

Magdalena and Anna Kinges.

Item 6th I give and devise to my son Joseph H. Kinges
ten dollars in common currency

Item 7th I give and devise to my daughter Keatinda
English six dollars in common currency

Item 8th I give and devise to my daughter Caroline Lippard
six dollars in common currency

And lastly, I do hereby constitute and appoint
my trusty friend Markur Smith my lawful executor
to all intents and purposes to execute this my last
will and Testament according to the true intent &
purpose 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 Conrad Kinges do hereunto
set my hand and seal this 12 day of July A.D. 1864

Conrad Kinges

signed, sealed, published and declared by
the said Conrad Kinges 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
thereunto E. O. Elliott

Marion D. Benfield.

State of North Carolina } In the Probate
Catawba County } Court

A paper purporting to be the last will and Testament
of Conrad Kinges deceased is exhibited before me the undersigned
Judge of Probate for said county by Mr. M. Smith the executor
therein named, and the due execution thereof by the said
Conrad Kinges, by the oath and examination of E. O. Elliott
& Marion D. Benfield, the subscribing witnesses thereto, who
being duly sworn doth say and depose and each for
himself deposes and saith that he is a subscribing
witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting
to be the last will and Testament of Conrad Kinges
The said Testator in the presence of these deponents
subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing
which is now shown as aforesaid and which bears
date of July 12th 1864

Therefore said will is admitted to probate and the same to be recorded
M. M. Smith (the above named executor) was duly } Mr. O. Sherrill
qualified 29th April 1869. Probate Judge.

The last will and Testament of Joseph Fisher
Joseph Fisher of Catawba County and state of North Carolina
in good health and mind and I thank God for the same
and knowing the uncertainty of this life and that it is
appointed unto all men once to die I do make and
ordain this my last will and Testament in this form and
manner following that is to say: First, I direct Christian
burial at the direction of my Executors hereafter named.
As touching what little worldly I have in this life
I do give and bequeath of the same in the following
manner to wit: first - I want all my just debts
paid. Secondly I will my three daughters Agnes Fisher,
Sarah Fisher and Polly Fisher what land I now own
lawfully alike to have and to hold as their own
property and all the rest of my little property that I
may be possessed of at my death equally between
them, the same at the land, with all the stock
that let at the powder spring. It is my desire that
if the debts are not all paid during my life time
that my Executors sell property and pay the debts
and save the land for them as before and I do
hereby nominate and appoint Isaac Hollar and Polly
Fisher my Executors of my last will and Testament
and I do hereby make void all former wills &
bequest by me made or done, confirming this to be
my only last will & Testament in witness whereof I
hereunto set my hand and seal this 2nd day
of April 1868

Attest Suly }
Euben H. Suly }

Joseph Fisher
last will.

April 2nd 1868

State of North Carolina }
Catawba County } I Joseph Fisher of this
county and state do make and declare
this as a codicil to the will with the following
change, that is - I revoke the appointment of Isaac Hollar
as my Executor and do nominate and appoint my
friend Andrew Snyder my Executor and request him
to spend my right & title to my land against the
claim of the heirs of Isaac Hollar saying that the 1st of
the change under a bill given to Isaac Hollar
March 1868, as that debt was only given as collateral security
to secure a debt that he stood security for me. But as I paid
the debt & released the said Isaac Hollar he returned me

It is said that the said Joseph has no suitable claims and my wish and desire is that my Executor depend on my title & is very out according as I have directed in this my will

Joseph X Fisher ^{his} mark

Signed, sealed & delivered in the presence

of Daniel Brown
and Seitz.

State of North Carolina }
Catawba County } In the Probate Court.

A habeas corpus to be the last will & Testament of Joseph Fisher "de" is exhibited before me the undersigned judge of Probate for said County by Robert Sanford the executor therein named and the said executor thereon by the said Joseph Fisher by the oath and examination of Abel Seitz and D. M. Seitz the subscribing witnesses thereto: who being duly sworn both depose & say, and each for himself depose and swear, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him purporting to be the last will and Testament of Joseph Fisher who in the presence of the deponents subscribed his name to the said paper writing which is now shown as aforesaid and which bears date of the 2nd day of April 1868.

And the deponent further swears, that the said Joseph Fisher the testator aforesaid did at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid declare the said paper writing so subscribed by him and exhibited to be his 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 & in the presence of said testator.

And this deponent further swears that at the said time when the said testator subscribed his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid the said Joseph Fisher was of sound mind & memory of full age to execute a will and was not under any restraint to his knowledge, information or belief of this deponent and further these deponents say not.

Daniel Brown & Abel Seitz being duly sworn both depose and say and each for himself depose and swear that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing purporting to be the last will & Testament of Joseph Fisher that the said Joseph Fisher in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said will which is now shown as aforesaid and which bears date of April 2nd 1868.

And deponents further swear that the said Joseph Fisher the testator aforesaid did at the time of signing said paper writing declare the said paper writing so subscribed by him and exhibited to be his last will & Testament and deponents subscribed their names at the request and in the presence of said testator and was of sound mind and memory and was not under any restraint to the knowledge of deponents. And said will and Testament exhibited to Probate recorded Aug 2nd 1869.

M. L. Sherrill
Judge of Probate.