

This the 23rd day of July, 1906.

C. C. Corrwell, Clerk Superior Court.

State of North Carolina,

Gaston County.

I, Elizabeth Clark, of the County and State aforesaid, being of sound mind and memory, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make and declare this my last will and testament in manner and form following

First. I will that my executor hereinafter named give my body a decent burial and pay all funeral expenses together with all my just debts out of the first moneys that may come into his hands as a part of my estate.

Item 1. I give and bequeath to my son Wiley Clark, fifty acres of land and one half of the balance of my land, and one (1) bed stead and bedding for two beds, one cupboard, one falling leaf table, one wash pot, one bureau, one sewing machine and forty dollars in money, and also one large chest.

Item 2. I give to my daughter Ida Mauney two beds with bedsteads, one bureau, one cow, one wash pot and forty dollars in gold.

Item 3. I give Pruna E. Mauney twenty dollars in gold and one trunk.

Item 4. I give Henderson Clark ten dollars in gold.

Item 5. I give my son Morris Clark, forty dollars in gold and the balance of my land not above disposed of.

Item 6. I give Jane Arrowood forty dollars in gold.

Item 7. I give all the balance of my money and property to Wiley Clark and Ida Mauney to be equally divided between them.

And I do hereby appoint Wiley Clark my lawful executor to execute this my last will and testament.

Given under my hand and seal this the 2nd day of December, 1903.

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Signed, sealed and published by Elizabeth Clark to be her last will and testament, and we in her presence subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Jacob Kiser

Michael Kiser

State of North Carolina,

In the Superior Court.

Gaston County.

In the Matter of the last Will of Elizabeth Clark.

It appearing to the Court by the oath and examination of Jacob Kiser

testament, and we in her presence subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Jacob Kiser

Michael Kiser

State of North Carolina,

In the Superior Court.

Gaston County.

In the Matter of the last Will of Elizabeth Clark.

It appearing to the Court by the oath and examination of Jacob Kiser and Michael Kiser the subscribing witnesses thereto, that the paper writing propounded by the Executor therein named, is the last will and testament of Elizabeth Clark and that the same was duly executed by said Elizabeth Clark in the presence of said witnesses and that at the time of signing the same the said Elizabeth Clark 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 Elizabeth Clark and the Executor therein named qualify as such.

This the 13th day of August, 1906.

C. C. Cornwell,

Clerk Superior Court.