

North Carolina }
Charlotte County }

In the name of God amen:

I Jesse R. Stalcup now being in my sound and proper mind do make this my last will and testament that after all my just debts shall have been paid, I will to my three sons to wit:

James R. Stalcup, Shady Stalcup and Hugh S. Stalcup, all my real estate situate in the county of Cherokee and state of North Carolina, being described as follows to wit: tract No. 102 in the third district known as the Good Snider farm containing two hundred and twenty-two acres; also tract No. 5055 in the aforesaid county and state third district known as the G. S. Moncish lands containing eighty acres; also tract No. 7205 situate in the county of Macon and state of North Carolina containing one hundred acres all of which the meate and bounds of the above described lands doth fully appear in the grants and for the love and good will that I bear to my said sons and heirs in common and other valuable considerations herein after mentioned do hereby will, Grant and convey and confer unto the said sons and heirs all and singular the above described lands with all the appurtenances thereto belonging and all my personal property to wit: one house, four head of cattle farming implements house-hold and kitchen furniture I will to my son Shady R. Stalcup upon the consideration and special trust that the Shady R. Stalcup shall provide food and raiment for myself and my wife Valine suitable to our date age and to furnish medical services during our natural life and pay all our funeral expenses or cause the same to be done and paid and for the further consideration and special trust the said James R. Stalcup and Nancy S. Stalcup shall pay at my death two hundred dollars each making the total of six hundred dollars to my other heirs to wit:

Mary Amanda Stalcup, Chas. P. Stalcup, Sarah A. Stalcup, George W. Stalcup, John W. Stalcup and Nancy E. Robinson, In witness whereof I subscribe at my hand and seal on this the 5th day of April, A.D. 1893. Signed and sealed in the presence of J. W. Green J. L. Chastain witnesses. Jesse R. Stalcup

State of North Carolina } ss. In the Superior Court.
Charlotte County }

A paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Jesse R. Stalcup deceased, is exhibited before me the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, by Chastain one of the subscribing witnesses therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said Jesse R. Stalcup by oath and examination of J. L. Chastain and J. W. Green the subscribing witnesses aforesaid; who being duly sworn, each depose and say, each for himself separately and saith, that he is a subscribing witness thereto to the paper-writing now shown him, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Jesse R. Stalcup that the said Jesse R. Stalcup in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper-writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of 5th day of April, 1893.

And the deponent further saith, that the said Jesse R. Stalcup the testator aforesaid, was at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid to the said paper-writing as 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 and in the presence of said testator. And this deponent further saith, that at the same time when the said testator subscribed his name to the said last will aforesaid, and at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said Jesse R. Stalcup was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a will and was not under any restraint, to the knowledge, information of belief of this deponent: And further these deponents say not. J. L. Chastain.
Duly sworn and exhibited, } J. W. Green.
this 4th day of June, 1893, before me
A. W. Linscott, Clerk Superior Court.

North Carolina }
 Cherokee County } ss. 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 Jesse R. Sealock, deceased.

Let the said Will, together with the probate, be
 recorded and filed.

This 4 day of June 1899.

W. Loringood,
 C. S. C.

For the purpose of settling the
 estate of Jesse Sealock, deceased, and for the
 purpose of settling the accounts of the
 executor of the said estate, the Court
 has appointed a committee of three persons
 to examine the accounts of the executor
 and to report to the Court. The committee
 has the honor to report that the accounts
 of the executor are correct and that the
 estate of the said Jesse Sealock is settled
 and that the executor is entitled to the
 balance of the estate. The Court has
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This Oct. 20-1899
 W. Loringood
 Clerk Superior Court