

name at the end of said will as an attesting witness thereto, and at the request and in the presence of the 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 deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said John John Ormond 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 these deponents say east.

J. A. Aldredge. (Seal)
Wm. Smith. (Seal)

Severally sworn and
subscribed this 3^d day of
May 1895 before me
J. W. Blount
Clerk Superior Court

State of North Carolina } In Superior Court.
Greene County } Before J. W. Blount, Clerk.
In Re Estate of }
John J. Ormond dec'd } For Probate of Will

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of John J. Ormond, dec'd, is exhibited in open court for probate by W. W. Ormond Executor therein named; and the due execution thereof by the said John J. Ormond, dec'd, is duly proven by the oath and examination of J. A. Aldredge and Wm. Smith subscribing witnesses thereto, and it is further shown to the satisfaction of the Court by said witnesses that the John J. Ormond 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 paper is sufficient and according to law and that said paper-writing is and contains the last will and testament of John J. Ormond, 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. W. Ormond be allowed to qualify as executor as provided by law and enter upon the discharge of the duties imposed by said trust, Subscribed this 3^d day of May 1895.

J. W. Blount
Clerk of Superior Court.

State of North Carolina }
Greene County }

In the name of God, Amen.

I Joseph A. Frazier of County of Greene in the 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 the manner and form following, to wit:

Item 1st It is my will and desire that my executrix (hereinafter named) shall provide for my body a decent burial, suitable to the wishes of my relatives & friends, and pay all funeral expenses together with my just debts, however and to whomsoever owing, out of such moneys as shall first come into her hands as a part or parcel of my estate.

Item 2nd I give and devise to my beloved wife Pennington Frazier the twelve acre tract or lot of land where I now live including my mansion home and all buildings and improvements thereon situated - also a certain tract of land containing fifty acres more or less adjoining the lands of J. B. Jones, W. P. Aswell & others and known as a part of the D. B. Frazier Land, also one certain tract of land containing fifty acres more or less adjoining the lands of William G. Gagnan, the D. A. Sugg, heirs, the Patrick Lynech lands & others, known as the Barfield Land - also ten acres of cleared land of the Downing Tract owned by me with the home thereon where Isaac Edwards now lives, adjoining the said Barfield Land and being all of the cleared land of the Downing Tract lying in the same opening with said Barfield Tract, also three acres of the said Downing Tract with the home thereon where Henry Edwards now lives, all of said land being situated in the County, State aforesaid - To have and to hold the said tracts and parcels of land to her my said wife Pennington Frazier for and during the term of her natural life and no longer, in satisfaction for and in lieu of her dower and third of and in

my real estate.

Item 3rd. I give and devise to my son Joseph W. Frazier all of my "Downing tract" of land lying on the west side of Fort Run in said County containing 224 acres more or less subject as to thirteen acres of said tract to the life estate in said thirteen acres therefore given to my wife in Item second of this will above. Also Forty six acres of land adjoining the twelve acre tract whereon I live, lying on the East side of the new road near my home, and being a part of my Smith tract of land, both of said tracts situate in the County and state aforesaid; to have and to hold the said tracts of land unto him my said son and his heirs in fee simple forever.

Item 4th. I give and devise to my son Joseph W. Frazier, after the death of my wife Penmina Frazier, all of the twelve acre tract of land whereon I now live together with my mansion house and all improvements and buildings thereon situated, to have and to hold unto him and his heirs in fee simple forever.

Item 5th. I give and devise to my two daughters Fannie & Waters and Georgia Taylor, after the death of my wife Penmina Frazier, that certain tract of land containing fifty acres more or less known as part of the O.B. Frazier land, and that certain tract containing fifty acres; more or less known as my Barfield tract of land situate in said County and state and being more fully described in item second above wherein said lands are given to my wife Penmina Frazier for and during the term of her natural life, to have and to hold the said lands after after the death of my said wife to them my said daughters and their heirs in fee simple forever.

Item 6th. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Penmina Frazier one half of all my horses, mules, cattle, hogs, buggies, carts and other farming implement, goods, wares and merchandise and all other personal property of every description which which I may have at the time of my death, except household and kitchen furniture.

Item 7th. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife all of my household and kitchen furniture of every description except one bed, bedstead & bed covering for the

same which I intend for my son Joseph W. Frazier. I give and bequeath to my son Joseph W. Frazier one bed, bedstead and bed covering to be selected by his mother, also one half of all my horses, mules, cattle, hogs, buggies, carts & other farming implement, goods, wares and merchandise and all other personal property of every description which I may have at the time of my death.

