

State of North Carolina }
 Montgomery County }
 In the matter of the last Will of }
 Lacey J Wade } Before Callamstrong
 JP Wade being duly sworn doth say that } Clerk Superior Court
 Lacey J Wade late of said County is dead having }
 first made and published his last Will and Testament }
 and that JP Wade is the executor named therein }
 Further that the property of the said Lacey J Wade }
 consisting of Real Estate and personal property }
 is worth about 500⁰⁰ as far as can be ascertained }
 at the date of this application and that PN Wade }
 JP Wade, Amurea Wade, Elizabeth Wade and }
 Lovely Wade are the parties entitled under }
 said Will to the said property }
 Sworn to and subscribed before me }
 the 20 day of December 1898 }
 Callamstrong } JP Wade
 Clerk Superior Court }

Wade Lacey J
 Will.
 PN Wade
 JP Wade
 &c's

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North Carolina }
 Montgomery County }
 I Lacey J Wade of the aforesaid County }
 and State, being of sound mind but con- }
 sidering the uncertainty of life do make and }
 declare this my last Will and Testament. }
 First - My Executor herein after named shall }
 give my body a decent burial and pay all }
 funeral expenses together with all my just }
 debts out of the first moneys which may come }
 into his hands belonging to my Estate. }
 Second, I give and devise to my beloved Brother }
 Pleasant H. Wade that tract of land adjoining }
 his own lands and the lands formerly belonging }
 to John Dunn, E J Haywood and others. Safford }
 to contain thirty five acres. }
 Third - I give and devise to my beloved Sisters }
 Lovely Wade, Amurea Wade and Elizabeth Wade }
 during their natural life all of that tract of }
 land on which I now reside adjoining the lands }
 of J S Williams, J S Burckhead, C M Galloway }
 and W M Seabrook containing about one }
 hundred and sixty four acres. And on the death }
 of the last one of my aforesaid Sisters I give and }
 devise said tract of land to my beloved nephew }
 Thomas P Wade. }
 I also give and devise in like manner to my }
 beloved Sisters aforesaid all my personal prop- }
 erty during their life time then to Thos P Wade. }
 Fourth - I hereby constitute and appoint PN Wade }
 and JP Wade my Executors. }
 In Witness whereof I the said Lacey J Wade do here- }
 unto set my hand and seal this 27th day of Dec. }
 1895. }

Lacey J Wade
 Jm Wade Seal

Signed and sealed by the said Lacey J Wade in the }
 presence of us who do subscribe our names as }
 witnesses thereto }

Cyrus M Galloway
 W M Seabrook

North Carolina }
Montgomery County }

In the Superior Court
before Clerk

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Rej J Wade deceased, is exhibited before me the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court for said County by P H Wade and J P Wade the Executors thereof. Minkaud and the Clerk is-
centing thereof by the said Rej J Wade is proved by the oath and examination of Cyrus M. Holloway and H M Seabroough the subscribing witnesses thereto who being duly sworn doth depose and say, and each 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 Rej J Wade, that the said Rej J Wade in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing now shown as aforesaid and which bears date of the 27th day of December 1895.

And the deponent further saith that the said Rej J Wade the testator aforesaid did at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid, declare 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 the said testator. And this deponent saith that at the same time when the said testator subscribed his name to the said last will as aforesaid the said Rej J Wade 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 say not -

Cyrus M. Holloway *Sworn*
H M Seabroough *Sworn*

Solemnly sworn and subscribed this 30th
day of December 1898 before me

C A Armstrong
Clerk Superior Court

Wade, Rej J
Will

P H Wade
J P Wade
Ex'r

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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 Rej J Wade deceased and the same with the foregoing examinations and this certificate, are ordered to be recorded and filed. This 30th day of Dec
1898

C A Armstrong
Clerk