

State of North Carolina } Nov. 24th 1866,
 Hurd County }
 I D. A. Spivey Clerk of Hurd County
 do hereby Certify that the within
 is a true copy of the Last-Will and Testament of Benjamin Thomas
 Decedent, as on file in my office.
 Given under my hand and Seal of
 office Nov. 24th 1866
 D. A. Spivey Clerk.

Certified Copy
 of the Last-Will
 Testament of
 B. Pridgen.

I, Henry R. Pridgen of the County of Hurd and State of North Carolina
 being of Sound Mind and Memory do make and declare this my last
 Will and Testament in Manner and form following, this is to Say:
 First, that my Execution hereinafter named Shall provide for my
 body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my relations and friends
 and pay all funeral expenses, together with all my just debts,
 from whom and to whomsoever owing out of the Estates then my
 heirs come into this hands as a part or part of my estate
 Item 1st I give and devise unto my beloved wife Mary T. Pridgen
 during her natural life all my land, Money, Stock of every
 kind, household and Kitchen furniture, and in the meantime she the
 said Mary T. Pridgen can give off to each child their respective
 legacies hereinafter named
 Item 2nd I give to my Son H. R. Pridgen, after the death of his mother
 Mary T. Pridgen one half of my land, one horse, Bridle and
 Saddle, one Cow and calf, one Sow and pigs, two ploughs, and
 gear, one Horse Cart, one Bed and its necessary furniture to
 him and the lawful begotten heirs of his body forever
 Item 3rd I give to Edward Rouse and Edw and Rouse each
 one Bed and its necessary furniture, to them and the lawful begotten
 heirs of their body then surviving, but if they leave no issue then
 to come back to my children Henry R. Elizabeth J. Nancy, David
 D. M. B. Hill
 Item 4th I give to my daughter Mary B. Hill wife of D. B. Hill
 1/4 part of the remainder of my land and if she dies without
 issue lawfully begotten of her body then to come back to my
 other four children Henry R. Elizabeth J. Nancy and David E.
 Item 5th I give to my daughter Nancy, Elizabeth J. and David E.
 Pridgen the balance of my land to them and their heirs,
 also one Bed and its necessary furniture each, to them and
 the lawful begotten heirs of their body forever
 My Will is that if any of my children before mentioned shall
 die lawfully begotten of their body then surviving
 then in that case the legacies herein given shall come back
 to the survivors or survivors of my children and the lawful

begotten heirs of their body then surviving forever
 and lastly I hereby nominate and appoint my Son Henry R.
 Pridgen my lawful executor to execute this my last Will
 & Testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same
 hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other Wills and
 Testaments by me heretofore made
 In witness whereof I do hereby Set my hand and Seal the
 24th day of August - A. D. 1866.
 Signed Sealed published
 and declared by the said
 H. R. Pridgen to be his Last-
 Will Testament in presence of
 us who at his request do subscribe
 our names as witnesses thereof
 H. B. Bell-
 Patrick Tynell.

H. R. Pridgen (Seal)

State of North Carolina } I hereby Certify the above to
 Hurd County } be a true copy of H. R. Pridgen's
 Last-Will and Testament as is
 on file in this office, this the 14th day of February 1866.
 D. A. Spivey Clerk
 of Hurd County.

Last-Will
 Testament of
 Susan Robertson

Hurd County State of North Carolina
 This the first day of December A. D. 1864
 Know all Men by these presents I Susan Robertson
 of Hurd County and State of North Carolina being of
 Sound Mind and Memory, but considering the
 uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and
 publish this my last Will and Testament in Manner
 and form viz:
 I give and devise unto my lawful husband James R.
 Robertson all of my whole estate both real and personal
 to have and to hold to him and his heirs and assigns
 in fee simple forever. In witness whereunto I the said
 Susan Robertson do Set my hand and Seal in presence
 of us
 W. T. Hill
 H. B. Bell
 H. R. Pridgen
 Witnesses
 Susan Robertson (Seal)
 State of North Carolina } In the Superior Court
 Hurd County }

A paper purporting to be the last will and Testament of Susan Robertson, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, clerk of the Superior for said County, by James P. Robertson the legatee named in the will, and the due execution thereof by the said Susan Robertson by the oath and examination of W. A. Tabbler and J. W. Thout, the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn, doth depose and say, and each for himself depose and faith, that he is a Subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the last will & Testament of Susan Robertson the said Susan Robertson in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 1st day of December 1884.

And this deponent further saith, that the said Susan Robertson the testator aforesaid, did, at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid, declare the said paper writing so subscribed by him, and exhibited, to be his last will and Testament and this deponent did thereupon subscribe his name at the end of said will as an attesting witness thereto, and at the request and in the presence of said testator, and this deponent further saith that at the said time when the said testator subscribed his name to the said last will as aforesaid, and at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid, the said Susan Robertson 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 deponent. And further this deponent says, viz:

Severally Sworn and
Subscribed this 22nd day
of April 1884, before me
J. W. Patrick C. S. C.

North Carolina: The paper writing purporting to be the last will and Testament of Susan Robertson deceased, is exhibited for Probate in open Court by James P. Robertson the legatee to the due execution thereof by the said Susan Robertson is shown by the oath and examination of W. A. Tabbler and J. W. Thout, the subscribing witnesses thereto. It is considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing and every part and clause thereof is the last will and Testament of Susan Robertson deceased and the same is ordered to be recorded & filed
J. W. Patrick C. S. C.

In the name of God Amen, I John Reddick of the State of North Carolina Leno County being very sensible in body, but of perfect mind and memory calling to mind the mortality of my body, knowing that it is appointed for all men to die, do make and Ordain this my last will and Testament, first of all I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God and thus give it, nothing doubting but I shall receive the same again, May the mighty power of God, and as touching my worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I give, divide and dispose of the following manner form to wit: I lend my loving wife Martha Reddick my Leno land and corn fields in the mill field, and the orchard field her natural life, I lend the orchard also to my wife like Benjamin Reddick is twenty one years old, then one fourth part of the orchard to my wife Martha her natural life, I lend the mill to my wife like Benjamin Reddick is twenty five years old, also I lend my Shop to my wife like my son is twenty five years old, a plenty of fire wood and nice timber and acton timbers sufficient to support all this I have lent to my wife, the orchard, the mill the Shop to be given up when the time mentioned in the will does come, I also lend to my wife two beds, dress and furniture also three horses and one cart, two cows and calves, forty head of hogs, ten head of sheep, the kitchen furniture, two tables, twelve chairs, all the Bannels, blankets & Rachel, and Sarah and Mary and Tom and Peter Brady and Job, and their increase and three plows & gear, provisions & wheels of every kind & great house furniture except my bed & bedstead and unto my wife her natural life, after her death then to my son Benjamin Reddick
2. I give to my son Benjamin Reddick all the rest of my lands forever and to his immediate use, and one gun, one horse, and the new bed and bedstead, one negro man Jim, and one negro boy Jim, and negro woman by the name of Chesey, and after his mother's death, I give all my property, consisting of rice and peristake after his mother's death to Benjamin Reddick forever
3. If Benjamin Reddick dies and leaves no heirs lawfully begotten of his body, all my lands on the North East side of the driving branch I give to William Taylor, I give all the rest of my land on the North West side of the driving branch, to Isaac & Aymer son of John Taylor