

In the name of God. Amen!

I, Alexander Duncan Moore, of the town of Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make, ordain and publish this to be my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following: that is to say:

First. I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid as soon as at can conveniently be done, and in such way as will be most suitable to the condition of my estate.

Second. I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Rebecca, my negro girl Lucy, and my boy Tom, child of my woman Jane.

Third. I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Harriet, my negro girl Caroline, whom I bought of James P. Shinn.

Fourth. I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Lelia, my negro girl Sophia.

Fifth. I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Fanny, my negro girl Alice, child of my woman Sarah.

Sixth. I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Kate, my negro girl Sarah, child of my woman Frances.

Seventh. I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residuo of my estate, real and personal, where so ever the same may be situate, to my beloved wife Harriet Moore, her heirs, executors, administrators and assigns forever; trusting to her discretion to provide for our children in such way as her judgment and affection may direct to her.

Eighth. I nominate and appoint my said wife, and my son Julius, to be executor and executor, to this my will. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 5th day of June, A. D. 1858.

Signed, published & declared by the testator, as his last will, in the presence of us, who in his presence, and the presence of each other, and at his request, have subscribed the names as witnesses.

A. D. Moore (Seal)

Geo. Davis
J. D. Poifon

State of North Carolina

New Hanover County Court. Decr. Term. 1858.

This paper writing purporting to be the last will & testament of A. D. Moore, is exhibited in open Court, and offered for probate, and is duly proved by the oath of Geo. Davis & J. D. Poifon, both the subscribing witnesses thereto, and as such considered by the Court to be and contain the last will and testament of said A. D. Moore, in every respect, and sufficient to convey the property therein bequeathed. At the same time Julius W. Moore, the executor therein named, appeared in open Court, and was duly qualified as such. Harriet Moore the executrix therein named relinquished to the Court her executrixship. Let the same with this certificate be registered.

Test

Saml. P. Remington, Clerk.