

In case of my death before the
decease of my sister Sarah Ann Smith
I wish and bequeath to her and her heirs
all my property of any kind or description,
and every instance of debt owned or
possessed by me at the time of my
death - subject to the condition, that no
part of my said property shall be
subject to the payment of any debt
now owed or hereafter to become due
of Bashus Smith the husband
of my said sister Sarah Ann. In
witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this 19th day of July
1877, in the presence of Marcus Enwin
& M. K. Enwin who were present when I
signed the foregoing and read and
sign the same.

M. A. Baird

Witness

Marcus Enwin

M. K. Enwin

Codified:

Under the execution of a
paper writing dated the 19th day of
July 1877, as my last will and Testament
I have named Marcus Enwin
residing to my comfort in my affection
and therefore I desire to provide for
them specifically in addition to the
general liability of my property to pay
my debts.

Item 1.

My will and desire is that all my
debts shall be paid from the proceeds
of my property. Now are chiefly due
to Robt D. Kane, H. M. Ludger and
Zeb. B. Danner, who have my note
for the same.

Item 2 It is my will and bequeath that
after the payment of my debts and
in my original will

subject to this limitation and condition
that is that the said Sarah Ann Smith
shall have the said property for and
during her natural life and at her
death I desire that my representatives
shall pay to in trust for Mary
K. Enwin, wife of Marcus Enwin, the sum of
Two Hundred & Fifty Dollars, to be
used by her in the support and
education of her children, and that
the said representative pay to Hannah
M. Davidson wife of the late W. B.
Davidson, the sum of Two Hundred
and Fifty Dollars.

Item 3 It is my will and desire that the said
Sarah Ann Smith shall at her
convenience furnish to Mary A. Baird my
niece, and to Mary Baird Price, also my
niece - a set of silver tea spoons each, as a
memento of my regard and affection, and
if Mrs. Smith cannot conveniently in her life
time, at her death I direct the same
shall be done by my representatives.

It is further directed that the payment
of the sums to Mrs. Enwin and Mrs. Davidson
shall be in full satisfaction of any in-
terest in my estate.

In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this the 19th day of
July 1877.

Mary A. Baird

Signed in the presence of A. L. Davidson & Sarah
L. Smith who at the request of the testator
in her presence and in the presence of
each other subscribed the same.

A. L. Davidson

Sarah L. Smith

State of North Carolina } in the Probate Court
Buncombe County }

A paper purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Mary A. Baird deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned Judge of Probate for said County, under the due execution thereof by the said Mary A. Baird is proven by the oath and examination of Marcus Enwin & M. H. Enwin the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn last before and lay each for himself deponent and say that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown, purporting to be the last Will & Testament of the said Mary A. Baird, that the said Mary A. Baird, in the presence of these deponents subscribed her name at the end of said paper writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 19th day of July 1899.

And the deponents further say that the said Mary A. Baird the estate aforesaid died at the time of subscribing her name as aforesaid, declared the said paper writing so subscribed by her and related to be her Last Will and Testament, and these deponents did therefore subscribe their names at the end of said Will as attesting witnesses thereto and at the request and in the presence of said testator, And these deponents further say that at the said time when the said Testator subscribed her name to the said Last Will as aforesaid and at the time the deponents subscribed their names as attesting witnesses thereto, as aforesaid, the said Mary A. Baird was of sound mind and memory of full age to execute a will and was not under any restraint to the necessary information or belief of these deponents. And further these deponents say not.

Subscribed the last day of April 1900
E. H. Hornum Probate Judge

Marcus Enwin
M. H. Enwin

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