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in the presence of us who at her request, and in her presence  
do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto

S B Riverbark 3  
Jas A Murphy 3  
Robert A Murphy 3

Catharine Henry Seal

State of North Carolina

St. Pauls County Court September Term 1864  
This paper whereof is pronounced for probate  
by C H Murphy the executor therein named, and the  
true execution thereof is proved by the oaths of R H  
Murphy and S B Riverbark Subscribing witnesses  
the 10th day of August 1864 before the court to be and  
contain the last will & testament of said John  
Henry in every respect, and ordered to be re-  
corded affixed at the same time to W Murphy  
the Executor therein named appeared in open  
Court and was duly gratified

Jas B Bunting Clerk

If I should die before having made a regular will its my  
desire & will (that that as Julia and Ellen will be left without  
any other Expectation) Thirty shares of Commercial Bank Stock  
and Seven thousand dollars in Confederate 8% Bonds now  
held by me, be divided equally between them, and I desire  
that Two thousand five hundred dollars in Stock & Bonds be paid  
to each my Eliza Edward, & Henry one Thousand dollars each  
to Lizzie Weston & Mary McRae - And should anything remain  
of the Stock and Bonds and Money after my few debts and  
funeral expenses are paid, I should desire that Richard -  
Should receive one to Two Thousand dollars, if he should ever  
return and need it, if not the bal. Money be divided  
equally between Eliza, Edward & Henry. The Value of the household  
Furniture and Servants to be estimated, ~~and~~ divided between  
Julia & Ellen March 8<sup>th</sup> 1864.

of Savage

In the event of Julias death I desire that Five thousand dollars  
be paid into the hands of a trustee or trustees, for the benefit of her  
Children, and in the event of Ellens death before she is married and  
has children the amnt left to her shall be divided equally between  
Elisabeth, Edward and Henry, I should like to remember -  
Richard, but as I have not heard from him in a long time  
I do not know, whether he will ever return to claim anything  
I have. if he Should, and need it. I request that he have  
a share of what may be left. after the foregoing bequests.

The foregoing paper writing purporting to be the last will and Testament of Timothy Savage deceased is exhibited in open Court and offered for probate, and upon the oath & examination of O. G. Parsley, William A. Wright and Stephen D. Wallace it is considered by the Court that the said paper writing & every part thereof is the last will & Testament of the said Timothy Savage and the same is ordered to be recorded & filed and thereupon Henry Savage, is appointed administrator with the will annexed who is duly qualified as such by giving bond in the sum of Thirtly five Thousand dollars, with O. G. Parsley & W. Latimer as Securities and executed & he duly qualified.

John Ranting Clark

State of North Carolina, and County of New Hanover.  
Know all men by these presents that I James Richardson formerly of the city of Raleigh and State above mentioned, being in a state of feeble health, but of sound mind and memory, and knowing that it is appointed unto all men once to die, do will bequeath and dispose of such mortally goods as it has pleased

God to bless me with, after the following form & manner viz  
1<sup>o</sup> I leave my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor, and after the payment of my debts, I leave to my friend James Dunn Hougham my Matrix bedstead and bedclothing, five large Mahogany framed looking glasses - from furniture, and all the Crockery in my store at the time of my death. The residue of my estate consisting of Martha - die, Money, bonds, credits, Suits at Law, and every thing else of every description are to be disposed of as follows  
3<sup>o</sup> I bequeath to my friend William J. Palmer my thermometer  
4<sup>o</sup> I leave to my friend George H. Hougham all the residue & remains of my estate of every description and kind such as it may be  
5<sup>o</sup> I hereby revoke and annul all other Wills & Testaments, and publish and declare this to be my last will and Testament

I constitute and appoint James H. Hougham my Executor to carry out my will as aforesaid in this my last will & Testament, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of July 1864  
In the State and County before mentioned,  
Signed Sealed and delivered

in presence of  
W. H. Lucas  
E. J. Wood

James Richardson Seal