

subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears the date of the 24th day of January, 1916.

And the Dependent further saith, that she said William H. Pyke 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 this Dependent 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 Dependent 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 Dependent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said William H. Pyke was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a Will, and was not under any restraint, to the knowledge, information or belief of this Dependent: And further such Dependent say not.

J. B. Carr

D. J. Watson.

Severally sworn and subscribed,
this 20th day of December 1916, before me
A. S. McKeithan
Clerk of Superior Court.

North Carolina. } as in the Superior Court.
Brunswick County }

It is there fore considered and adjudged by the court that the said paper-writing and part thereof is the last Will and Testament of William H. Pyke, deceased. Let the said Will, together with the probate, be recorded and filed this 20th day of December 1916.

A. S. McKeithan

Clerk Superior Court

Filed and Recorded Dec. 20, 1916

No. 324

North Carolina
Brunswick County

Know all men by these presents, I, James S. Bailey of the United States Army, stationed at Fort Caswell, North Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make, ordain, declare and publish this my Last Will and Testament, hereby expressly revoking and declaring null and void, any and all other wills heretofore made by me.

Item One.

I direct that my Executor hereinafter named shall pay and discharge all my just debts and obligations, which amount, at this time to the best of my knowledge and belief, all told, to amount the sum of One Hundred and twenty dollars, including a note of thirty-four dollars due to C. W. Long.

Item Two.

Should there be any expense incident to my last illness and funeral expenses, I direct that the same be paid by my Executor out of the first money coming into his hands belonging to my estate.

Item Three.

I authorize, direct and empower my Executor so sell and dispose of, at either public or private sale, any or all of my real or personal estate should it become necessary to do so in order to provide a fund with which to pay off and discharge my just debts.

Item Four.

I direct that any and all sum of money due me from the United States for services, or on any other account be paid to my Executor, to be disbursed by or under his direction.

Item Five.

I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Clyde Boykin, my worth and chain.

Item Six.

I give devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, Helen Bell, daughter of my sister, Rachel Bailey of Hawthorne, Florida, her one-half share in the real and personal estate of my late wife, who was my lawful

And whenever situate.

I nominate, constitute and appoint my friend E. H. Crummer, of Southport, North Carolina, the executor of this my last will and testament, and each and every part thereof.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this the 8th day of May, A.D. 1817.

James S. Bailey, (Seal)

Enacted, sealed, declared and published by the James S. Bailey 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 subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

J. N. Daniel
W. C. O'Quinn

State of North Carolina
Brunswick County.

In the Superior Court.

A paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of James S. Bailey deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court, for said County, by E. H. Crummer, the Executor therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said James S. Bailey by the oath and examination of J. N. Daniel and W. C. O'Quinn the subscribing witnesses thereto, who have duly sworn, doth depose and say, and each for himself, depose and oath, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of James S. Bailey, that the said James S. Bailey, in the presence of the deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing which is now shown or aforesaid, and which bears date of the eight (8) day of May, 1817.

And the Deponent further saith, that the said James S. Bailey 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 therefore subscribe his name at the end of said Will, as an attesting witness thereto. And at the request and in the presence of the testator and the deponent further saith, that at the same time when the said testator declared

his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid the said James S. Bailey, was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a will, and was not under any restraint, to the knowledge, information or belief of this deponent: And further these deponents say not.

J. N. Daniel
W. C. O'Quinn

Solemnly sworn and subscribed
this 11th day of May, 1817, before me.
H. J. M. Hutton C. J. C.

North Carolina
Brunswick County.

In the Superior Court.

It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper paper-writing and every part thereof is the last Will and Testament of James S. Bailey deceased. Let the said Will, together with the probate, be registered and filed.

This 21st day of May, 1817

H. J. M. Hutton