

State of North Carolina } In the Superior Court
County of Brunswick } Before J. L. Cathey Clerk

Before the hearing of the foregoing application and petition of Elizabeth B. Sanderson, and the proofs and affidavits of A. H. Cobb & Thos. A. Jones the subscribing witnesses, ~~thence~~ to the paper writing here attached purporting to be the last will & testament of Margaret Sanderson Budd, deceased, it is considered and adjudged by the court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the last will and testament of the said Margaret Sanderson Budd, and the same is ordered ~~and~~ to be recorded & filed, and thereupon the said Elizabeth B. Sanderson Executrix as aforesaid, duly qualifies, as such by taking the oath required by law this the 4th day of June. A.D. 1892

J. L. Cathey Clerk
Superior Court Brunswick County N.C.

Filed and recorded in this Office
June 4th 1892 J. L. Cathey C. L.

I Marianne R. Tennent. Will & bequeath
to my beloved husband Samuel S.
Tennent the lot and house no. 151 Charlotte
St. Asheville N.C. to with as he seems fit
Lenoir N.C.
Sept. 3rd 1891

Marianne R. Tennent.

Witness Anna R. Buxton

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A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Mrs. Marianne R. Tennent, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, by Samuel

S. Tennent who as he has already mentioned in said last will and testament, and the due execution thereof by the said Marianne R. Tennent was proven by the oath & examination of Samuel S. Tennent, James S. Martin, Anna H. Martin and J. A. Tennent who each for himself and for himself states before me on oath that each verily believes such will, and every part thereof is in the hand writing, and signed by the said Mrs. Marianne R. Tennent, whose will it purports to be, and whose name is subscribed thereto, and the said Samuel S. Tennent and the said Anna H. Martin each for himself and for self doth state further before me on oath that such will was found by them among the valuable papers and effects of the decedent to wit: in an envelope with other valuable papers in her private desk at her home in Asheville, North Carolina, on or about the 7th day of May, 1892, that the said Marianne R. Tennent, died at Columbia South Carolina, on the 4th day of May 1892 that the said will is a holograph will and bears date the third day of Sept. 1891 and purports to have been made at Lenoir North Carolina, and that no executor is named therein: that at the time of making the said will the said Marianne R. Tennent, was and continued to be up to a short time before her death of sound mind & memory, of full age & competent a will, to wit: Forty years of age, and was not under any restraint to the knowledge, information or belief of these deponents; and all of the deponents named above each for himself and himself doth state before me on oath that the said Samuel S. Tennent is the proper person entitled to letters of administration, with the will annexed, on the estate of the said Mrs. Marianne R. Tennent, by reason the fact that he is the decedent's

husband, and next of kin, and that no Executor was appointed by said will all of said deponents say further, on oath before me that the value of the real estate of the said Mrs. Marianne R. Tennent is did not exceed \$1800- and the value of the personal property, has not exceed \$200- so far as can be ascertained, at the date of this application, and that Samuel S. Tennent her husband, and Annie Martin Tennent, her daughter, aged eight years and nine months, both of whom reside at Asheville, North Carolina, are the names and residences of all the persons entitled to testator's property, of whom, the said Annie Martin Tennent is a minor aged 8 years and 9 months. Who is without a guardian. Personally sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of June 1892 Annie H. Martin
Samuel S. Tennent.

J. L. Cothran
Clerk of the Superior Court
for Buncombe County N.C.

J. A. Tennent
James S. Martin

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Buncombe County } the Superior Court

On the matter of the will of Marianne R. Tennent, deceased, upon the exhibition to me of the foregoing holograph will of Mrs. Marianne R. Tennent, duly photostated by the oath, and examination of Samuel S. Tennent, J. A. Martin, J. A. Tennent, and Anna H. Martin, it is adjudged, and decreed, that the said holograph will be admitted to probate in this office, and that the same be recorded as the last will and testament of Mrs. Marianne R. Tennent and no Executor having been appointed by the said will, and Samuel S. Tennent, being the husband of the said Testator, and a suitable person and having entered into a good

and sufficient bond with two sureties in the sum of \$500- and having subscribed, and taken the oath required by law in such cases made and provided. Therefore I, J. L. Cothran, Clerk of the Superior Court of Buncombe County, hereby issue letters of administration with the will annexed to the said Samuel S. Tennent, and to the estate of Mrs. Marianne R. Tennent deceased.

J. L. Cothran
Clerk of Superior Court
of Buncombe County