

255 Annually, to be paid to my son James Christman, during his natural life, then the same hundred dollars to be divided between his four children, Alfred Abner, Allen, & Henry, to be theirs & their heirs forever. -
In witness whereof I, Elizabeth Christman have to this codicil set my hand & seal, this 15th of May 1845 -

E. A. Vagler } Testator.
A. C. Sledge }
Elizabeth ^{her} Christman ^(Seal)
Mark

September Term 1848.

The Execution of the last will and Testament of Elizabeth Christman dec'd with the bodily annexed thereto (of which the foregoing is a true copy) was duly proved in open Court by the oath of E. A. Vagler, one of the subscribing witnesses to the same, who also proved that A. C. Sledge the other subscribing witness to said will deodically first annexed, subscribed the same in the presence & in the presence of the Testator, and ordered to be recorded.

Wm. H. Hille. c.

State of North Carolina Wake County December 5th 1839
I Mary Raminger Make this my last will and Testament
I give and bequeath all my personal property of every description unto Jacob Shore and his heirs, and my tract of Land lying on the waters of South fork in this County I give unto said Shore to have the benefit of the same during my lifetime,
Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of
+ W. L. Swain

Mary ^{her} Raminger ^(Seal)
Mark

September Term 1848.

The Execution of the last will & Testament of Mary Raminger dec'd (of which the foregoing is a true copy) was duly proved in open Court by the oath of W. L. Swain & ordered to be recorded.

Wm. H. Hille. c.

December 30th One thousand Eight hundred & forty six

In the Name of God, Amen
I Elisha Meredith, of Stokes County & State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and disposing memory, and knowing there is a time for all men once to die; Do Make & ordain this my last will and testament, in manner following (viz)
First, I will that at my decease, my body be returned to the dust from whence it came, and my soul to God who gave it.

2nd, I will that after my decease all my just debts be paid out of my Estate.

3rd, I will that my wife Sarah Meredith after my death have & possess all my Estate both personal and real during her natural life, with the privilege of disposing of such property as is not really needed either at public or private sale, and after her death, all and every part of my Estate then remaining, both real & personal to be sold, and the proceeds disposed of in manner following,

Amongst my lawful heirs -

To my son Jonathan Meredith, I will one dollar -
To the heirs of my daughter Asenith Hitecock, I will as follows: to her son Elisha Hitecock, I will twenty dollars; to her grandson Edward Westley Smith I will one dollar -
To my daughter Mary Meredith I will fifty dollars -

4th. All the remaining part of my Estate, after making the above bequests, I will to be equally divided amongst my three daughters and two sons (viz) Mary Meredith, Jane Edwards, Sarah Henry, Elisha Meredith & Cyrus Meredith.

5th, And lastly, I constitute my son in law Richard Henry my Executor.

Elisha Meredith.

Witness } George W. Bowman
John Kays

December Term 1848.

The Execution of the last will and Testament of Elisha Meredith dec'd (of which the foregoing is a true copy) was duly proved in open Court by the oath of George W. Bowman and John Kays the subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded.

Wm. H. Hille. c.