

In the presence of my own father and myself
my and all the farming utensils and all my books
keys and kitchen furniture and unto my dear
dear I give my Cows and Calf this is my last
will and testament. So I appoint my Executor
John L. Corlison to settle my business after my death
given under my hand and seal this the 17 day of March
1866

Witness I set my hand and seal
Assigned before their Willing
Test.

John L. Corlison
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John Brown
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State of North Carolina
Montgomery County, 3rd in the Probate Court
A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of
John Brown deceased is exhibited before me the Judge of
said Superior Court for said County, by John L. Brown
before the recent Plaintiff mentioned and the due execution
thereof by the said John Brown by the oath and subscrip-
tion of John L. Corlison and John Brown the
subscribing witnesses thereto who being duly sworn
and depose and say and each for himself deponent
and saith that he is a subscribing witness to the
paper writing now shown him purporting to be the
last will and testament of John Brown that the
said John Brown in the presence of the deponent
subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing
which is now shown as aforesaid and which bears date
of the aforesaid day of November 1866
And the deponent further saith that the said John
Brown the testator aforesaid died at the time of sub-
scribing his name as aforesaid deponent the said
paper writing or subscribed by him and exhibited to be
his last will and testament and the deponent did then
upon subscribe his name at the end of said will
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 or aforesaid
and at the time of deponent's subscribing his name as an
attesting witness thereto as aforesaid the said

John Brown
will

North Carolina } In the Superior Court
Montgomery County } before John L. Wade clerk
It is the order of the Court and the Judge
that the aforesaid paper writing and every part
thereof is the last will and testament of
John Brown deceased and is duly received as
such
John L. Wade

Montgomery County In the Superior Court
In the Matter of the Will of } before
John Brown } John L. Wade
John L. Corlison being duly sworn and say:
That John Brown late of said County is dead having
first made and published his last Will and Testament
in which he John L. Corlison is the Executor named
therein. And that the property of the said John
Brown consisting of personal property is worth about
\$1000 or less as can be ascertained at the date of this
application and that Nancy Jordan residing in
Montgomery Co. N.C. Rebecca Williamson residing in Moore Co. N.C.
Moses Brown residing in Moore Co. N.C. George
Brown residing in Moore Co. N.C. John Brown
residing in Anson Co. N.C. Margaret Brown resid-
ing in Montgomery Co. N.C. Rebecca Jane Palmer
residing in Montgomery Co. N.C. are the parties entitled
under said Will to said property
I do hereby and subscribe
before me this day of } John L. Corlison
November 1866 }
John L. Wade

John Brown
will

State of North Carolina Will and Testament of
John Brown } John Brown
I know all over by their parent
that I John Brown of the County of Montgomery and
State of North Carolina do this day make my last
will and Testament of all my property which belongs
to me in my own right unto the said Nancy
Jordan to have fifty cents Rebecca Williamson fifty
cents Moses Brown fifty cents George Brown fifty cents
John Brown fifty cents unto my daughter Margaret
Brown I will give her my share in Cows and gearings

