

North Carolina }
Macon County }

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I, N. Russell sr, of the
foresaid County and State, being
of sound mind but considering
the uncertainty of my earthly existence,
do make & declare this my last
will and testament.

My executor hereinafter named
shall give my body a decent
burial, and pay all funeral
expenses, together with my
just debts out of the first
money that may come into
his hands belonging to my estate.

I give and devise to my
son John Russell, and his heirs
in fee simple all the lands
that I now own or may own
at the date of my death, either
in Macon or any other county
wherever the same may be situated.

I give and bequeath to my son
John Russell, all my house-
hold goods and effects, also all
the personal property that I may
or shall own at the date of
my death.

I hereby constitute and appoint
my son John Russell my
lawful executor to all intents
and purposes, to execute this my
last will & testament, according
to the true intent and meaning
of the same.

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and purposes, to execute this my
last will & Testament, according
to the true intent and meaning
of the same and part and clause
thereof - hereby revoking and de-
claring utterly void all other
wills and Testaments he may
heretofore make.

In witness whereof, I, the said
N. Russell, Sr. do hereunto set my
hand & seal, this the 19 day of March, 1903

N. Russell, Sr. 

Signed, sealed, published and declared
by the said R. Russell Sr. to be his
last will & Testament in the
presence of us, who, at his request
and in his presence, do subscribe our
names as witnesses thereto

J. T. Moore
R. D. Lisk.

State of North Carolina, In the
Macon County) Superior Court.

A paper purporting to be the
last will and Testament of R. Russell
Sr. deceased, is exhibited before me, the
undersigned, Clerk of the Superior
Court for said County by John
Russell the executor therein
mentioned and the true execution
thereof by the said R. Russell Sr.
by the oath and examination of
J. T. Moore one of the subscribing
witnesses thereto, who being duly
sworn both before and say for him-
self depose and saith, that he is
a subscribing witness to the paper
writing now shown him purporting
to be the last Will and Testament
of R. Russell Sr. that the said R.
Russell Sr. 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 19th day
of 1843

A paper purporting to be the last will and Testament of R. Russell sr. deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County by John Russell the executor therein mentioned and the true execution thereof by the said R. Russell sr. by the oath and examination of J. T. Moore one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn both depose and say for himself depose and saith, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him purporting to be the last Will and Testament of R. Russell sr. that the said R. Russell sr. 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 19th day of March, 1903.

And the deponent further saith, that the said R. Russell sr. the testator aforesaid did at the time of subscribing his name ~~at the end of said paper writing~~ as aforesaid declare the said paper writing so subscribed by him and exhibited to be his last Will & 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 same time when the said testator subscribed his name to the last Will as aforesaid, and at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said R. Russell, sr. 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 saith not.

J. J. Moose, ^{Esq.}

Sworn and Subscribed this
5th day of Jan. 1907

R. M. Redford

Clerk Superior Court

North Carolina } In Superior Court
Brunswick County } Before Clerk

A paper writing purporting to be the last Will and testament of R. Russell, sr. deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court of said County and the due execution thereof by the said R. Russell, sr. is in

as an attesting witness thereto, as
as a forswear, the said R. Russell, sr.
was of sound mind and memory,
of full age to execute a Will, and
was not under any restraint, to
the knowledge, information or be-
lief of this deponent; and further
this deponent saith not.

J. J. Moore, ^{For} Secy

Sworn and Subscribed This
5th day of Jan. 1907
R. M. Redford
Clerk Superior Court

North Carolina } In Superior Court
Buncombe County } Before Clerk

A paper-writing purporting
to be the last Will and testament
of R. Russell, sr. deceased, is exhibited
before me, the undersigned, Clerk
of the Superior Court of said County
and the due execution thereof by
the said R. Russell, sr. is proved
by the oath and examination of
R. D. Sick, one of the subscribing
witnesses thereto, who, being duly
sworn doth depose and say that
he is a subscribing witness to
the paper-writing now shown him,
purporting to be the last Will and

Testament of R. Russell, sr.; that the said R. Russell, sr. in the presence of this Deponent, subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing now shown ~~him~~ as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 19th of March 1903

And the Deponent further saith that the said R. Russell, sr. the Testator aforesaid, did, at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid, declare the said paper writing so subscribed by him and exhibits, 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 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 the Deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said R. Russell sr. was of sound mind & 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 Not,
R. D. Lisle *Deed*

Sworn and Subscribed this 3rd day
of Jan. 1907.

Marcus Erwin

Deputy Superior Court

Declare the said paper writing so sub-
scribed 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 the
said testator, and this deponent
further saith that at the said
time when the said testator sub-
scribed his name to the said last
will as aforesaid, and at the time
of the deponents subscribing his name
as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid,
the said N. Russell Sr. was of
sound mind & 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 not.
N. D. Lisk *(Seal)*

Sworn and subscribed this 3rd day
of Jan. 1907.

Marcus Erwin
Clerk Superior Court.

Seal
Burrhead
Superior Court

North Carolina } In the Superior Court
Macon County }

It is therefore considered and
adjudged by the Court that the said

Paper writing and every part thereof is the last will and Testament of R. Russell ^{is deceased}.
Let the said Will, together with the Probate be recorded and filed.

This 5th day of Jan. 1907

R. M. Ledford

Clerk Superior Court

The foregoing Will and Probate is this day docketed, ^{recd.} & filed.

This Jan. 7th 1907

R. M. Ledford

C. S. C.