

Danl. Rader's Will 1876.

D. Rader
dec.

North Carolina,
Catawba County, } In the Probate Court.

The execution of the foregoing paper writing was this the 20th day of Oct. 1876 proved to be the last Will and Testament of Daniel Rader by the oath and examination of L. P. Hallbrigt, subscribing witness, and it appearing that E. P. Coulter, the other subscribing witness is dead, his hand writing and that of the testator duly proved by the oath and examination of George L. Rader - Testimony in full filed - Admitted to Probate & recorded.

M. D. Sherill
Judge of Probate.

Application for
Letters -

Catawba County, In the Probate Court.

In the matter of the Will of } Before M. D. Sherill
Daniel Rader, } Judge of Probate.
Jesse Rader & Robt. P. Rader being Executors, doth say:
That Daniel Rader, late of said County, is dead,
having first made and published his last Will and
Testament; and that they Jesse & Robt. P. Rader are the
executors named therein.

Further, that the property of the said Daniel
Rader, consisting of real & personal estate
of all kinds and is worth about \$2400.00
so far as can be ascertained at the date of
this application; and that the widow Fanny,
Robt. P. Rader, John H. Rader & George Rader,
Aminda Fry, Harriet Starr, Lizzie, Eliza, Caroline
Self & Henry Coulter are the parties entitled
under said Will to the said property.

Sworn and Subscribed before
me this 20th day of Oct
1876.

J. M. Rader
Robt. P. Rader

M. D. Sherill

Probate Judge.

The executors duly qualified and Letters
issued.

Last Will and Testament of Abra Sherill 1876.

Abra Sherill
dec.

Lucinda & Nancy
C. Gillelands
Execs

I Abra Sherill of the County of Catawba and State of North
Carolina being of sound mind, and memory, but con-
sidering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do
make and declare this my last Will and Tes-
tament in manner and form following, that
is to say.

First my Executor (hereinafter named) shall pro-
vide for my body a decent burial suitable to the
wishes of my relations and friends, and pay all
funeral expenses together with my just debts,
household and to whomsoever owing out of the
monies that may first come into their hands
as a part or parcel of my estate.

My Will and desire is after taking out the
above named expenses and paying all my just
debts, the remainder of my estate shall be equally
divided between Lucinda and Nancy C. Gillelands
in equal proportion, share and share alike to
them and each and every of them, their execu-
tors, administrators and assigns absolutely
forever.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint
my trusty friends Lucinda and Nancy C. Gillelands my
my lawful Executors to all intents and purposes to
execute this my last Will and Testament, according
to the true intent and meaning of the same, and
every part and clause thereof hereby revoking
and declaring void and all other Wills and
testaments by me heretofore made in witness
whereof, I the said Abra Sherill do hereunto set
my hand and seal this the 20th day of July
A.D. 1876.

Abra Sherill

Signed sealed published and declared by the said
Abra Sherill 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.

Lincoln C. Brown,
Mary M. Davis

(over)

Abra Sherill's Will 1876.

North Carolina, } Probate Court.
Catawba County.

The execution of the foregoing paper writing was this the 28th day of Nov. 1876 proved to be the last Will and Testament of Abra Sherill by the oath and examination of Simon C. Brown and Mary M. Davis subscribing witnesses thereto.

Subscribed to Probate and sealed.
M. J. Sherill Probate Judge,

Application for letters Testamentary.

Catawba County: In the Probate Court.

In the matter of the Will of (Before M. J. Sherill)
Abra Sherill.

Lucinda and Nancy C. Gilleland being sworn, both say: That Abra Sherill, late of said County, is dead, having first made and published his last Will and Testament; and that they Lucinda & Nancy C. Gillelands are the executors named therein.

Further, that the property of the said Abra Sherill consisting of notes & accounts are worth about \$450.00 or for as can be ascertained at the date of this application; and that Lucinda & Nancy C. Gilleland are the parties entitled under said will to the said property.

Subscribed and subscribed } Nancy C. Gilleland,
before me, this 28th day of Nov } Lucinda Gilleland,
1876 M. J. Sherill

Probate Judge.

Lucinda Gilleland & Nancy C. Gilleland executors named in said will duly qualified according to law and letters Testamentary issued.

Catharine Fullbright's Will 1877.

Fullbright, Catharine
dec.

Little, P. K.
Executor

State of North Carolina, Catawba County.
Catharine Fullbright of the County of Catawba 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 form that is to say:
1st That my executor (hereinafter named) shall provide for my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my relatives and friends and pay all my funeral expenses together with my just debts however and to whomsoever owing out of the money that may first come into his hands as a part or parcel of my estate.

2nd I give and bequeath to my beloved Sister Elizabeth Fullbright all that tract of land whereon I now live to have and to hold as long as she lives and after her death it is my will that Henry Fullbright, have my land including my house and other buildings and improvements forever.

3rd I give and bequeath to my beloved Sister Elizabeth, all my personal property after paying my debts (if any) to have and to hold as long as she lives and after her death it is to go my beloved Brother Henry Fullbright.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend P. K. Little my lawful executor to all intents and purposes to execute this my last Will and Testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause of the thereof, hereby revoking and declaring void all other wills and Testaments by me heretofore made. In witness whereof I the said Catharine Fullbright do hereunto set my hand and seal this 4th day of January A.D. 1877.

Signed sealed published and } Catharine Fullbright
declared by the said Catharine Fullbright to be her last Will & Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.
Allen H. Hufferman,
P. K. Little.