

**Dallas County, Texas  
Probate Cases  
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Case Number 2621

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Know all men by these presents that I N. A. Lyles  
of the County of Dallas, State of Texas, being of sound  
and disposing mind and memory, do make and  
publish this my last will and testament, hereby  
revoking all wills by me at any time here-  
tofore made.

1<sup>st</sup> I devise and bequeath to my beloved hus-  
band R. H. Lyles, all the estate, right, title and interest  
in possession, reversion or remainder, which  
at the time of my death I shall have of, in or to  
~~any~~ lands, tenements and hereditaments, and  
the rents charged upon or issuing out of them, ~~and~~  
any personal property and any other property,  
whether be it community or separate property,  
and whenever situated, to have and to hold the same,  
it being all the property and estate that I have at the  
time of my death, to him the said R. H. Lyles  
and his heirs in fee simple.

2<sup>d</sup> I constitute and appoint said R. H. Lyles, sole  
executor of this my last will and testament, and  
direct that no security shall be required of him as  
such executor.

3<sup>rd</sup> I direct that no other action shall be had in  
the County Court in relation to the settlement  
of my estate than the probating and recording of  
this my will and testament.

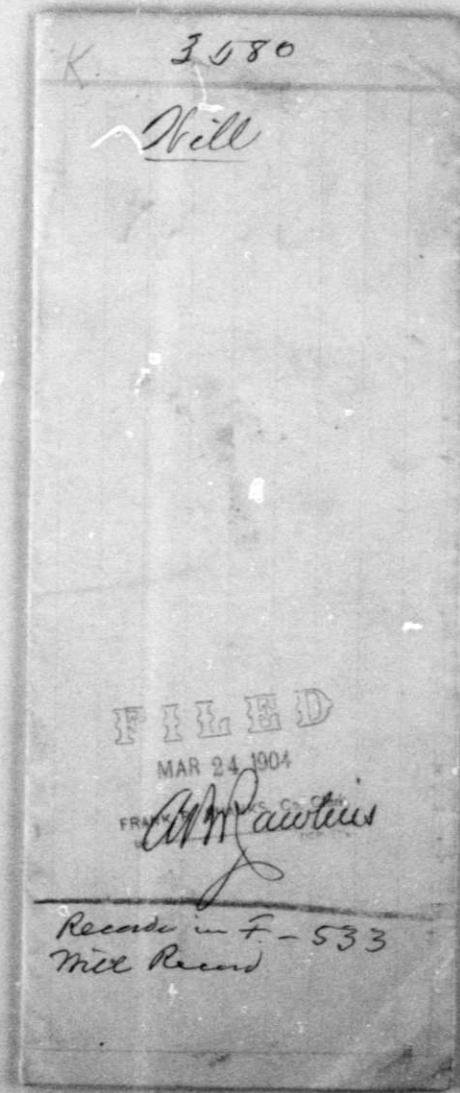
In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand  
in the town of Garland, Texas, this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October  
A.D. 1903, in the presence of W. T. Beover and  
D. A. McVey and T. J. Durden who attest the  
at my request, *N. A. Lyles*

The above and foregoing instrument was now here  
subscribed by W. A. Gyles the testator, in our  
presence; and we, at her request and in her  
presence signed our names hereto as attesting  
witnesses,

This the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1903.

W. J. Bearce  
Sarah D'Albrey  
F. J. Swinn

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND LETTERS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all Persons Interested in the Estate of M.A. Lyles, Deceased:

R. H. Lyles, has filed in the County Court  
of Dallas County, State of Texas, an application for the Probate of the last Will of said  
M. A. Lyles, deceased, and for Letters Testamentary, which  
application will be heard and acted upon by said Court, at the next term thereof, to be held at  
the Court House in the City of Dallas, County of Dallas, State aforesaid, and commencing on the  
first Monday in May A. D. 1904, at which time and place all persons  
interested in said Estate shall appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

WITNESS: FRANK R. SHANKS, JACKSON, County Clerk of Dallas County, Texas.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the seal of said Court, at office in the City of  
Dallas, this 2d day of May A. D. 1904.

A. S. JACKSON,  
FRANK R. SHANKS, County Clerk, Dallas Co., Texas.  
By W. Rawles, Deputy.

No. 3580

COUNTY COURT.

ESTATE OF

M. A. Lyles,

Deceased.

Notice of Application for Probate of  
Will and Letters.

Issued this 24<sup>th</sup> day of  
March 1904  
FRANK R. SHANKS, A. S. JACKSON, Clerk.

By AM. Lawler Deputy

SHERIFF'S RETURN  
Came to hand the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March  
1904 and executed the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March  
1904 by posting up three copies of this Writ at  
three public places in Dallas County, one of which  
was at the Court House door of said County, and no  
two of which were in the same town or city.

M. Johnson  
Sheriff, Dallas County,  
By D. L. A. Deputy.

Jesse Williamson, Printer, Dallas  
Posting & notice 30°

Received 4-8-11  
Citation Recd

No. 3580

## PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Dallas

ESTATE OF

N. A. Lyles

Deceased.

