

The last will and Testament of William son Whitehead
of Fayetteville, North Carolina:

I disappoint my friends Thomas I. Curtis, and Samuel I.
Hawley, the Executors of my last will and Testament:
I give and bequeath unto my wife Janet Whitehead,
my ~~house and~~ Lot on Haystreet, for the term
of her natural life: - also to her absolutely on her own
right all my Household and Kitchen furniture, one Horse
and Cart, Corns, Stock of Cattle, and the sum of
Six Hundred dollars, for the support of herself
and family for one year, to be paid forthwith by my Execu-
tors. -

I authorize and direct my Executors aforesaid, for the per-
formance of the payment of my debts, and the division of my
estate, to sell, or otherwise dispose of, by leasing for a term of
years, all my real estate, at their discretion; applying it
if they think it for the interest of the estate, and the benefit
of my wife and children, to the payment of my debts, in
preference to, or equally with the personal estate; except that I
wish the stock in trade, and the debt due me, so applied in
the first places. - giving them however, on the surplus of
them; or the one who may qualify, and act, full, ample
power, and authority, to sell, and make title, to
my said real estate, if in their opinion, it should seem
proper and necessary: -

After the payment of my debts, and the bequest aforesaid
to my wife, I give, devise, and bequeath unto my wife
Janet Whitehead, and my three children, Elizabeth, William
and Caroline, all my property and estate, of every kind
real, and personal, to be divided, into four equal parts
share, and share alike, equally, to them and their heirs
forever. -

(turn over)

September Term 1834

The Last Will and Testament of William son Whitehead
deceased, was brought into open Court by Samuel I. Hawley and Thomas
I. Curtis, Executors named therein and offered for probate, when
the same was duly proved by the oath of August Steel, one of the
Subscribing witnesses to the same, who also proved the hand
writing of the subscribing witness Samuel R. Blake, and that
the same was signed in his presence at the request of the Testator

The Codicil to said Will annexed was duly proved by the oath
of John W. Dobbin, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto. -
Ordered to be recorded - Samuel I. Hawley and Thomas I.
Curtis the Executors named qualified as such and Petters
Testamentary executor.

From the minutes

Arch^d McLean Jr. Clerk

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I constitute and appoint John D. Eccles, Guardian, of the person, and estate of my three children, Elizabeth, William, and Caroline. -

Signed, sealed, and published, as my last will and testament, this 30th. July. 1834.

John D. Eccles Seal

Signed, sealed, published and declared, in our presence, before us the presence of the Testator and at his instance, and request and in the presence of each other, attested the same as auburny writings, as the last will and testament of William W. Whitehead

Augustus W. White

Samuel P. White

Codicil

As a codicil to his my last will and testament I give and bequeath unto my mother Mrs. Elizabeth Whitehead the sum of One Hundred & Fifty dollars to be paid to her by my Executors.

William W. Whitehead

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Wm. Whitehead
James Hall