

State of North Carolina,

Gaston County.

I, Jane Caroline Adams, wife of Wm. T. Adams, of the County of Gaston and State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and memory but considering the uncertainty of human life, do hereby make and declare this my last will and testament in manner and form following:

FIRST: I give and bequeath to my beloved husband William T. Adams all my personal property of any and every kind including household and kitchen furniture, notes, bonds, mortgages, money and anything else of a personal nature of which I may die possessed.

SECOND: I give and devise to my said husband, W. T. Adams, all of my real estate of every kind and any interest I may have in the same- consisting of one half interest in the tract of land whereon we now live and which was deeded to myself and sister Mary McAlister by our Mother Jane McAlister by deed dated Aug. 1, 1876 and recorded in the Register's office of Gaston County also my share in the one half of my said sister Mary deceased whether the same be divided or undivided and if the said land should be sold for division then I give and bequeath to me said husband the money for all my interest in said half to him and his heirs forever.

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THIRD. In order that there may be no trouble in the construction of this will after my death I hereby declare that my purpose is to leave to my said husband all my property real personal and mixed to be his and his heirs forever free from the interference of any and all other parties. I wish also to leave on record in this my will my appreciation of his kindness to and care of my dear mother and sister Mary up to the time of their deaths.

FOURTH: I do hereby appoint my friend George M. Dickson of Gaston County State of North Carolina, Executor of this my last will and testament and it is my wish that he shall not be required to give any bond.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 6th day of July, A. D. 1903.

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Jane Caroline X Adams (Seal)
mark

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The above instrument, consisting of two sheets of paper, was at the date thereof declared by the testatrix Jane C. Adams, wife of W. T. Adams to be her last will and testament and that she had subscribed

the same freely voluntarily and without any fear or compulsion whatever of her husband and at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other we sign our names hereto as attesting witnesses.

This the 6th day of JULY, A. D. 1903.

R. Q. Howe,	Residing in Gaston County.
George A. Sparrow	Residing in Gaston County.
W. W. Faires	Residing in Gaston County.

State of North Carolina,

In the Superior Court,

Gaston County.

In the Matter of the last will of Jane Caroline Adams:

It appearing to the Court by the oath and examination of R. Q. Howe, and W. W. Faires the subscribing witnesses thereto, that the paper writing propounded by the Executor therein named, is the last will and testament of Jane Caroline Adams, and that the same was duly executed by said Jane Caroline Adams in the presence of said witnesses and that at the time of signing the same the said Jane Caroline Adams was of sound mind. IT is thereupon adjudged that the said paper writing be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of the said Jane Caroline Adams, and the Executor therein named qualify as such.

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THIS the 11th day of November, 1910.

C. C. Cornwell, Clerk Superior Court.