

State of North Carolina
Cumberland County

In the Name of God Amen I Catherine
Ross of the County and State above said,
being of sound and perfect mind and
Memory Blessed be God, do this ~~day~~
the day of October in the year one
Thousand Eight Hundred and sixty two
do make and publish this my last
will and Testament, in manner and
form following, That is to say, first
I give and Bequeath unto Daniel Ross
my stock of seven Head of cattle
also my stock of Hogs, Together
with all my house hold and
Kitchen furniture. Consisting
in part of two beds and Steels
with the Chaiting. I hereby make
and ordain this my last will
and Testament, in witness whereof,
I the said Catherine Ross have to
this my last will and Testament
set my hand and seal, the day and year
first written signed sealed published
and declared by the said Catherine Ross
the Testator as her last will and Testament
in the presence of Catherine ^{Ross} ~~Ross~~ ^{Deed}
J. D. McArthur as to her mark
C. Patterson as to her mark

Will

Catherine Ross

Filed the 10th 1862

Recorded in Book
of May 95.

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State of Ark. }
Cumberland County }
Court of Pleas and }
Quintess Sessions }
December Term 1867.

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Catharine Poff deceased is exhibited for probate in open Court, and the due execution thereof by the said Catharine Poff is proved by the oath and examination of J. D. McArthur one of the subscribing witnesses thereto. It is therefore considered by the Court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the last will and testament of the said Catharine Poff and the same is ordered to be recorded and filed.

Whereupon, no executor being named in the said will, letters of administration with the said will annexed are granted to Robert W. Hardie who duly qualifies as such by giving bond and taking the oath required by law.