

Said devisee is a resident of Buncombe County is a minor now in his thirteenth year. The said Learner L. Stewart is the only appointed guardian of the said George Chalmers Stewart.

(Signed) L. L. Stewart
Sworn before me this 28th January 1873

(Signed) J. C. Reed Clerk Superior Court & Judge of Probate

State of North Carolina
Buncombe County in the Probate Court,

A Paper purporting to be the Last will and Testament of J. C. Stewart deceased is exhibited before me, the undersigned Judge of Probate for said County, by L. L. Stewart the Executor, therein named and the due Execution thereof by the said J. C. Stewart, by the oath and examination of J. C. Reed and John Ramsey, the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn depose and sayeth and each for him self depose and sayeth that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him purporting to be the last will and Testament of J. C. Stewart. That the said J. C. Stewart, 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 on the 28th Day of July 1870. And the deponent further sayeth that the said J. C. Stewart the Testator aforesaid, died at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid, declare the Paper writing aforesaid to be subscribed by him, and exhibited to be his last will and Testament, and the deponent did then upon subscribe his name at the end of said will as a witness thereto, and at the request and in the presence

of the said Testator and this deponent further sayeth that at the said time when the said Testator subscribed his name to the said Last will as aforesaid, and at the time of the deponent subscribing his name as a witnessing witness thereto, as aforesaid the said J. C. Stewart was of sound mind and 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 doth not

(Signed) John Ramsey
Subscribed before me this 28th
Day of January 1873

J. C. Reed, Judge of Probate
for Buncombe County N.C.

I John, Seider of the County of Buncombe, and State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and memory, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make and declare this my last will and Testament, in manner and to the following that is to say:

First - my Executor (hereinafter named) shall provide for my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my relatives, and pay all my General Expenses to death with my just debts.

Second - I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Polly Seider all the tract of land where I now live with the dwelling house and outhouses and buildings, farming implements and to have and to hold to her the said Polly Seider for and during the term of her natural life & also equal to the said Polly Seider all the personal and other property I may leave at my death after the death of the said Polly Seider the Land is to be equally divided between my two youngest sons Mitchell Seider & Levi Seider that each of my sons Levi Seider & Mitchell Seider have two hundred dollars each and should have a part also of

The death of the said John Sluder the penultimate property is to be divided equally between my four daughters and lastly it do hereby constitute and appoint the said Joseph Miller my lawful Executor to all intents and purports to execute his my last will and Testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof hereby begetting and declaring utterly void all other wills and Testaments by made in behalf of the said John Sluder do hereby set my hand and seal this the twenty 22 day of Oct. 4th 1861

(Signed) John Sluder
 Signed sealed published and declared by the said John Sluder 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

Asa Miller
 John Plummer

State of North Carolina, in the Probate Court of Buncombe County. I, Clerk
 a paper purporting to be the last will and Testament of John Sluder deceased is exhibited to me the undersigned Judge of Probate for & having Joseph Miller the Executor therein named and it is proved by the oath and Examination of Joseph Miller that John Plummer and of the subscribing witnesses thereto is dead and it is also proved by the oath and Examination of Joseph Miller that Asa Miller the other subscribing witness thereto is a non resident of this State and it is further proved by the oath and Examination of Joseph Miller that he is well acquainted with the hand writing of the said John Plummer having seen him write and having received letters from him and also that he is well acquainted with the hand writing of the witness Asa Miller having often

seen him write and having received letters from him (he being a brother of Asa Miller) and it is further proved by the oath and Examination of Joseph Miller that the said is well acquainted with the hand writing of John Plummer having often seen him write and having received letters from him while he was in the Confederate Service and he having seen his first husband and it is further proved by the oath and Examination of the said Joseph Miller that the signatures of the Asa Miller and the signatures of the John Plummer as attesting witnesses to the said last will as aforesaid is in the proper hand writings of the said Asa Miller and John Plummer and it is further proved by the oath and Examination of Joseph Miller that the signature of the said John Plummer subscribed as attesting witness to the said last will and Testament as aforesaid is in the proper hand writing of the John Plummer and further these deponents say not

Submitted
 and sworn to
 before me this 15th day 1873

(Signed) Joseph Miller
 (Signed) J. E. Mount

North Carolina
 Buncombe County.

In the Superior Court.
 Before the Clerk.

IN RE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
 OF JOHN SLUDER, DECEASED.

IT APPEARING to the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court in and for said County and State, and from an inspection of the record and the original of the last will and testament of the above named John Sluder, and the proceedings had in and concerning the probate thereof that the said Will appointing Rev. Jos. Miller, Executor thereof, that the said will was duly propounded for probate in this Court and duly probated and recorded therein, but the said records and files do not show that the said will was ordered to probate other than the signature of J. E. Reed, then Probate Judge and it now being satisfactorily proven to the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court of Buncombe County, by the examination of said record, that John Sluder, late of said County is dead, having made his last will and testament, which has been admitted to probate by said J. E. Reed, Probate Judge;

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the said paper writing is the last will and testament of John Sluder, deceased, and that the said estate be distributed according to the directions of said will.

Witness my hand and seal this the 20th day of November, 1911.

Marcus Erwin,
 Clerk Superior Court Buncombe County.

The death of the said John Sluder. The probated property is to be divided Equally between my four daughters and lastly it do hereby constitute and appoint the said Joseph Miller my lawful Executor to all intents and purports to ensure that my last will and Testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof be by reciting and declaring utterly void all other wills and Testaments by made in which of the said John Sluder do hereunto set my hand and seal this the twenty second day of Oct. A.D. 1861

(Signed) John Sluder
Signed sealed published and declared by the said John Sluder 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
Test

Asa Miller
John Plummer

State of North Carolina, in the Probate Court of Buncombe County, do hereby certify that a paper purporting to be the last will and Testament of John Sluder deceased is exhibited to me for me the undersigned Judge of Probate for the County of Buncombe and it is proved by the oath and Examination of Joseph Miller that John Plummer and of the subscribing witnesses thereto is dead and it is also proved by the oath and Examination of Joseph Miller that Asa Miller the other subscribing witness thereto is a non resident of this State and it is further proved by the oath and Examination of Joseph Miller that he is well acquainted with the hand writing of the said John Plummer having seen him write and having received letters from him and also that he is well acquainted with the hand writing of the witness Asa Miller.

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(Signed) Joseph Miller
Joseph Miller

Submitted
and sworn to
before me this 15th day of May 1877

North Carolina
Buncombe County.
IN RE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF JOHN SLUDER, DECEASED.
In the Superior Court.
Before the Clerk.
IT APPEARING to the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court in and for said County and State, and from an inspection of the record and the original of the last will and testament of the above named John Sluder, and the proceedings had in and concerning the probate thereof that the said Will appointing Rev. Jos. Miller, Executor thereof, that the said will was duly propounded for probate in this Court and duly probated and recorded therein, but the said records and files do not show that the said will was ordered to probate other than the signature of J.E. Reed, then Probate Judge and it now being satisfactorily proven to the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court of Buncombe County, by the examination of said record, that John Sluder, late of said County is dead, having made his last will and testament, which has been admitted to probate by said J.E. Reed, Probate Judge;
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Marcus Erwin,
Clerk Superior Court Buncombe County.