

and by the oath and examination of C. C. Mc. Gowan & J. B. Mc. Gowan as to the genuine signature of Sidney R. Berry of the subscribing witnesses thereto. It is therefore considered by the Court, that the said paper writing, and was full thereof, is the last Will and Testament of the said Rebecca Binnwright. And therefore the said last Will and Testament, executed as aforesaid, duly qualified as such, by taking the oath required by law.

For L. (binding) Probate Judge
of Greene County.

Last Will and Testament of Birechey Swinson.
North Carolina
Greene County.

I Birechey Swinson of the County of Greene and State of Virginia being of sound mind and memory, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make and declare that to be my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say—
That my executor (hereinafter named) shall provide for my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my relatives and friends and pay all funeral expenses together with my just debts, out of the money that may first come into his hands as a part and parcel of my estate.

I give and devise to Hippiie S. Taylor my step daughter the one bed and one small bed also bed stands to go with them, one sideboard in parlor one set of chairs one chest & bedclothes in same known as Hippiie's chest one clock, one cow, the half of my crockery dining room furniture, one cow and pig, one large dinner pot, one large blue chest, one half of my goss and all the balance of my goods, to have and to hold to her & her heirs forever.

I give and devise to Annie Caswell, my step Grand daughter, one set of chairs, one large chest known as her grand father's chest, one press in dining room one half of crockery & all other dining room furniture, the cup board, one large bed one cooking stove, one cow and pig one dinner pot, and one hundred dollars in money. To have and to hold to her and her heirs forever.

I give and devise to my nephew Deshae Wood my double barrel gun to hold to him and his heirs forever.
I give and devise to my Brother Guler Barron, one piece of the value of five dollars, to have and to hold to him and his heirs forever, all my sea also the balance of my cooking utensil that were my mother's not otherwise disposed of.
I give and devise to my nephew Sharp R. Wood one piece of the value of five dollars to have and to hold to him and his heirs forever.

I desire that the balance of my property not heretofore disposed of be sold by my executor herein after named, and out of the money arising from said sale I desire my debts and funeral expenses to be paid and any money left over after paying said funeral expenses and debts be applied by executor, to the payment of said sum of one hundred dollars given to Annie Caswell, and whatever sum of money left after paying the specified legacies heretofore named, I desire that the same shall be equally divided between the said Hippiie S. Taylor and Annie Caswell.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend Thos. Edwards my lawful Executor to execute this my last Will and Testament, according to the true intent and meaning of the same, and every part and clause thereof. Herby revoking and declaring utterly void all other Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made.

In witness whereof, I the said Birechey Swinson do hereunto set my hand and seal, this 10th day of April 1876.

Signed, sealed, published and declared
by the said Birechey Swinson to be ^{her} Birechey Swinson (mark)
her last Will & Testament, in the presence
of us who at her request, and in her presence
do subscribe our name as witnesses thereto.

John Harver
John H. Taylor

State of North Carolina }
Greene County } So In the Probate Court.

A paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Birechey Swinson deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Judge of Probate of said County, by Thos. Edwards the executor therein named, and the due execution thereof by the said Birechey

Sworn by the oath and examination of John Harvey
 & John H. Taylor the subscribing witnesses thereto:
 who being duly sworn, did then and say, and each
 for himself, Alfoeth and Gith, that he is a subscribing
 witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting
 to be the last Will and Testament of Birchey Swinson
 that the said Birchey Swinson in the presence of this
 Dependent subscribed her name at the end of said
 paper writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and
 which bears date of the 11th day of April 1876.

And the Dependent further saith, that the said Birchey Swinson
 the testatrix aforesaid, did at the time of subscribing
 her name as aforesaid, before the said paper writing,
 so subscribed by her and exhibited, to be her last
 Will and Testament, and this Dependent did therein
 subscribe his name at the end of said Will, as an attesting
 witness thereto, and at the request, and in the presence
 of the said testatrix. And this Dependent further saith
 that at the said time when the said testatrix
 subscribed her name to the said last Will as aforesaid,
 and at the time of the Dependent subscribing
 his name as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid
 the said Birchey Swinson was of sound mind and
 memory, of full age to execute a Will, and was not under
 any restraint to the knowledge, information or
 belief of this Dependent. And further these Dependent
 say well.

Subscribed and subscribed John Harvey (real)
 John H. Taylor (real)
 this 11th day of April 1876, before me,

Geo. E. Driskley, Probate Judge

State of North Carolina, In the Probate Court
 of Greene County, Sept. 4th 1876.

A paper writing, purporting to be the last will
 and Testament of Birchey Swinson, deceased, is
 exhibited for probate in open Court by Thos. Edwards
 the executor therein named, and the due execution
 thereof by the said Birchey Swinson is proved by
 the oath and examination of John Harvey and
 John H. Taylor 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 Birchey Swinson, and
 the same is ordered to be recorded and filed:

And therefore the said Thos. Edwards executor as aforesaid,
 duly qualifies as such by taking the oath required by law
 John E. Williams Probate
 Judge of Greene County

Last Will and Testament of George Miller

North Carolina

Greene County

I George Miller
 of the County of Greene and State of North Carolina
 being of sound mind and memory, but considering the
 uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make and declare
 this my last Will and Testament in manner and form
 following that is to say. First that my Executors
 (here after named) shall provide for my body & decent
 burial suitable to the wishes of my relatives and friends
 and pay all funeral expenses together with my just
 debts, howsoever and to whomsoever owing out of the
 monies that may first come in his hands as I put or
 parted of my estate, I then I leave to my beloved wife
 Elizabeth one hundred twenty and one half Acres of Land
 her life time or widow hood, and at her death my marriage
 Land Land to go to her lawful begotten heirs of her
 body by me, to them in fee simple forever
 I then I give and bequeath to my beloved wife one
 Horse and Rule all Farming Tools House hold and
 Kitchen furniture and all the provisions and needs
 at my death in fee simple forever
 I then My will and desire is that all the residue of
 my estate (if any) after taking out the debts and
 legacies above mentioned shall be sold and the value
 owing to me collected and if there shall be any surplus
 over the payment of debts expenses and legacies that
 such surplus shall be paid over to my son George
 M. H. Miller to his Guardian by then administration
 and assigns absolutely. I then I do appoint my trusty
 friends William T. Dixons Gauchard to my son George
 M. H. Miller and Cally I do hereby constitute and
 appoint my trusty friends W. T. Dixons 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