

Record of wills

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the said Sarah Hancock 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.

D. W. Hillman

R. G. Kition

State of North Carolina
Cherokee County

In the Superior Court

Feb. 30th 1873.

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and Testament of Sarah Hancock is exhibited in open Court by M. R. Kinsey and the due execution thereof is duly proven by the oath and examination of R. G. Kition one of the subscribing witnesses, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that D. W. Hillman one of the subscribing witnesses to the last will and testament of Sarah Hancock deceased is a nonresident of this State whereupon M. R. Kinsey and R. G. Kition being by me duly sworn each for himself doth say that he is acquainted with the hand writing of the said D. W. Hillman the subscribing witness aforesaid and that his signature thereto is genuine and that they each saw him sign his name as witness to the said will aforesaid.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the last will and Testament of the said Sarah Hancock deceased and the same is ordered to be recorded.

Given under my hand at office in Murphy the day and date above written

A. H. Hill

Clerk Superior Court

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I, Jason Lowrance of the County of Cherokee and State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and memory do make publish and declare to be my last will and Testament to wit, first

All my just debts and funeral expenses shall be fully paid

Item Second. I give devise and bequeath unto Joseph Lowrance my eldest son a certain piece of Land lying and being in Cherokee County North Carolina on the west side of Persimmon Creek known as the place where Joseph Lowrance now lives being one hundred acres more or less provided that the said Joseph Lowrance pays unto my other Heirs the sum of one hundred dollars to wit Twenty five dollars in good property to Edy Pingleton and Twenty five dollars to Sarah Garland in good property and Twenty five dollars to Brownie Lowrance to be paid in good property and Twenty five dollars to be paid to Eliza Ann Lowrance to be paid in good property

Item Third. I devise and bequeath unto Brownie Lowrance my second eldest son a certain piece or parcel of land lying and being in Cherokee County and State of North Carolina known as the J. C. Dameron's lot of land being a part of lot No 101 the west end down to a certain cross fence to a post oak on the original line of lot No 101 thence with a Conditional line with a cross fence to a post oak on the top of a ridge to the original line of lot No 101

Item Fourth. I give devise and bequeath unto Logan Lowrance my third eldest son a certain piece or parcel of land lying and being in Cherokee County and State of North Carolina Beginning on a post oak of lot No 101 and runs north west with the head of a ridge to a pine thence north to a pine of tract No 98 including all the lands that I now own west of said line on both sides of Persimmon Creek in my mansion house and all the rest of my buildings

Item Fifth. I give and devise and bequeath unto Hongo Anderson my grand son a certain piece or parcel of land lying and being in Cherokee County North Carolina the remainder of the J. C. Dameron's lot No 101 and a part of lot 98 adjoining lot No 90

Item Sixth. I give devise and bequeath unto my son Logan my third son my wagon and all of my farming tools

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- Item — Seventh. I appoint Logan Lowrance my third son
Guardian for Hugo Anderson my grand son
- Item — Eighth. I Jason Lowrance bind my three sons
Joseph Lowrance and Brownlow Lowrance and Logan
Lowrance in case of necessity, to aid and assist me
- Item — Ninth. I give devise and bequeath unto my grand
son Hugo Anderson one bed and bed clothing
- Item — Tenth. I give devise and bequeath unto Eliza Ann
Lowrance my third daughter all of my household
and kitchen furniture including a sewing machine
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal on the 22nd day of June 1893

Jason Lowrance (and)

Signed and sealed published and declared this
my last will and Testament by the above named
Testator in our presence who have at his request
and in his presence and in the presence of each
other signed our names as witnesses thereto

Stephen W. Loefgrens (and)
Columbus Cole (and)

State of North Carolina } In Superior Court
Cherokee County } Before the Clerk

A paper writing purporting to be
the last will and Testament of Jason Lowrance
deceased is exhibited in open Court by Logan Lowrance
one of the heirs of Jason Lowrance deceased and the due
execution thereof is duly proven by the oath and
examination of Stephen W. Loefgrens and Columbus
Cole the subscribing witnesses thereto

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the said
paper writing and every part thereof is the last
will and Testament of the said Jason Lowrance and
the same is ordered to be recorded

Given under my hand at office in Murphy on
this the 23rd day of February 1894

A. L. Hill Clerk
Superior Court

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State of North Carolina Cherokee County
Whereas there is uncertain and being
a sound mind and disposing memory
I make and publish this my
last will and Testament
I do devise and make the following
requests

- 1st That my soul be returned to God
when called, it
- 2nd That all of my real and personal
property, that shall remain after
my debts and funeral expenses
are paid, be or remain for
the benefit of my beloved wife Ella
McCallene, so long as she shall
remain my widow
- 3rd That my daughters shall inherit
my real and personal part of my
estate, when the second clause of this
will shall have become void and
do hereby appoint W. R. Walker as the
executor of my will, who at present
resides at Chocoma, Cherokee County
- Witness My Hand this 21st day of February
1894

B. G. Webb
R. L. Collett

State of North Carolina } In Superior Court
Cherokee County } Before the Clerk

A paper writing purporting
to be the last will and Testament of W. R.
Walker deceased is exhibited in open Court
by W. R. Walker the Executor named in
the will and the due execution
thereof is duly proven by the oath and
examination of B. G. Webb and R. L.
Collett the subscribing witnesses
thereto

It is therefore ordered by the Court that
the said paper writing and every