

of W. D. Davenport that D. F. Ambrose, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto is dead. And it is further proved by the oath and examination of the said W. D. Davenport that he is well acquainted with the handwriting of the said D. F. Ambrose, having often seen him write, and that the name of the said D. F. Ambrose, subscribed as a witness to the said will, is in the handwriting of the said D. F. Ambrose.

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 W. L. Freeman, and the same is ordered to be recorded and filed.

W. D. Davenport

This 29th day of June, 1926,

C. W. Winters, c. s. c.

I Ethel Lee Silterson of the State of North Carolina Washington County make this my last will and testament as follows

I give and devise bequeath all my estate and property real personal or mixed absolutely and in the fee simple to my beloved Husband George H. Silterson and at his death to the Children of said Husband George H. Silterson and Ethel Lee his wife collectively, and if no children then to my nearest blood kindred 2 sisters and 1 nephew Charles J. Nail.

I nominate and appoint my said Husband George H. Silterson as the Executor of this my Last Will and Testament

In witness whereof I have signed and sealed and published and declare this instrument as my will at Plymouth, N. C., the 16 day of Jan, 1918.

Ethel Lee Silterson

The said Ethel Lee Silterson at Plymouth N. C. on said 16th day Jan, 1918 signed and sealed this instrument and declared and published the same as and for her last will and testament in our presence and we at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other hereunto written our names as subscribing witnesses

witness     W. G. Darden  
witness     E. H. Livinans  
witness     J. T. Nail

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

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Ethel Lee Silterson, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said county, by George H. Silterson, the executor therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said Ethel Lee Silterson by the oath and examination of W. G. Darden, E. H. Livinans & J. T. Nail, the subscribing witnesses who being duly sworn, each depose and say, and each for himself depose and swear, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the last will and testament of Ethel Lee Silterson; that the said Ethel Lee Silterson, in the presence of the deponent subscribed her name at the end of said paper writing, which is now

shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 10th day of June, 1915.  
 And this deponent further saith, that the said Ethel Lee Ellerson, the testatrix aforesaid, did, at the time of subscribing her name as aforesaid, declare the said paper writing so subscribed by her and exhibited to be her 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 testatrix. And this deponent further saith, that at the same time when the said testatrix subscribed her 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 Ethel Lee Ellerson 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.

Sunnally sworn and subscribed, this 7th day of August, 1926 before me.

M. G. Darden  
 E. W. Liverson and  
 J. T. McNeil

O. W. Turnbow  
 Clerk Superior Court.

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 Ethel Lee Ellerson, deceased. Let said Will, together with the probate, be recorded and filed.

This 7th day of August, 1926

O. W. Turnbow  
 Clerk Superior Court.

Be it remembered, that J. T. McNeil in Partigo, Township, in the State of North Carolina, being in sound mind and memory, blessed by the Lord for the same to make and publish his my last Will and Testament.

I give to my wife, Maggie B. Allen the household when in life her widowhood, farming utensils, hoes, hogs, cattle, buggy and cart. I also give her the rest of the old brick land in the swamp filed, also the piece that comes in between Stewart Harris' land and the piece that I am giving to Jimmie. I also want the undivided land sold that for a division and it being equally divided between my wife and her children, there being minors for her to look after, I want this part paid to my wife for them and the piece next to the station, I want sold and divided the same as the above. I also give my wife all the notes, account and mortgages that I hold and kitchen furniture. Also her widowhood and then be equally divided among the children, I give to my son, Rumley Allen, 30 acres of land joining J. P. Satterthwaite's and Jimmie Allen. I give to Jimmie Allen my son, 30 acres adjoining Rumley Allen on the Northwest lands undivided on the Northwest side of the Norfolk-Southern Railroad beginning at the Norfolk-Southern right of way running with a line known as the Green Leaf Line N. 45 W. to a marked gum in the Collins line, then with Collins' line N. East to the Horn Martin corner a branch to Southeast down Pungo River to the N. & S. Right of way, then with the right of way to the beginning. I give all my title, right and interest to my daughter Ella Allen, 5 acres of land next to Clayton land. To my daughter Ruth a  $\frac{1}{6}$  interest in the remainder of the land next to Green Leaf Line. To my daughter Mary a  $\frac{1}{6}$  interest the same as Ruth, adjoining Ruth. To my daughter Fannie a  $\frac{1}{6}$  interest as the same above, adjoining Mary. To my daughter Estelle a  $\frac{1}{6}$  interest as the next above, adjoining Fannie. To my daughter Maggie a  $\frac{1}{6}$  interest as the above adjoining Estelle. To my daughter Catharine a  $\frac{1}{6}$  interest as above adjoining Maggie. The piece of land land lying between Jimmie's 30 acres and Stewart Harris' land to be divided in three equal parts after the widowhood of my wife,  $\frac{1}{3}$  to Jimmie;  $\frac{1}{3}$  to Rumley;  $\frac{1}{3}$  to Estelle and after the widowhood of my wife, the house place