

my brother David Ledgerwood, I direct William Hall to pay David Ledgerwood my Brother forty Dollars in property out of my Estate, I Give and Bequeath to Isabella Ledgerwood child, Susan Ann, a likely Cow, also my Sister Mary, Ledgerwood, is to have paid to her Ten Dollars in property, I do hereby constitute and appoint my Neighbour Jacob Doosing Junr my Executor of this my last will and Testament Breaking all all other wills and Testaments heretofore by me made in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this twenty seventh Day of September in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty four

Margaret ^{her} ~~mark~~ Ledgerwood *Seal*

Signed sealed published and declared as and for the last will and Testament of the within named Margaret Ledgerwood in presence of us,

Absalom Woods

William Doosing

At Roanoke County Court April Term 1891.

The last will and Testament of Margaret A. Ledgerwood deceased was this day produced in Court, the same having been in the possession of Matilda Hall, widow of Allen Hall deceased, as was shown by the testimony of John Hall, and it appearing that Absalom Woods and William Doosing the subscribing witnesses thereto are dead, Andrew Huffman and Mark D. Moomaw were sworn and severally deposed that they are well acquainted with the handwriting of the said witnesses, and verily believe the names of the said witnesses subscribed to the said will to be the genuine signatures of the said Absalom Woods and William Doosing, whereupon it is ordered that the said will be recorded as the last will and testament of the said Margaret Ledgerwood deceased.

A copy from the Records of Court.

Teste:

Wm. C. Carley, Clerk.

Charles W. Stevens. In the name of God Amen, I, Charles W. Stevens of Roanoke County Va, being of sound mind and memory, and knowing the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of life, do hereby make this my last will and testament.

In the first place, I direct my Executor, hereinafter named, after giving my body a decent, christian burial, to pay my just debts out of my estate.

2nd After my said debts are paid I direct that the balance of my personal property, be divided equally between my wife and two children, 3^d That the land that I own in Bedford County Va, I bequeath to my two children to be sold by my Executor and the proceeds to be divided equally between them when the youngest one of them is twenty one years old, untill that time said lands are to be rented, by said

Executor and the money to be expended for their benefit or if in the opinion of my said Executor if at any time the said land can be sold to good advantage for their interest, he is authorized to make sale of said land and the proceeds to be put at interest for their benefit untill they are of lawfull age.

3^d I direct that my Executor keep in good repair my mill property on Cataula, out of any proceeds that may be in his hands, and that the proceeds or profits arising from said mill after paying expenses be for the support of my wife, and if said Executor thinks it best for the interest of my wife to do so, he is authorized to employ a miller to take charge of, and run said mill, said mill property and all the land attached to be for the benefit of my wife during her natural life, then to be sold by my Executor for the benefit of my children, & equally divided between them.

And I hereby appoint Capt. W. W. Grand my sole Executor to carry out the above provisions of this my last will and testament given under my hand and seal this 10th day of April 1891

Charles W. Starnes 

In the presence of and
in each other presence.

J. W. Lewis

D. W. Vandegift

Hiram H. Anderson

At Roanoke County Court June Term 1891.

The last Will and Testament of Charles W. Starnes, deceased, was this day produced in Court and proved according to law by the oaths of J. W. Lewis and Hiram H. Anderson, two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and is thereupon ordered to be recorded.

A copy from the Records of Court.

Teste:

Wm McCauley, Clerk.

David Richards: In the name of God, Amen I David Richards of Roanoke County Virginia, do make and publish this my last will and testament.

1st I desire that my funeral and other expenses attending my last illness to be paid -

2nd I give devise and bequeath all my property real and personal to my nephew John H. Duckwiler in fee simple, on condition that he maintain and support my wife Rosa Ann Richards during the rest of her life

Witness my hand this 20th day of April 1891

Teste J. S. Davis

David ^{his} Richards
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