

State of North Carolina,

Last will and Testament of

County of Gaston.

Barbara Kiser.

I, Barbara Kiser, being of sound and disposing mind, do make, and declare this my last will and testament in manner and form as follows:

I.

I give unto each of my dear children herein named my blessing and pray for them that they may ever remain in constant communion with that God unto whom I now commend my soul.

II.

I will that my body be given decent sepulture and that all my just debts, if any, be paid, and that all my property be thereunto first appropriated by my executors hereinafter named.

III.

I devise unto my son, D. A. Kiser, all of my lands known as the Home place, and the Froneberger tract, and I bequeath unto him all my live stock and farming utensils. But the said D. A. Kiser is to pay to me during my life the sum of five hundred dollars in cash; and if such sum be not so paid, said sum shall be a charge upon said devise and bequest, to be collected by my executors and divided equally among my legatees herein named other than D. A. Kiser.

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IV.

My son, Dr. W. C. Kiser, having heretofore been advanced the sum of \$436.00 is not further provided for herein.

V.

My son, S. L. Kiser, having heretofore been advanced the sum of \$420.00 is not further provided for herein.

VI.

My son, C. C. Kiser, having heretofore been advanced the sum of \$550.00 is not further provided for herein.

VII.

My son, J. L. Kiser, having heretofore been advanced the sum of \$500.00 is not further provided for herein.

VIII.

My son, M. L. Kiser, having heretofore been advanced the sum of \$553.00 is not further provided for herein.

IX.

My daughter, Mrs A. M. Payne, has heretofore been advanced the sum of \$300.00; and I bequeath unto her one fourth of my household and kitchen

furniture.

X.

My daughter, Mrs Ida S. Moore, has heretofore been advanced the sum of \$300.00; and I bequeath unto her one fourth of my household and kitchen furniture.

XI.

MY daughter, Mrs C. F. Kincaid, having heretofore been advanced the sum of \$300.00, I bequeath unto her one fourth of my household and kitchen furniture.

XII.

My daughter, Hallie B. Stroup, having heretofore been advanced \$200.00 I bequeath unto her my piano and one fourth of my household and kitchen furniture.

XIII.

All the residue of my real and personal property I devise and bequeath unto all my legatees herein named share and share alike.

XIV.

I appoint my sons, S. L. Kiser and W. C. Kiser, executors of my will, and direct that the division of my property shall be made, if possible, without public sale.

In testimony whereof, I Barbara Kiser, of the county and state aforesaid, have to this my will, consisting of three pages, set my hand and seal this the 28 day of June, 1912.

Barbara Kiser.

28 day of June, 1912.

Barbara Kiser.

The above instrument consisting of three pages was at the date thereof signed sealed and declared as her last will and testament by Barbara Kiser, in the presence of each of us, who at her request, and in her presence and in the presence of each other do hereunto set our names as witnesses thereto.

Thos. S. Royster

B. C. Foster.

State of North Carolina,

In the Superior Court.

Gaston County.

In the Matter of the last will of Barbara Kiser:

It appearing to the Court by the oath and examination of Thos. S. Royster and B. C. Foster the subscribing witnesses thereto, that the paper writing propounded by the Executor therein named, is the last will and testament of Barbara Kiser and that the same was duly executed by said Barbara Kiser in the presence of said witnesses and that at the time of signing the same the said Barbara Kiser was of sound mind. It is thereupon adjudged that the said paper writing be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of the said Barbara Kiser and the Executor therein named qualify as such.

THIS the 1st day of Sept., 1913.

C. C. Comwell, Clerk Superior Court.