

State of North Carolina

New Hanover County Court. March Term 1863.

This paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of William C. Setten court decd. is exhibited in open Court for probate, and the due execution thereof by the said Wm C. Setten court is proved by the oath and examination of J. P. Jacobs one of the subscribing witnesses thereto. It is therefore considered by the Court, that the said paper writing, and every part thereof is the last will and testament of the said Wm C. Setten court, and the same is ordered to be recorded and filed. And John Dawson and John L. Holmes the persons named as executors in said will, came into Court, and renounce their right to execute said will, and thereupon on motion made it is ordered by the Court that Patrick Murphy and Robt. T. Murphy do and are hereby appointed administrators with the will annexed of the estate of the said Wm C. Setten court decd. upon entering into bond in the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars, with John Dawson, John A. Taylor, Joel E. Moom, Joel Hines, and Thos. H. Harey as sureties. Bond executed and they duly qualified. Upon the probate of the paper writing referred to above as the last will and testament of Wm C. Setten court decd. it was proved to the satisfaction of the Court that Mrs. S. Anderson one of the subscribing witnesses to said will was absent from the State of North Carolina and thereupon the probate of said will was made as is above set forth.

Teste

Samuel R. Bunting Clerk
for Wood & Dy. Clk.

In the name of God Amen.

I, Sallie C. DeRopet of the Town of Wilmington

North Carolina being in very reduced health but of sound and disposing mind, and memory do hereby make, publish, and declare, this to be my last will, and testament, as follows:

First. I desire that my executor hereinafter named, shall pay out of the first moneys that may come to his hands after my death, all my just debts of every kind, and to whomsoever due.

Second. After the payment of my debts I devise, and bequeath to my beloved sisters Mary H. Waddell, and Claudia E. Waddell, the whole of the residue of my estate of every nature, and description to be held by them as tenants in common, in absolute fee-simple.

And I appoint John A. Taylor Esq. my sole executor to carry into effect the provisions of this my last will, and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 11th day of December. A.D. 1860.

Signed, sealed, published & declared by the testatrix to be her last will & testament, in the presence of us, who at her request, and in her presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed the same as witnesses
 John Swann
 A. M. Waddell

State of North Carolina
 New Hanover County Court, June Term 1863.
 This paper writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Sallie E. DeRopet, deceased, is exhibited for probate in open Court, by John A. Taylor, the Executor therein named, and the due execution thereof, by the said Sallie E. DeRopet, is proved by the oath and examination of John Swann, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto. It is therefore considered by the Court that the said paper writing, and every part thereof, is the last will and testament of the said Sallie E. DeRopet, in every respect, and the same is ordered to be recorded and filed. And thereupon the said John A. Taylor Executor as aforesaid, duly qualified as such, by taking the oath required by law.
 Teste Saml. B. Printing Clerk.
 pr. Wood Dy. Clerk