

Probate of John Allen Will 1878.
 Application for Letters Testamentary.
 Catawba County: In the Probate Court.
 In the matter of the Will of } Before M. O. Sherrill
 John Allen } Judge of Probate,
 J. A. Allen, being sworn, doth say,
 that John Allen, late of said County, is dead, having
 first made and published his last Will and Testament,
 and that he G. Alexander Allen, is executor named
 therein. Further, that the property of the said John Allen
 consisting of Real and personal property is worth
 about \$1400. as far as can be ascertained at the date
 of this application; and that Mary Allen consisting of
 Real & personal property, is worth about \$1400. as
 far as can be ascertained at the date of this
 application; and that Mary Allen, M. G. Allen,
 Margaret Little & Mary Sidelover are the parties
 entitled under said Will to the said property.
 Sworn to & subscribed before me, } John Allen.
 the 22 day of June 1878, }
 M. O. Sherrill
 Probate Judge

Executor duly qualified and letters issued -

Record of Ephraim Lelievre Will 1878-

S. Carolina Coleridge County

August the 22nd 1874.

Alene, Eph.
 Dec.

Alene, E. C.
 Ep.

In the name of God amen - I Ephraim Lelievre, being of
 sound mind and memory and considering the
 uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and
 declare this my last Will and Testament in man-
 ner and make following. that is to say that my
 Executor hereinafter named shall provide for body
 a decent burial suitable to the wishes and request
 of my friends.

1st Item I will and direct that my son Simon
 J. Lelievre, shall have my plantation whereon I now
 live to have and to hold unto himself and his
 heirs forever and the appurtenances. These unto
 belonging by complying with the following
 That is that the said Simon J. shall care for and
 well and decently and sufficiently maintain myself
 and my beloved wife Mary Lelievre on said planta-
 tion during our natural life, or my beloved wife
 widowhood.

2nd Item I further will and direct that my three
 daughters Elizabeth J. Harriett J. and Mary M.
 shall have all my personal property to have
 and to hold to themselves to divide equal
 between (them) each other to fare and share alike

3rd in addition to the above item I retain and
 direct that my beloved wife shall have and
 hold unto herself one good bed and
 sufficient house hold and kitchen furniture
 as she may be desire for her comfort
 I further direct that my Executor here in after
 named shall pay all just debts and funeral
 expenses out of the money that my first
 course to hand

4th Lastly I do appoint my two sons E. C.
 Lelievre & Alfred J. to Execute this my last
 will and Testament to all intents
 and purposes, signed sealed in the presence
 of

W. M. Hallman,
 Elizabeth C. Bunch,

Ephraim Lelievre

(over)

Record of Ephraim Cline, Will 1878-

Cline, Ephraim,
Dec.

The execution of the foregoing paper writing duly proved before me by the oath and examination of W.M. Hallman & E.C. Cline to be the last Will and Testament of Ephraim Cline, Admitted to Probate, and ordered to be recorded - See their testimony in full filed -
Dec 16th 1878- M.O. Sherill

Cline, E. C.
Exr

Probate Judge -
Application for Letters Testamentary -
Catawba County, In the Probate Court,
In the matter of the Will of ³ Ephraim Cline
E.C. Cline, being sworn, doth say:
That Ephraim Cline, late of said County, is dead, having first made and published his last Will and Testament; and that he E. C. Cline & Alfred J. Cline are the Executors named therein.
Further that the ~~value~~ property of the said Ephraim Cline, consisting of real and personal estate is worth about \$700.00 so far as can be ascertained at the date of this application, and that the widow Mary Ann Cline, Simon J. Cline, Elizabeth S. Cline, Harriett J. Cline & Mary M. Cline, are the parties entitled under said Will to the said property.
Sworn to and ³ E. C. Cline
subscribed before me
this 16th day of Dec 1878
M. O. Sherill Probate Judge.

Upon hearing the above application the said E. C. Cline is appointed Executor - Qualified and letters Testamentary issued -

Alfred J. Cline, one of the
Executors named in said
Will to Cline, to qualify or serve
as Executor.

Record of Sarah N. Woodford, Recorded in 1879.

Woodford, Sarah
DecKearney, A. L.
Exr

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State of North Carolina
Catawba County.

"I Sarah N. Woodford of Catawba County North Carolina considering the uncertainty of this mortal life and being of sound mind and memory, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following (that is to say) First I desire to be decently buried in the family Grave Yard where my husband is buried.

Second it is my will that my Executor hereinafter appointed sell all of my property to pay my funeral expenses and all just claims Third if there are any funds after paying all claims it is my will that my Executor give it to Harriett Woodford for post services and kindness shown to me during my helpless widowhood Lastly I appoint Alexander L. Kearney Executor of this my last Will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20th day of August in the Year of our Lord eighteen hundred and seventy three

V. M. Kearsaur & Solomon Shuman } Executors
Sarah N. Woodford }
Catawba Co. }

North Carolina, 3 Probate Court,
Catawba County. 3 The execution of the foregoing paper writing was this 2^d day of Jan'y 1879 duly proved to be the last Will and Testament of Sarah N. Woodford by the oath and examination of V. M. Kearsaur & Solomon Shuman subscribing in witness thereto. Admitted to Probate and Ordered to be recorded.

M.O. Sherill

Judge of Probate.

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