

Will of Daniel Hawn

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Know all men by these presents that I Daniel Hawn of the County of Colawba and State of North Carolina being of sound and disposing mind and in good health do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking all wills before of me made.

I give my will is, that all my debts and funeral expenses paid, by my executor hereinafter named, be paid out of my estate as soon after my death as shall by him be found convenient.

I give and bequeath to my wife Anna Hawn all my estate both real and personal, of which I shall die seized or possessed to have and to hold the same during her lifetime or widowhood.

I further will, that after the death of my wife Anna Hawn that my son D. C. Hawn possess all my property both real and personal with the exceptions hereinafter named.

I further will that my two sons viz: J. L. Hawn & C. C. Hawn shall after my death receive one dollar each.

I further will that my daughter Frances B. Hawn shall after my death receive one horse worth one hundred dollars or its equivalent in money, one heifer worth eight dollars one Cook Stove, which I have now in use one set plates, one set table spoons, one set tea spoons, one set tea cups, one bread bowl two dishes, one oven, one bed, one pot, four crocks, one set knives and forks, one ironing iron, one coffee pot, one wash pan, one wash pot one wash tub, one churn, one table and six chairs.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my son D. C. Hawn to be 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.

In testimony whereof, I Daniel Hawn have hereto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this the 19th day of Feb'y in the year

of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one.

Witnessed, sealed, published and declared by the said Daniel Hawn as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request and in the presence of each other and in his presence have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Witnesses

A. A. Yoder

J. B. Seabach

North Carolina

Colawba County

For the Supreme Court
Appearing to be the last Will and Testament of Daniel Hawn deceased as exhibited before me the undersigned Clerk of the Supreme Court for said County by D. C. Hawn the executor thereunto named and the due execution thereof by the said Daniel Hawn proven by the oath and examination of A. A. Yoder and J. B. Seabach, the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn do each and every and each for himself depose and say that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writings now shown him purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Daniel Hawn, that the said Daniel Hawn in the presence of the deponent subscribed his name at the end of the said paper writings which is now shown as aforesaid and which bears date of the 19th day of February 1897.

And the deponent further says that the said Daniel Hawn, the testator aforesaid, did at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid declare the said paper writings so subscribed by him and exhibited to be his last Will and Testament, and the 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 said testator and the deponent further says that at this 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 Daniel Hawn was of sound mind and memory of full age to create a will, and was not under any restraint to the knowledge or belief of this deponent, and further more deponent says not.

Subscribed and subscribed before me

this July 3rd 1897. J. M. Royster Clerk

A. A. Yoder

J. B. Seabach

It is therefore adjudged by the Court that the said paper writings and every part thereof is the last Will and Testament of Daniel Hawn deceased. Let the said Will together with the probate be recorded & paid.

J. M. Royster