Last Will and Testament of Ezekiel Gurley

State of North Carolina
Union County

I Ezekiel Gurley, of the County and State above written being of sound mind and memory, but considering the uncertainty of my Earthly existence do make and publish, this my last will and Testament, in manner and form following that is to say,

First, that my Executor hereafter named shall pay all my just debts, howsoever and to whomsoever owing, out of the money that may first come into their hands, as a part or parcel of my Estate

Item 1st- I Give and devise to my beloved wife Fifty acres of land, the place on which I now live, to have and to hold during her natural life, together with all my money, and Notes. Horse and Buggy, all the Cattle, hogs and Sheep, all the household and Kitchen furniture. Together with all my

farming Tools, and Blacksmith Tools, all the crop of every
Kind, also all my loose property of every Kind, to have
and to hold during her natural life.
Item 2d I give and devise, that at the decease of my wife,
that all the property that remaines, is to go to
Milton D. Gurley
And Lastly, I do hereby constitute, my trusty friends
J.R. Hudson, and J.R. Warwick, Catharine Gurley
my lawful Executors, of this my last will and testament
In witness whereof I the said Ezekiel Gurley
do hereunto set my hand and seal, this the 3rd
of November 1863

Ezekiel Gurley (Seal)

W.C. Ogburn Test
J.R. Hudson

State of North Carolina } March the 13th 1871
Union County }
Then the foregoing for [illegible] writing was offered for Probate
and the due execution was proven by the Oaths of W.C.
Ogburn and J.R. Hudson, and ordered to be recorded
as the last will and testament of Ezekiel Gurley decd
G.W. Flow Probate Judge

Last Will and Testament of Ephraim Wheat