

I, James T. Miller of the County of New Hanover and 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 manner and form following, that is to say:

I give devise and bequeath unto my trusty friends, John Dawson and William C. Pettencourt of the Term of Wilmington, State aforesaid the whole of my estate both real and personal of whatever nature, kind or description, and I do hereby constitute and appoint the said John Dawson and William C. Pettencourt Executors to this my last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof I do hereunto set my hand and seal this thirtieth day of October 1861.
Signed, sealed published and declared by the said James T. Miller to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto,

O. W. Fanning
Fred. C. Hill

State of North Carolina

New Hanover County Court, Decemr. Term 1862.

This paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of James T. Miller deceased is exhibited for probate in open Court by John Dawson the executor therein named, and the due execution thereof by the said James T. Miller is proved by the oath and examination of O. W. Fanning and Frederick C. Hill the two subscribing witnesses thereto. It is considered by the Court, that the said paper writing, and every part thereof is the last will and testament of the said James T. Miller, and the same is ordered to be recorded and filed. And thereupon the said John Dawson executor as aforesaid, duly qualifies as such by taking the oath required by law.

Teste Saml. A. Printing Clerk.
Jm. Woods Dep't. Clk.