

North Carolina } In the Superior Court
Brunswick County } Before the Clerk

In the matter of the will of Archie Murry, deceased.
The paper writing hereto attached and purporting to be the last will and testament of Archie Murry, deceased is exhibited before the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court of Brunswick County, North Carolina, by William Edge, the executor therein named, and through the following proof thereof is taken by the oath and examination of James W. Brown and William Edge, the subscribing witnesses thereto, as follows:
North Carolina, Brunswick County.

James W. Brown and William Edge being duly sworn, depose and say, and each for himself depose and says, that he is a subscribing witness to the said paper writing now shown he, purporting to be the last will and testament of Archie Murry, and that he saw him execute (or had him acknowledge the execution of) this writing as his last will and testament, and that affiant attested it in the presence and at the request of said Archie Murry, deceased, and that at the time of its execution (or at the time its execution was acknowledged) said Archie Murry was in affiant's opinion, of sound mind and disposing memory.

James W. Brown
William Edge

Personally subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of Feb., 1923.

A. J. McKeithan

Clerk Superior Court Brunswick County

And thereupon it is considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the last will and testament of Archie Murry, deceased, and it is ordered that the same, with the foregoing examination and this certificate, be read and filed.

This 5 day of Feb., 1923.

A. J. McKeithan

Clerk Superior Court Brunswick County

No. 353

State of North Carolina.
County of Brunswick.

I, Edward P. Lancaster, of the aforesaid County and State, being of sound disposing mind and memory, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make, ordain, declare and publish this my last will and Testament, that is to say:

First: I direct my Executors, hereinafter named, to give my body decent burial, suitable to the wishes of my friends and relations, and to pay my funeral expenses and all my just debts, out of the first moneys belonging to my estate which may come into their hands.

Second: I give, devise and bequeath to my two beloved sons, Thomas C. Lancaster, and Ross Madison Lancaster, and their heirs, all my estate, both real and personal, of whatever kind and wherever located. Should my said son, Thomas C. Lancaster, who is now unmarried, die without issue, then his share and part of my estate shall go to my said son, Ross Madison Lancaster, and his heirs. The real property of which I am now seized and possessed is my homestead upon which I have lived for about 47 years, and is situated in Smithville Township, on the Old Hargetown Road, near the 11 mile post, and on the waters of Aspy's Creek.

I nominate, constitute and appoint my two said sons, Thomas C. Lancaster and Ross Madison Lancaster, my Executors of this my last will and Testament, and each and every part thereof.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my seal, this the seventh (7th) day of January, A.D. 1918.

Edw. P. Lancaster, Esq.

Signed, sealed, Declared and Published by the said Edward P. Lancaster to be his last will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, do hereby subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

D. J. Watson

E. H. Cramer

North Carolina } In the Superior Court
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In the Matter of the Will of Ed R. Lancaster, Deceased.
 The paper writing hereto attached and purporting to be the last will and testament of Ed R. Lancaster, deceased, is exhibited before the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court of Brunswick County, North Carolina, by J. C. Lancaster & R. M. Lancaster, the executors therein named and thereupon the following proof thereof is taken by the oath and examination of D. J. Watson and E. H. Cranmer, the subscribing witnesses thereto, as follows:
 North Carolina, Brunswick County.

D. J. Watson and E. H. Cranmer being duly sworn, depose and say, and each for himself deposes and says, that he is a subscribing witness to the said paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the last will and testament of Ed R. Lancaster, and that he saw him execute this writing as his last will and testament, and that offiant attested it in the presence and at the request of said Ed R. Lancaster, deceased; and that at the time of its execution said Ed R. Lancaster was in offiant's opinion, of sound mind and disposing memory.

D. J. Watson

E. H. Cranmer

Generally subscribed and sworn to before me, the 3rd day of March, 1923.

A. J. McKethan

Clerk Superior Court Brunswick County.

And thereupon it is considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the last will and testament of Ed R. Lancaster, deceased, and it is ordered that the same, with, with the foregoing examination and the certificate, be recorded and filed.

This 3rd day of March, 1923.

A. J. McKethan

Clerk Superior Court Brunswick County