

North Carolina,
Brunswick County.

I, Saml P. Swain, of Brunswick County, State of North Carolina, being of sound mind but considering the uncertainty of my earthly life, do make, ordain, declare and publish this my Last Will and Testament, hereby expressly revoking and declaring null and void and of no effect, any other will or wills heretofore made by me.

1st. I give and bequeath to Samuel Luke Burriss my watch and my silver cup, both to be delivered to him at my death.

2nd. I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Eliza C. Swain, all my personal property of every kind and description, and all my real estate, wherever located, to use and enjoy during her natural life, or so long as she remains my widow as much of my estate and the income therefrom as may be necessary for her needs and comfort, but in the event of her marriage, or at her death all my property then remaining both real and personal, to go as hereinafter directed.

3rd. I give and bequeath to my Sister, Mary A. Rutland, and her heirs, the sum of Two Hundred (200) Dollars, subject to item second.

4th. I give and bequeath to my niece Ida Williams, and to my niece Jennie Williams, the sum of One Hundred (100) Dollars, each, subject to item second.

5th. I give and bequeath to my niece, Isabella St George, the sum of Two Hundred (200) Dollars, subject to item second.

6th. I give and bequeath to my niece, Bettie Burriss, the sum of One Hundred (100) Dollars, subject to item second.

7th. I give and bequeath to Saml. Luke Burriss the sum of One Hundred (100) Dollars, subject to item second.

8th. I give, devise and bequeath to my niece, Missouri Newton, wife of W. J. Newton, and to her heirs, all the balance of my personal property of every kind and description, and all my real estate, wherever located, subject to item second.

Lastly, I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my true friend, E. H. Craumer, my sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, and request that he furnish my wife, each year, with a copy of his yearly report

of my estate.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Southport, North Carolina, this the fourth day of June A. D. 1906.

Saml P. Swain, (Seal)

Signed, sealed, declared and published by the said Samuel P. Swain to be his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence, do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

Robert W. Davis

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

at paper purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Samuel P. Swain, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County by E. H. Craumer, the Executor therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said Samuel P. Swain by the oath and examination of Robt. W. Davis, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn, doth depose and say and for himself depose and saith, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Samuel P. Swain, that the said Samuel P. Swain 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 fourth (4th) day of June, A. D. 1906. And the deponent further saith, that the said Samuel P. Swain, 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 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 deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said Samuel P. Swain 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 this deponent says not. Robert W. Davis, sworn and subscribed this 23rd day of October, 1906.

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

A paper purporting to be the Last Will & Testament of Samuel P. Swain, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County by C. H. Cranmer, the Executor, therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said Samuel P. Swain, by the oath and examination of Cha Doshier, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto; who being duly sworn, doth depose and say and for himself depose and said that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him purporting to be the Last Will & Testament of Samuel P. Swain; that the said Samuel P. Swain 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 fourth (4th) day of June, A. D. 1906.

And the Deponent further saith, that the said Samuel P. Swain, 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 & 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 Samuel P. Swain was of sound mind and memory of free age to execute a Will, and was not under any restraint to the knowledge, information or belief of this deponent; and further this deponent says not. *Cha Doshier.*

Sworn and subscribed this 23rd day of October, 1906, before me.

R. S. Newton, Clerk Supr. 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 Samuel P. Swain deceased. Let the said Will together with the probate be recorded and filed. This 23rd day of October, 1906.

R. S. Newton,

Clerk Supr. Court

Last Will & Testament of S. J. Stauland, dec'd.

North Carolina, } ss. I, S. J. Stauland, of the aforesaid
County of Brunswick. } 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, that my wife, Mary E. Stauland, and my daughter, Mary V. Stauland are to have all my entire property including all my real and personal Estate that I now possess and all real and personal that I may hereafter be entitled to.

Second - that my wife Mary E. Stauland shall only be entitled to the share given her during her widowhood, and in that event all property both real and personal to go to my daughter Mary V. Stauland, but to remain as above stated during the widowhood of my wife Mary E. Stauland and the minority of my daughter Mary V. Stauland.

Third - That John F. Somerset shall be my legal agent to act for my wife and my daughter and shall have right to buy or sell property for my Estate if necessary in settling up unfinished business.

Fourth - that John F. Somerset shall immediately after my death be appointed Guardian for my daughter Mary V. Stauland and Agent for my wife Mary E. Stauland.

Fifth - that John F. Somerset shall use enough of my property or money for the support and comfort of my wife and daughter and to educate my daughter. My wife Mary E. Stauland shall remain a partner in this Will only during her widowhood.

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this 17th day of May, A. D. 1905.

Samuel J. Stauland *(initials)*

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the said S. J. Stauland to be his Last Will & Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

J. W. Milliken attest
G. G. Williamson attest