

State of North Carolina, } ss. In the Superior Court.  
Brunswick County, }

A paper writing purporting to be the Last Will & Testament of S. J. Stauland, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, by John F. Somersett the Executor therein mentioned and the due execution thereof by the said S. J. Stauland by the oath and examination of J. W. Mellicker and G. G. Williamson the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn, doth depose and say, and each for himself depose and saith that he is a subscribing witness to the paper-writing now shown him purporting to be the Last Will & Testament of S. J. Stauland - that the said S. J. Stauland in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper-writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 17th day of May, 1905. And the deponent further saith that the said S. J. Stauland the testator aforesaid, did at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid declare the said paper-writing as subscribed by him and exhibited to be his Last Will & Testament and this deponent 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 deponent 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 deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid, the said S. J. Stauland 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. W. Mellicker

G. G. Williamson

Severally sworn and subscribed this 2nd day of August, 1906, before me. R. S. Newton, C. C.

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It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper-writing and every part thereof is the Last Will and Testament of S. J. Stauland, and that the said Will together with the facts be recorded and filed. This 2nd day of July, 1906.

R. S. Newton, C. C.

No. 147

Last Will & Testament of S. W. Lebew, deceased.

State of North Carolina, }  
Brunswick County, } I, Saml. W. Lebew, of the  
aforesaid County and State, being of sound mind, but  
considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do  
make and declare this my

\_\_\_\_\_ Last Will & Testament: \_\_\_\_\_

- First. My Executrix hereinafter named, shall give my body a burial suitable to her wishes and according to the station of life in which I live, and pay all funeral expenses, together with all my just debts, out of the first moneys which may come into her hands belonging to my estate.
- Second. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Emma, all my personal property to be used by her to the best advantage of my children and herself and in any way that she may see fit to use it or dispose of it, whichever she may deem best.
- Third. I give and devise to my children all my real property, save the house and lot on Day Street between Moore and Nash, and which I recently bought of A. J. Robbins to my wife, Emma, to be used by her for the benefit of my children, and she is hereby directed and authorized to sell it whenever she may so think best, and use the funds arising from said sale as she thinks for the best interests of my children.
- Fourth. I will that my said wife, Emma, shall have a life estate in the real property of mine and which I have devised in Article 3, just above, to my children, share and share alike, after the expiration of her life estate therein.
- Fifth. I hereby constitute and appoint my wife, Emma Lebew, my lawful Executrix to all intents and purposes to execute this my Last Will and Testament, according to the true intent and meaning of same, and every part and clause thereof - hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills and testaments by me heretofore made.

In witness whereof, I, the said S. W. Lebew, do hereunto set my hand and seal, this the 29th day of September, 1906.

S. W. Lebew (seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said S. W. Lebew to be his Last Will & Testament in the presence of

of us, who, at his request, and in his presence, do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

Bettie Burriss  
Robert W. Davis

State of North Carolina, } ss. In the Superior Court  
Brunswick County.

A paper purporting to be the Last Will & Testament of S. W. Lehw, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, by Mrs Emma Lehw, the Executrix therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said S. W. Lehw by the oath and examination of Bettie Burriss and Robert W. Davis the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn, doth depose and say, and each for himself depose and saith, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him purporting to be the Last Will & Testament of Saml. W. Lehw - that the said Saml. W. Lehw in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing which is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 29th day of September, 1906. And the deponent further saith that the said S. W. Lehw, 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 his Last Will and Testament, and this deponent 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 deponent 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 deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid the said S. W. Lehw 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.

Bettie Burriss  
Robert W. Davis

Subscribed this 20th day of Nov. 1906, before me, R. S. Newton Clerk of the Superior Court, North Carolina, } ss. In the Superior Court  
Brunswick County.

It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the last will and testament of S. W. Lehw, deceased. Let the said Will, together with the probate, be recorded & filed. This 20th day of Nov. 1906. R. S. Newton  
C. S. C.

No. 200

Last Will & Testament of Alfred S. Books, deceased.  
North Carolina

Brunswick County, } I, Alfred S. Books of the County and State aforesaid, being of sound mind, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this my last Will and testament.

1<sup>st</sup> I give and devise to my Nephew and Niece Graham C. Kelly and Lillian J. Kelly the tract of land I now own in Town Creek Township Brunswick County, containing Eighty-nine acres, adjoining the lands of Estate of H. J. Kelly, John Neury and others, being the tract which I purchased of D. F. Russell.

2<sup>nd</sup> My will and desire is that all the residue of my estate including two hundred dollars deposited in the Wilmington Saving and Trust Company be equally divided between my Nephew Graham C. Kelly and my Niece Lillian J. Kelly.

3<sup>rd</sup> And whereas my said Nephew and Niece are minors, now therefore my will and desire is that George H. Cannon be and he is hereby constituted and appointed trustee of the said Graham C. Kelly and Lillian J. Kelly to have and to hold the custody of their estate until the said Graham C. Kelly and Lillian J. Kelly shall arrive at the full age of twenty one years, George H. Cannon to be their sole trustee.

4<sup>th</sup> I, hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend George H. Cannon my lawful executor to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof, hereby revoking & declaring utterly all other Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made.

In Witness Whereof, I the said Alfred S. Books, do hereunto set my hand and seal this 24<sup>th</sup> day of November 1906.

Alfred S. Books. *(Seal)*

Witnesses J. H. Russ  
J. M. Beck  
George H. Cannon.

North Carolina } In the Superior Court  
Brunswick County,

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