Proof of Last Will and Testament of N. A. Lyles Deceased.This day personally appeared in open Court T. J. Swain

who, being duly sworn as a witness in the above entitled matter, and examined on behalf of the applicant to prove said Will, says: I was well acquainted with N. A. Lyles deceased, during her lifetime; I knew the above decedent for about twenty six years before her death; the signature of the said deceased to the instrument now shown to me, and offered for probate as her last Will and Testament, filed in this Court on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 189\_\_\_\_ and bearing date on the 6th day of October A. D. 1893, was made by the deceased on said last named date at Garland Texas in presence of myself

T. J. Beaver and Sarah A. McChey the other subscribing witness; all of said witnesses being over the age of fourteen years. At the time of the making of said Will the testator was of sound and disposing mind and memory, and she declared the said Will so made by her to be her Last Will and Testament, and I thereupon signed my name as a witness, together with T. J. Beaver and Sarah A. McChey at the request of the said testator, in her presence and in the presence of each other. The said deceased at the time of the execution of said instrument was fifty three years of age; the said N. A. Lyles

departed this life on the 24th day of November A. D. 1893 about 48 days after making said Will, in the County of Dallas in the State of Texas, where and at which time her residence and principal estate was situated.

T. J. SwainSworn to and subscribed before me, this 6 day of June A. D. 1900 in open Court.J. B. Spaulding Clerk

County Court \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas.

By B. F. Galloway Deputy.

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PROOF OF WILL.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of \_\_\_\_\_  
Term, 189\_\_\_\_

ESTATE OF

N. A. Lyles  
D. deceased

Filed the 6 day of  
June A. D. 1894  
and recorded the day  
of A. D. 1894, in the

Probate Minutes of  
County, in Volume Page

I R Shanks  
County Clerk.

By B F Cullum Deputy

Recorded in F-534  
Record of Wills

The State of Texas }  
County of Dallas } In the Estate of N.A. Lyles, deceased;  
to the Hon. County Court in and for said County;  
Your petitioner R.H. Lyles, shows to the court that he  
resides in Garland, Dallas County, Texas, that on the 24th  
day of November A.D. 1903 N.A. Lyles, who at and before her  
death, had her domicile in the County of Dallas  
aforesaid, died in said County of Dallas.

That at the time of her death the said N.A. Lyles was  
seized and possessed of real and personal property  
(the community property of deceased and petitioner) of  
the probable value of seven Thousand, Seven  
Hundred Dollars, and left a written will duly  
executed and herewith filed, in which your  
petitioner was appointed executor.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that citation  
be issued to all parties interested in said estate  
as required by law, that said will be admitted to  
probate and such other and further orders be made  
as to the court may seem proper.

T.J. Swain,  
Attorney for Petitioner.

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Estate of Nila Lyles, Dec'd.  
Application  
Probate of Will

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## INVENTORY AND APPRAISEMENT

OF THE PROPERTY, REAL AND PERSONAL, BELONGING TO THE ESTATE OF

N. A. Lyles deceased and  
R. H. Lyles Survivor (Community Property)Situated in Dallas County, State of Texas.  
106 3/4 acres of land on the SW corner of the LotFormer 6 1/4 acre survey of the value of \$4,800.00  
10 acres of timber land on Bowlett Creek a partof the F. Mass survey, of the value of 150.00  
Lots No 4, No 5 & No 6 in Block No 4 as  
the same is designated on the map of the ~~map~~  
plan of the Town of Aubrey in Dallas Co., Texas.

of the Value of 2000.00

Lot No 1 in Block No 12 as the same is  
designated on the map of the plan of the Town  
of Duck Creek in Dallas County, Texas.of the Value of 50.00  
3/5 undivided interest in and to 9 1/4 acres of land  
on the Joel Crumpecker 320 acre survey  
of the Value of 1200.00

## Personal Property,

Two mules and one pony horse of the value of 350.00  
1/2 interest in one Stallion and Two Jocksof the Value of 350.00  
1 Cow and calf of the value of 35.00House hold and Kitchen furnishing of the value of 500.00  
\$4,943.50

No. 3580

## COUNTY COURT.

ESTATE OF

*Mary Best*

Inventory and Appraisement.

FILED

11 day of July 1904  
J. H. Charles  
County Clerk,  
By J. B. Callan Deputy.

EXAMINED AND APPROVED

This 11 day of Aug 1904  
Ed. French  
County Judge.RECORDED 224  
and aff'd. RecordTHE STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF DALLASI, R. H. Lyles, Executor  
of the above named Estate do solemnly swear that the foregoing is a true, full and complete Inventory of all the property, real and personal, belonging to said Estate that has come to my knowledge.*R. H. Lyles*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the

7<sup>th</sup> day of June A. D. 1904  
T. J. Swin Notary Public  
Dallas County, TexasTHE STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF DALLAS.Before the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared  
*Jno. T. Jones, Sam C. Hall and J. D. Cuffman*  
Appraisers of the above named Estate, heretofore appointed by the Court, and each being duly sworn, says that the above  
and foregoing is a just and true Appraisement of the property pointed out to them as belonging to said Estate.*Jno. T. Jones  
Sam C. Hall**J. D. Cuffman*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the

7<sup>th</sup> day of June A. D. 1904  
T. J. Swin Notary Public  
Dallas County, Texas