

deponeth and saith, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, and purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Harriet C. Killian; that the said Harriet C. Killian, in the presence of this deponent, subscribed her name at the end of said paper writing now shown as aforesaid, and which bears the date of the 28th day of April, 1896.

And the Deponent further saith, That the said Harriet C. Killian, the testator aforesaid, did, at the time of subscribing her name as aforesaid, declare the said paper-writing so subscribed by her and exhibited, to be her 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 testator. And this deponent further saith, that at the said time when the said testator subscribed her name to the said Last Will as aforesaid, and at the time of deponent's subscribing her name as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said Harriet C. Killian 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 deponents say not.

Sworn and subscribed by
J. H. Killian Aug. 11, 1896.
J. H. Rockett, C. J. C.

J. H. Killian *Seal*
L. A. Crowell *Seal*

Severally, sworn, and
subscribed this 8th day of
October, 1896, before me,
J. H. Rockett, C. J. C.

State of North Carolina, Catawba County, 7th March, 1895.

In the name of God, Amen.
I, L. D. Robinson, being of sound mind and memory do this day make, publish, and ordain this my last will and testament in the following form and manner: 1st I give 2nd bequeath unto my beloved wife, S. L. Robinson, the whole of my land, except twenty acres, which I gave unto my son Augustus where I see proper to lay it off. Said land which I have given to my wife to be hers during her life time then to the use of my daughter Jane for her support 3rd I appoint my son Augustus her guardian to take care of her and see that she is well provided for, then at her death he is to have all the land except twenty acres, which I give unto my son Elkanah Robinson. My personal property I give unto my wife during her natural life, then to be equally divided among all my children, and I appoint and constitute my son Augustus Robinson my lawful executor of this my last Will and Testament.

Given under my hand and seal.
L. D. Robinson *Seal*

Attest { D. Hamilton.
H. D. Lawrence.

North Carolina } In the Superior Court
Catawba County } before the Clerk.

In the matter of the probate of the last Will and Testament of L. D. Robinson decd.
A paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of L. D. Robinson decd. is exhibited before me the undersigned clerk of the Superior Court for Catawba County by Augustus Robinson the executor therein named and the execution thereof by the said L. D. Robinson is proved by the oath and examination of H. D. Lawrence one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, the other subscribing witness D. Hamilton being now dead his hand writing

and signature is proved by the ~~other~~ oath and examination of T. L. Bandy as hereinafter set forth. Said H. D. Lawrence being duly sworn deposes and says that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown to him purporting to be the last Will and Testament of L. D. Robinson, dec. that the same L. D. Robinson in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing now shown as aforesaid which bears date of the 7th day of March 1895.

And the deponent H. D. Lawrence further saith that the said L. D. Robinson the testator aforesaid did at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid declare said paper writing to be his last Will and Testament, and this deponent at the request of said L. D. Robinson did thereupon subscribe his name at the end of said last Will and Testament, in the presence of the testator said L. D. Robinson.

And this deponent further saith that at the time when the testator said L. D. Robinson subscribed his name to the said last Will and Testament as aforesaid and at the time of deponent's subscribing his name as attesting witness thereto the said L. D. Robinson was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a Will, and was not under the restraint or undue influence of any person to the best knowledge, information & belief of this deponent. And further this deponent saith not. H. D. Lawrence {Beats}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of Oct. 1896. C. S. C.

North Carolina, In the Superior Court
Catawba County Before the Clerk.

A paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of L. D. Robinson dec. is exhibited in open open court for

Probate by Augustus Robinson the executor therein named, and is thereupon proved by the oath and examination of T. L. Bandy that D. Hamilton one of the subscribing witnesses thereto is dead. And it is further proved by the oath and examination of said T. L. Bandy that he is well acquainted with the hand writing of said D. Hamilton having often seen him write and that the name of said D. Hamilton subscribed as a witness to the said last Will and Testament is in the hand writing of said D. Hamilton, and is his genuine signature. T. L. Bandy {Beats}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of Oct. 1896.

J. H. Rockett, C. S. C.
North Carolina, In the Superior Court
Catawba County Before the Clerk.

From the foregoing proofs it is therefore considered and adjudged by the court that said paper writing and every part thereof is the last Will and Testament of L. D. Robinson deceased, and the same with the foregoing examination and this certificate are ordered to be recorded and filed.

This 14th day of Oct. 1896.

J. H. Rockett, C. S. C.