

State of North Carolina,
Washington County.

I, Riddin Hassell of above State & County being of sound mind & memory praise be to God for same do hereby make this my last will & testament, in manner following.

I give to my son William E. Hassell the two squares in width adjoining the "Co-farm" clear back to the N. & S. Rail-road including the little pit that he now uses for a garden including the center of the ditch, also on the north side of Rail Road following the same ditch two squares & two pits on the north side of the Rail Road also one third of the wood land on the north end of the farm following the center of the ditch all this to be on the eastward side of the farm next to the "Co-farm"; also on the south side of the road beginning at the corner of my city and the Wallis Phelps line at the main road running westerwardly along main road twenty six yards provided said line don't strike the stock house three running parallel with said Wallis Phelps line same width as our front about one hundred & thirty five yards or to my back pastures fence this on south side of main road also one third of my wood land on the south side of the said main road after the death of my wife, all this is his during his life time then to his children begotten by his wife Nancy Jane. Should I die during crop season then our half of said crop on said land goes to my wife.

All property not otherwise given both personal & real goes to my wife during her life or widowhood at my death.

I give to my daughter Mary Ann (usually called Mamie) the two squares on main road next to my son William running back length of two sets of rows then where there is three squares one & a half square. This land on south side of the Norfolk & Southern Rail Road and on the north side of rail road. I give her one and one half square of land this also joins land given son William. All other land owned by me on the north side of main road I give to my daughter Bessie May Hassell including

the center of the head ditch between me & James Phelps.

At the death of my wife my daughter (Mamie) Mary Ann is to have the land from her given William to an elm in the garden near main road running parallel with Williams line back to my back line all the balance of land on the west of of line designated to Mary Ann I give to my daughter Bessie. This land is on south side of main road all to run back from main road one hundred and thirty five yards all other lands on south side of main road after the death of my wife to be equally divided between my three children.

Witness my hand & seal this the 14th day of Apr. 1920.

Riddin Hassell (Seal)

At the witness hereunto in the presence of the testator at his request do hereby sign as witnesses to above.

Witness:

H. H. Harrison

Thomas H. Davenport.

State of North Carolina,
Washington County.

ss. In the Superior Court,
A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Riddin Hassell, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, by the widow, Mrs. Riddin Hassell, then mentioned, and the executor thereof by the said Riddin Hassell by the oath and examination of H. H. Harrison & Thomas H. Davenport the subscribing witness thereto, who being duly sworn, doth depose and say, and each for himself depose and say, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the last will and testament of Riddin Hassell; that the said Riddin Hassell, in the presence of this deponent, subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 14th day of April, 1920.

And this Deponent further saith, that the said Riddin Hassell, the testator aforesaid, did, at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid, declare the said

paper writing, so subscribed by him and exhibited to be his last Will and Testament, and this deponent did thereupon subscribe his name at the end of said Will, as an attesting witness thereto, and at the request and in the presence of said testator. And this deponent further saith, that at the same time when the said testator subscribed his name to the said last Will as aforesaid, and at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said Riddin Hassell was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a Will, and was not under any restraint, to the knowledge, information or belief of this deponent; and further these deponents say not,

Sworn and subscribed,
This 29th day of June, 1920, before us,
C. D. Turnbow,
Clerk Superior Court,

W. N. Hardison
Thomas N. Davenport.

North Carolina, } ss. In the Superior Court,
Washington County.

It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the last Will and Testament of Riddin Hassell, deceased. Let said Will, together with the probate, be recorded and filed.

This 29th day of June, 1920,

C. D. Turnbow,
Clerk Superior Court,

I N. B. Mizell of the Town of Roper County Washington and State of North Carolina being of sound mind & memory do make public and declare this to be my last will and testament to wit

First all my just debts and funeral expenses shall be first fully Paid

Second I give devise and bequeath all the rest residue and remainder of my estate both real and personal to my beloved wife Nita Mizell to have to hold to her my said wife and to her heirs and assigns forever

Third but on this special trust out of my estate she is to pay all of my Brothers and Sisters one thousand dollars equally divided among them share & share alike out of the thousand dollars

Fourth I nominate and appoint my said wife Nita Mizell to be the executrix of this Will without bond,

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal

This 7 day of November 1912

N. B. Mizell

State of North Carolina, } ss. In the Superior Court,
Washington County.

A paper writing without subscribing witnesses, purporting to be the last will and testament of N. B. Mizell, deceased, is exhibited for probate in open Court by Nita Mizell, the executrix therein named, and it is therefore proved by the oath and examination of Nita Mizell that the said will was found among the valuable papers and effects of the said N. B. Mizell after his death; and it is further proved by the oath and examination of three competent and credible witnesses, to wit, B. S. Clark, P. M. Brinkley and D. D. Clayton that they are acquainted with the handwriting of the said N. B. Mizell, having often seen him write, and truly believe that the name of the said N. B. Mizell subscribed to the said will, and the said will itself, and every part thereof, is in the handwriting of the said N. B. Mizell. And it is further proved by the evidence of the three last