

State of North Carolina }
 Yadkin County } In Superior Court.

A paper writing, without subscribing witness purporting to be the last will and testament of Fannie Poindester, afterwards Fannie Taylor, dead, is exhibited for probate in open Court by Ellis Douglas. It is thereupon proved by the oath and examination of Ellis Douglas, that the said will was found among the valuable papers and effects of the said Fannie Poindester, afterwards Fannie Taylor, after her death. And it is further proved by the oath and examination of three competent and creditable witnesses, to wit: Thos. Owens, C. J. Douglas and C. F. Starling that they are acquainted with the hand writing of the said Fannie Poindester, subscribed to the said will, and the said will itself, and every part thereof is in the handwriting of the said Fannie Poindester, afterwards Fannie Taylor. And it is further proved by the evidence of the three last witnesses, that the said handwriting is generally known to the acquaintance of the said Fannie Poindester, afterwards Fannie Taylor.

It is therefore considered by the Court that the said paper writing is the last will and testament of the said Fannie Poindester, afterwards Fannie Taylor, and the same is ordered recorded and filed.

J. E. Douglas
 Thos. Owens
 C. J. Douglas
 C. F. Starling

Sworn and subscribed
 to before me, this 3 day of
 February, 1903.

W. D. Hall, C. D. C.

North Carolina }
 Yadkin County }

I, Daniel J. Adams, of the aforesaid County and State being of sound mind considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare my last will and testament. My executor, being hereafter named, shall give my body a decent burial, suitable to the wishes of my friends and relatives and pay all funeral expenses together with all my just debts out of the first monies which may come into his hands belonging to my estate. The remainder to be \$10 dollars for tomb stones, one tenth to Sarah C. Hobson, one sixth to Martha J. Rutledge, one fourth to Henry E. Krocon, the remainder to be equally divided between Mahlon D. Adams and Wade H. Adams.

I hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend Mahlon D. Adams my lawful executor to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof, hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all the wills and testaments heretofore made by me. In witness whereof I the said Daniel J. Adams do hereunto set my hand and seal this 12 day of February A.D. 1903.

D. J. Adams *(initials)*

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Daniel J. Adams to be his last will and testament in the presence of who at his request and in his presence do subscribe our hands as witnesses thereto.

E. J. Vestal *(initials)*
 J. M. Vestal *(initials)*

State of North Carolina }
 Yadkin County } In the Superior Court.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Daniel J. Adams, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court.

for said County, by M. S. Adams, the executor therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said Daniel J. Adams by the oath and examination of C. J. Vestal and J. M. Vestal, the subscribing witnesses thereto; who being duly sworn, doth depose and say, and each for himself depose and say, that he is a subscribing witness ~~thereto~~ to the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the last will and testament of Daniel J. Adams, that the said Daniel J. Adams in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing, which is shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 12 day of February, 1903.

And the deponent further saith, that the said Daniel J. Adams, 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 the 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 an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said Daniel J. Adams was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a will, and was not under any restraint to the contrary, information or belief of this deponent: and further these deponents say not.

C. J. Vestal

J. M. Vestal

severally sworn and subscribed, this
18 day of May, 1903, before me
W. A. Hall, Clerk Sup. Court

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Gadkin County } In the Superior Court.

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 Daniel J. Adams, deceased. Let the said will together with the probate, be recorded and filed.

This 18 day of May, 1903.

W. A. Hall,

Clerk Superior Court

State of North Carolina }
Gadkin County }

I, Allen Chapman, of the County of Gadkin, State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and memory do make and declare this to be my last will and testament.

Item 1st. After the payment of my debts and funeral expenses I will and bequeath to my sister, Mary J. Chapman, all my property, both real and personal of every kind and character whatsoever, to her and her heirs forever - no sale of the personal property to be made but she shall hold the same as if specifically charged.

Item 2nd. I hereby constitute and appoint my said sister, Mary J. Chapman my executor to execute this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal, this August 5th 1891.

Allen Chapman

Witness

A. E. Holton.

J. C. Davis.

Probate
State of North Carolina }
Gadkin County } In the Superior Court.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Allen Chapman, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, by Mary J. Chapman, the executrix therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said Allen Chapman by the oath and examination of A. E. Holton & J. C. Davis, the subscribing witnesses 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 Allen Chapman, that the said Allen Chapman 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 5 day of August, 1891.