

Mary Robinson, but he said Manuel Robinson and Mary Robinson in the presence of this deponent subscribed their names at the end of said paper writing which is now shown as aforesaid and which bears date of the 21<sup>st</sup> day of January 1847

And the deponent further saith that the said Manuel Robinson & Mary Robinson, the testator aforesaid, did at the time of subscribing their names as aforesaid, declare the said paper writing so subscribed by them and exhibited to be their last will and testament and this 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 testators. And this deponent further saith that at the said time when the said testators subscribed their names to the said last Will as aforesaid and at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereof as aforesaid the said Manuel Robinson & Mary Robinson were of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a will, and were not under any restraint by the knowledge or belief of this deponent; And further these deponents say not  
B. M. Morrow  
C. B. Ruffly

Severally sworn and subscribed this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 1898 before me  
J. H. Rockett Esq.

It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the last Will and Testament of Manuel Robinson deceased. Let the said Will, together with the probate be recorded and filed

This March 25<sup>th</sup> 1898  
J. H. Rockett  
Clerk Superior Court

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### Will of J. H. Brune

I, J. H. Brune of Hickey Catawba County N.C. do hereby make this my last will and testament. I give, bequeath and devise to my beloved wife Mollie E. Brune all my personal and real property of every description whatsoever and wheresoever located; also all my claims chosen in action or in fee simple, to have and to hold the same during her widowhood and after her death to our children equally to have and to hold the same and their heirs in witness whereof I have this day set my hand and seal. viz: December 25<sup>th</sup> 1885  
J. H. Brune Seal

And it is my desire that she shall be Executrix thereof, viz Mollie E. Brune and may sell said real property and make title to the same and use the proceed to her support if necessary  
J. H. Brune Seal

Signed and acknowledged in the presence of  
J. L. Hall  
H. T. Harris

State of North Carolina } In the Superior Court  
Catawba County }  
A paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of J. H. Brune deceased is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court of said County by Mollie E. Brune the Executrix therein mentioned and she due execution thereof by the said J. H. Brune duly proved by the oath and examination of J. L. Hall and H. T. Harris the subscribing witnesses thereto; who being duly sworn depose and say and each for himself depose and saith that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him purporting to be the last Will and Testament of J. H. Brune deceased; that the said J. H. Brune in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of the said will which is as

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I, Davidson C. Huffman of the aforesaid County and State, being of sound mind, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this my last will and testament: First, My Executor hereinafter named shall give my body a decent burial and able to the wishes of my friends and relatives, and pay all funeral expenses together with all my just debts out of the first monies which may come into her hands belonging to my estate. Second: I give and devise to my beloved wife my house and lot where I now live. Third: I also give and devise to each one of my children, viz: Oscar, wife of George P. Spencer, Vance O., George L., Wm. Plato, Mattie M., John D., Beriah H., Paul C. the sum of two (\$25) dollars in each to be paid by my executor when each becomes twenty one years old. Fourth: I also give and devise to my beloved wife all my personal property remaining over after the aforementioned provisions of my will. Fifth: I hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife, Harriet M. 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 thereof, hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills and testaments by me heretofore made. In witness whereof, I the said Davidson C. Huffman do hereunto set my hand and seal, this the eleventh day of October 1891 - Davidson C. Huffman (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Davidson C. Huffman 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:

attest ) D. E. Killian  
J. M. Huffman

shown as aforesaid and which bears the date of the 25th day of December, 1885. And the deponent further saith that the said J. H. Burns, the testator aforesaid died at the time of subscribing his name at the end of the said will as aforesaid, and at the time of deponent signing his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid the said J. H. Burns was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a will, and was not under any restraint to the knowledge, information or belief of this deponent. And further these deponent say, not  
Thos. Harris  
J. G. Hall

Sworn and subscribed by Thos. Harris this the 23rd day of May 1898. before me  
J. W. Rockett - Clerk Superior Court  
Sworn and subscribed by J. G. Hall July 5th 1898, before me. J. W. Rockett C. S. C.

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Catawba County } In the Superior Court  
It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper-writing and every part thereof is the last Will and Testament of J. H. Burns, deceased. Let the said Will, together with the probate be recorded & filed  
This 8th July 1898  
J. W. Rockett  
Clerk Superior Court