Item 9th. I give and bequeath to my two daughters Fannie & Waters and Georgia Taylor one thousand dollars in equal shares of five hundred dollars each to be paid to them by my executor from any moneys in his hands belonging to my estate, after paying my just debts, and before any division of said moneys between my said wife and my said son Joseph W. Frazier. Also I give and bequeath to my said daughters in equal shares my entire interest in a certain policy of life insurance for my benefit on the life of my wife Penmina Frazier in the Hartford Life and annuity Insurance Co of Hartford & Conn. said policy being for the sum of Two thousand dollars.

Item 10th. All the residue of my estate if any there be at the time of my death I hereby give, devise and bequeath to my said wife Penmina Frazier and my son Joseph Frazier in equal shares.

Item 11th. And whereas my son Joseph W. Frazier is a minor of the age of nineteen years and will not be of the full age of twenty one years until the 30th day of December 1897, it is my will and devise that in the event of my death, all the property real and personal herein given, devised and bequeathed to my said son Joseph W. Frazier shall be and remain in the absolute control of my said Executor herein after named until my said son shall have attained the full age of twenty one years - And lastly, I do hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife Penmina Frazier my lawful executor, without bond, 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, hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills and testaments heretofore made by me.

Joseph W. Frazier (red)

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Joseph W. Frazier (red)

Signed, sealed published
and declared by the said
Joseph A. Frazier to be his
last will and testament in
the presence of us, the under-
signed, who in his presence
and at his request and in
the presence of each other do
subscribe our names as
witnesses thereto.

L. V. Morill.
H. H. Ham.
J. B. Carlisle.

State of North Carolina } In the
Greene County } Superior Court.

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and
testament of Joseph A. Frazier deceased, is exhibited
before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for
said County, by Pennington Frazier the executor, therein
mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said
Jos. A. Frazier is proved by the oath and examination
of L. V. Morill and J. B. Carlisle (two of) the subscribing
witnesses thereto: who, being duly sworn, each depose
and say, and each for himself depose and
swear, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper-
writing now shown him purporting to be the last
will and testament of Jos. A. Frazier that the
said Jos. A. Frazier in the presence of this deponent
subscribed his name name at the end of said
paper writing, now shown him as aforesaid, and
which bears date of the 15th day of Sept-1896. And
the deponent further swears, that the said Jos. A. Frazier
the testator aforesaid, died, at the time of subscribing
his name as aforesaid, declared the said paper writing
to be 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 of the said testator. And
this deponent further swears that at the said
time when the said testator subscribed his name

to the said last will as aforesaid, and at the time of
deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting
witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said Jos. A. Frazier
was of sound mind and memory, of full age to
execute a will, and was not under any restrai-
nt to the knowledge, information or belief of this
deponent: And further these deponents say not.

L. V. Morill (seal)
J. B. Carlisle (seal)

Severally sworn and
subscribed this 7th day of
June 1897 before me
J. W. Blount
Clerk Superior Court.

State of North Carolina } In Superior Court
Greene County } before J. W. Blount, Clerk
In the Estate of } Order for probate of will
J. A. Frazier, deceased.

A paper writing purporting to
be the last will and testament of Jos. A. Frazier, deceased, is exhibi-
ted in open Court for probate by Pennington Frazier, Executor,
therein named: and the due execution thereof by the J. A. Frazier,
deceased, is duly proven by the oath and examination of L. V. Morill
and J. B. Carlisle (two of) the subscribing witnesses thereto
and it is further shown to the satisfaction of the Court by
the said witnesses that the said Jos. A. Frazier was, at the
time of said making said will, of sound mind and
memory, of full age to execute a will and under no
restraint to the knowledge, information or belief:
It is therefore considered, adjudged and decreed, that said
proof is sufficient, and according to law and the said
paper writing is and contains the last will and testament
of J. A. Frazier, deceased. And on it is ordered that said will be
admitted to probate and recorded in the book of wills of
Greene County and as such filed or preserved by law in
the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County.
It is further ordered that said J. Pennington Frazier be
allowed to qualify as executor as provided by
law and enter upon the discharge of the duties
imposed by said trust: Dated this 7th day of
June 1897,
J. W. Blount.
Clerk of Superior Court.