

North Carolina,  
Brunswick County.

No. 327

I, Amy Burton of the said County and State, being of sound mind, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make and declare this to be my last will and testament, all other wills hereby declared void.

I give and devise to my four children: Mary Hankins wife of William Hankins, Elizabeth Galloway wife of Henry Galloway, Richard Hankins, and Florence Lee wife of Alexander Lee; my remaining interest in Twenty Seven (27) Acres, the said Twenty seven Acres bounded as follows. Beginning at W. J. Ottis line near Cottage Branch, thence a straight line about West to a pine thence about North West to a lightwood tree a corner of said tract adjoining the land of Flora Hankins; thence about East to Gibb Gores line another corner thence with said line down the Cottage Branch to the beginning, containing Twenty Seven (27) Acres or less. My interest in the said Twenty seven (27) Acres is Twenty one Acres six Acres having been sold off Four and one half (4 1/2) Acres to H. W. Wood, One half (1/2) acre to Gasalla Good and one (1) acre to William Parker.

Now it is my desire and I so will that said Twenty one (21) acres be divided as follows: To Florence Lee, the wife of Alexander Lee, Nine (9) acres upon which my house in which I now live and the improvements are located, to Richard Hankins three and one half (3 1/2) Acres, the house in which he now lives and the improvements on said three and one half (3 1/2) Acres, to Henry Galloway the location of the said four and one half (4 1/2) acres which he bought of the said H. W. Wood within the boundaries of the said Twenty Seven (27) Acres, and upon which the house he now lives in also as one Elizabeth his wife, four and one half (4 1/2)

Acres adjoining the said four and one half (4 1/2) acres upon which the home is located.

To Mary Hankins the wife of William Hankins the remaining four acres the location of which is to be described here after.

I give as stated in the foregoing will because of the natural affection I have for my children, and the further consideration on the part of Florence that she is to have Nine (9) Acres and my home, with the understanding that she and her husband Alexander Lee are to take care of me, and to see that I have decent burial. I have not forgotten English and this can each has had his portion.

And I hereby appoint my trusty friend John Evans as Executor to this my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I the said Amy Burton do hereunto set my hand and seal this the twenty fifth day of January A.D. 1919. Witness, John Evans. Amy Burton *[seal]*  
Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Amy Burton to be her last Will and Testament in the presence of two, who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

John Evans. *[seal]*  
Moses Wescott. *[seal]*

North Carolina. } On the Superior Court.  
Brunswick County.) <sup>as</sup>

A paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Amy Burton deceased is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, by John Evans, the executor herein named, and the due execution thereof acknowledged, and the due execution of the same by the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, acknowledged,

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I, Amy Burton of the said County  
and State, being of sound mind, but  
considering the uncertainty of my earthly  
existence, do make and declare this to be my  
last will and testament, all other wills  
hereby declared void.

I give and devise to my four children  
Mary Hawkins wife of William Hawkins,  
Elizabeth Galloway wife of Henry Galloway,  
Richard Hawkins, and Florence Lee wife  
of Alexander Lee; my remaining interest  
in Twenty Seven  $\frac{1}{2}$  Acres, the said Twenty  
seven Acres bounded as follows. Beginning  
at W. J. Ottis line near Cottage Branch,  
thence a straight line about West to a pine  
thence about North West to a light wood sum-  
a corner of said tract adjoining the land  
of Flora Hawkins; thence about East to Gibb  
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line down the Cottage branch to the begin-  
ning, containing Twenty Seven  $\frac{1}{2}$  Acres or  
less. My interest in the said Twenty seven  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  Acres is Twenty one Acres six acres have  
been sold off four and one half  $\frac{1}{2}$  Acres  
to H. W. Good, the half  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre to Barbara Good  
and the  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre to William Parker.

Now it is my desire and I so will that  
said Twenty one  $\frac{1}{2}$  acres be divided as fol-  
lo. To Florence Lee, the wife of Alexander Lee.

Nine  $\frac{1}{2}$  acres upon which my house in  
which I now live and the improvements as  
located, is Richard Hawkins three and the  
half  $\frac{1}{2}$  Acres, the house in which he  
lives and the improvements on said three  
one half  $\frac{1}{2}$  Acres, to Henry Galloway the  
location of the said four and one half  $\frac{1}{2}$   
Acres which he bought of the said H. W. Good  
within the boundaries of the said twenty  
Seven  $\frac{1}{2}$  Acres, and upon which the  
house he now lives are placed, and to  
Elizabeth, his wife four and one half  $\frac{1}{2}$

Acres adjoining the said four and one half  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres upon which the house is located.

To Mary Hawkins the wife of William  
Hawkins the remaining four acres the  
location of which is to be described here after.

I give as stated in the foregoing  
will because of the natural affection I have  
for my children, and the further consider-  
ation on the part of Florence that she is  
to have nine  $\frac{1}{2}$  acres and my home, with  
the understanding that she and her  
husband Alexander Lee are to take care  
of me, and to see that I have decent  
burial. I have not forgotten English  
and Anna each has had his  
portion.

And I hereby appoint my trusty  
friend John Evans as Executor to this  
my last will and Testament. In witness  
whereof, I the said Amy Burton do  
hereunto set my hand and seal this  
the twenty fifth day of January A.D. 1919.  
Witness, John Evans. *Amy Burton* *Seal*  
Signed, sealed, published and declared by  
the said Amy Burton to be her last Will  
and Testament in the presence of two  
who at her request and in her  
presence and in the presence of each  
other do subscribe our names as witness  
thereto.

John Evans. *Seal*  
Moses Westcott. *Seal*

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Brunswick County }  
} On the Superior Court.

A paper writing purporting to be  
the last Will and Testament of Amy Burton  
deceased is exhibited before me, the under-  
signed, Clerk of the Superior Court for said  
county, by John Evans, the executor there-  
of, and the two witnesses thereto, John Evans by the

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and examination of John Evans and Moses Wescott, the subscribing witnesses who being duly sworn, doth deposit and say and tack for himself deposeth and saith that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the last will and Testament of Amy Burton, that the said Amy Burton in the presence of this deponent, subscribed her name at the end of said paper writing which is shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 20 day of January, 1913.

And this deponent further saith, that the said Amy Burton the testator 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 her 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 her name to the said last Will as aforesaid and at the time of the deponents subscribing her name as attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said Amy Burton was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute will, and was not under any restraint, in knowledge, information or belief of this deponent. And further these deponents say no severally known and subscribed. This 27 day of Dec 1917, before me A. S. McKeithan  
John Evans  
Moses Wescott  
A. S. McKeithan  
Clerk Superior Court

North Carolina }  
Brunswick County } in the Superior court.

It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing aforesaid is the last will and Testament of Amy Burton deceased. Let said Will, together with probate, be recorded and filed.

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This 27th day of December, 1917.

A. S. McKeithan  
Clerk Superior Court

Filed and duly Recorded. Dec 27-1917  
AM McKeithan C.R.