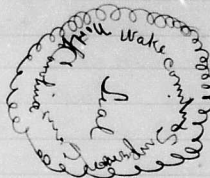


North Carolina

Wake County

Chas. D. Upchurch Clerk
of the Superior Court do hereby Certify that
the foregoing is a full true and perfect Copy
of the Last Will and Testament of W.
Worcester deceased as appears of record
and now on file in my office



In witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed the seal of said
Court at office in Raleigh this
23rd day of March A.D. 1889
Chas. D. Upchurch
Clerk Superior Court Wake Co.

State of North Carolina } In the Superior
Buncombe County. } Court.

A paper purporting to be the Last
Will and Testament of Abraham Stevenson decd.
is exhibited before me, the undersigned Clerk of Court
for said County, by the execut therein
mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said

by the oath and examination of J. M. Young
the subscribing witness thereto: who being duly sworn,
doth depose and say, and each for himself depose and
saith, that he is subscribing witness to the paper-
writing now shown him, purporting to be the last will
and Testament of Abraham Stevenson, that the said
Abraham Stevenson, in the presence of this deponent,
subscribed his name at the end of said paper-writing
which now shown as aforesaid, and which bore date
of the day of 1888

And the deponent further saith, That the said
Abraham Stevenson 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
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 the
testator. And this deponent further saith, that at the

said 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 Abraham Stevenson 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. M. Young Seal

Severally sworn and subscribed this 23rd
day of April 1888. before me
W. F. Reynolds

March 16 1889

I Abraham Stevenson of the County of
Buncombe and State of N. Carolina being of
sound mind but weak body and believing
that I have only a few days to live I do
make and adopt this my last will and
Testament first I leave my son David
Stevenson my executor believing he will
carry out my will, second I wish my executor
have my body buried in a decent & Christian
manner after my death then I leave to my
wife Mary Stevenson all my personal prop-
erty to be hers absolutely also I leave her
my land on which I lived being all the
land I own to be hers during her natural
life then after her death I will said
land to my son David Stevenson and
his heirs or assigns for ever from under
my hand and seal the day and date
above written signed in the presence

J. M. A. Burghin.
J. M. Young

Abraham Stevenson Seal