

Signed sealed and published by the said Lucretia Edmonds to be her last will, and testament in presence of us at her request and in her presence do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

Atttest

Geo. W. Lane
E. C. Cobb

Smith Edmonds ✓

State of North Carolina, In Superior Court
Greene County, Before J. W. Blount, Clerk
In Re Estate

Order for Probate of Will.

Lucretia Edmonds deced.

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Lucretia Edmonds decd., is exhibited in open court for probate, Haywood Edmundson Executor therein named; and the due execution thereof by said Lucretia Edmonds decd., is duly proven by the oath and affirmation of Geo. W. Lane and E. C. Cobb (2 of the) subscribing witnesses thereto and it is further shown to the satisfaction of the court by said witnesses that the said Lucretia Edmonds was, at the time of making said will, of sound mind and memory, of full age, to execute a will and under no restraint to their knowledge, information or belief.

It is thereupon considered, adjudged and decreed, that said proof is sufficient and according to law and that said paper writing is and contains the last will and testament of Lucretia Edmonds decd. And on motion it is ordered that said will be admitted to probate and recorded in the Book of Wills of Greene County and as such filed as provided by law in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of said County. It is further ordered that said Haywood Edmundson be allowed to qualify as executor as provided by law and enter upon the discharge of the duties imposed by said trust.

Dated this 6th day of Dec'r 1897.

J. W. Blount,
Clerk of Superior Court.

North Carolina = Pitt County
I John O. Pollard of the aforesaid County considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, and being in sound health both of mind and body do make and declare this my last will and testament:

First- I consign my soul to my maker who gave it and I leave my body to be buried by my Executor, to be hereinafter named in a manner suitable to the wishes of my family and friends and he shall pay all expenses of the same together with all my just and honest debts out of the first moneys that shall come into his hands as a part or parcel of my estate.

Item 1st I give and bequeath to my wife Sarah Pollard three hundred dollars of my personal estate to be paid to her by my executor immediately after my death.

Item 2nd The remainder of my personal estate I give and bequeath to my wife Sarah Pollard, my daughter Mary E. Edmonds wife of B. W. Edmonds, and my son W. A. Pollard to be divided equally between them share and share alike.

Item 3rd I give bequeath and devise to my daughter Mary E. Edmonds wife of B. W. Edmonds, the tract of land in Pitt County known as the Mr. Arthur Place containing one hundred and fifty five and one half acres and another tract in Wayne County North Carolina adjoining the lands of Haywood Ail. The Hughes Place and the lands of B. W. Edmonds containing by estimation one hundred and ten acres upon condition that she pay to my wife Sarah Pollard the sum of \$1000.00 annually as long she may live to her and her heirs forever. In the event however that my said daughter Mary E. Edmonds shall die without leaving any living issue begotten of her body then and in that case the said tracts of land shall go to my son W. A. Pollard upon the same conditions as it was devised to my daughter Mary E.

Edwards.

Item 4th The remainder of my real estate consisting of and including my home tract or the tract on which I now live containing one hundred and seventy five acres, a tract adjoining purchased from E. S. Dyson containing one hundred and fifty three acres and one tract purchased from Alfred Forbes containing eighteen acres making a total of three hundred and forty six acres. I give bequeath and devise to my son W. A. Pollard to him and his heirs forever upon the condition that he take care of his mother and pay her the sum of One hundred dollars annually during her natural life.

Item 5th The yearly amounts to be paid to my wife by my son and daughter are given her in kind of land as it is my will and desire that they shall have the control of the land willed to them and the sums paid yearly by them with the money and personal property willed to her will be sufficient to give her a comfortable living.

Lastly I constitute and appoint my son William L. Pollard my lawful executor to this my last will and testament to execute the same according to the true intent and meaning thereof.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this 5th day of August 1886.

Signed and sealed
in the presence of us
who at the request
of the said
W. A. Pollard doth
sign the same
as witnesses thereto

E. A. Moya
E. S. Dyson.

John A. Pollard (Seal)

State of North Carolina, } In Superior Court:
Greene County. } Before Clerk
in the Estate } Order for Probate of Will.
John A. Pollard, deceased

A paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John A. Pollard, dec'd. is exhibited in open court for probate by W. A. Pollard, Executor therein named; and the due execution thereof by the said John A. Pollard, dec'd. is duly proven by the oath and examination of E. A. Moya and E. S. Dyson subscribing witnesses thereto and is so further shown to the satisfaction of the court by said witnesses that the said John A. Pollard was at the time of making said will, of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a will and under no restraint to their knowledge, information or belief.

It is thereupon considered, adjudged and decreed, that said proof is sufficient and according to law and that said paper writing his and contains the last Will and Testament of John A. Pollard, dec'd. And on motion it is ordered that said Will be admitted to probate and recorded in the Book of Wills of Greene County and as such filed as provided by law in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court of said County.

It is further ordered that said W. A. Pollard be allowed to qualify as executor as provided by law and enter upon the discharge of the duties imposed by said trust.

Dated this the 26th day of July 1894.

J. W. B. Court

Clerk of Superior Court.