is a minor and
without Guardian, to-wit: - Paralee Coleman

(Signed) Nancy Miggins

Subscribed and sworn to before me on
this August 27th 1897.

(Signed) D. L. Waller Clerk
Superior Court

State of North Carolina

Cherokee County, ss. In the Superior Court,
a paper writing purporting to be
the last will and testament of Ellar Coleman,
deceased, is exhibited before me the undersigned
Clerk of the Superior Court for said County by
Nancy Miggins one of the devisees therein mentioned
and the due execution thereof by the said Ellar
Coleman, by the oath and examination of
J. M. Gibson and Lucy Gibson the subscribing
witnesses thereto: - who being duly sworn, each
depose and say, and each for themselves depose
and saith, that they are the subscribing witnesses
to the paper writing now shown them purporting
to be the last will and testament of Ellar Coleman
in the presence of these deponents. Subscribed her
name at the end of said paper writing which
is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears
date of the 19th day of July 1897.

And the deponents further said, that the said
Ellar Coleman the testatrix aforesaid, died at
the time of subscribing her name as aforesaid
deponent the said paper writing so subscribed by
her, and exhibited to be her last will and testament
and these deponents did themselves subscribe their
names at the end of said will as attesting witnesses
thereto and at the request and in the presence of said
testatrix, and these deponents further said, that
at the said time when the said testatrix subscribed
her name to said last will as aforesaid, and at
the time of deponents subscribing their names
as attesting witnesses, thereto as aforesaid, the
said Ellar Coleman was of sound mind and
memory, of full age to execute a will, and
was not under any restraint, to the knowledge or
information or belief of these deponents, and
further these deponents say not. (Signed) J. M. Gibson
Lucy Gibson

Specially sworn and subscribed this 27th day of
August 1897. before me.

D. L. Waller Clerk
Superior Court.
By J. M. Gibson Deponent

North Carolina
 Cherokee County 1895 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 Ellen Coleman,
 deceased. Let the said will together with
 the probate, be recorded and filed
 This 27th day of August, 1897.

(Signed) D. L. Waller
 By D. D. Dorman Dep. Clerk
 Superior Court.