

In the name of God: Amen.

This is my last Will and Testament:

I give, devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife Octavia, all my estate and property of every kind and description whatsoever, both that which I now have and such as I may hereafter acquire; To have and to hold the said estate and property to her and her heirs, executors and administrators forever. I make, nominate and appoint my wife sole Executrix of this my last will and direct that under no circumstances shall any bond be required of her in the discharge of this trust.

Witness my hand and seal this 20th day of March, Anno Domini, 1890.

Witness:

Jno.C.Winder

(Seal)

J.B.Martin

W.W.Vass.

North Carolina,

In the Superior Court,

Wake County.

Before the Clerk.

In the Matter of the Probate of the last will  
and Testament of John C.Winder, deceased.

The annexed paper writing with subscribing witnesses, dated March 20th, 1890, and purporting to be the last will and testament of John C.Winder, deceased, late a citizen of Wake County, North Carolina, is on this the 26th day of March, 1896,

exhibited and propounded for probate in open court, before me, D.H.YOung, Clerk of the Superior Court of Wake County, by Octavia M.Winder the Executrix therein named. And thereupon the due execution thereof by said John C.Winder, deceased, is duly proven as follows: It is proved by the oath and examination of W.W.Vass one of the subscribing witnesses thereto (and the said W.W.Vass being duly sworn, deposes and says) that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, annexed hereto, dated March 20, 1890 and purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John C.Winder and that the said John C.Winder in the presence of this deponent and of J.B.Martin, subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing: that the said John C.Winder, the testator aforesaid did at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid, declare the said paper writing so subscribed by him, now exhibited and annexed hereto, to be his, the said John C.Winder's last will and testament and that he, the said W.W.Vass did thereupon subscribe his name at the end of said last will and testament as an attesting witness thereto at the request and in the presence of said Testator, John C.Winder, and in the presence of said J.B.Martin and that the said J.B.Martin also in the presence of said Testator John C.Winder, and at his request and in the presence of the said W.W.Vass, did subscribe his name at the end of said last will and testament as an attesting witness thereto.

said testator John C. Winder, and at his request and in the presence of the said W.W. Vass, did subscribe his name at the end of said last will and testament as an attesting witness thereto; that at the time when the said testator John C. Winder subscribed his name to the said last will and testament as aforesaid and at the time the said W.W. Vass and the said J.B. Martin subscribed their names thereto as attesting witnesses thereto as aforesaid the said John C. Winder was of the full age of twenty one years, of sound and disposing mind and memory, fully capable to make a will and was not under any restraint or undue influence; that the said J.B. Martin, one of the said subscribing witnesses to said last will and testament, is now a resident of the city of Portsmouth, in the State of Virginia; that the affiant W.W. Vass is well acquainted with the handwriting of the said J.B. Martin having often seen him write and having been associated with him as an officer of the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad in the same office or apartment for many years, and that the signature of the said J.B. Martin as affixed to the said paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said John C. Winder is in the own proper hand writing of the said J.B. Martin. It is further proved by the oath and examination of T.H. Murray a resident of the city of Raleigh said County and State, (and the said T.H. Murray being duly sworn, deposes and says) that J.B. Martin, whose name is subscribed to said paper writing

purporting to be the last will and testament of John C. Winder. was for many years a resident of the city of Raleigh but is now a resident of the city of Portsmouth, in the State of Virginia, that the said T.H. Murray is well acquainted with the said J.B. Martin and with the handwriting of the said J.B. Martin having often seen him write, and that the signature of the said J.B. Martin as affixed to said paper writing is in the own proper handwriting of the said J.B. Martin, and further, that he, the said T.H. Murray is well acquainted with the handwriting of the late John C. Winder whose name is signed to the said paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of the said John C. Winder having often seen him write and that the said signature is in the own proper handwriting of said John C. Winder.

W. W. Vass

T. H. Murray.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26th day of March, 1896.

D. H. Young, Clerk of the Superior Court.

It is thereupon considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the last will and testament of said John C. Winder, deceased, and is sufficient to pass both real and personal estate. And it is further ordered and adjudged by the Court that the said last Will and Testament, together with the foregoing examinations, affidavits, this certificate,

And it is further ordered and adjudged by the Court that the foregoing  
Testament, together with the foregoing examinations, affidavits,  
order and probate be recorded and filed.

Witness my hand at office in Raleigh this the 26th day of March, 1896.

D.H.Young,

Clerk of the Superior Court, Wake County.

Wake County,- In the Superior Court.

In the Matter of the will of John C.Winder) Before D.H.Young, Clerk Superior Court.  
Octavia M.Winder, being sworn, oath say:  
That John C.Winder, late of said County, is dead, having first made and pub-  
lished his last Will and Testament; and that the affiant Octavia M.Winder is the  
Executrix named therein.

Further, that the property of the said John C.Winder consisting of real and  
personal estate is worth about \$45000.00, so far as can be ascertained at the date  
of this application, and that the affiant Octavia M.Winder is the sole devisee and  
legatee and the only person entitled under said will to the said property.

Octavia M.Winder,

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 26 day of March, 1896.

D.H.Young,

Clerk Superior Court.

North Carolina,

Wake County.

I, W.M.Russ, Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Wake County, state aforesaid, hereby certify that the foregoing is true, full and perfect copy of the last will of John C. Winder, deceased, and the probate and application for letters testamentary as appears of record and on file in my office.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, this Aug. 12, 1907.

(Official Seal)

W.M.Russ, Clerk Superior Court.

Filed and recorded August 15, 1907.

C.C. Cornwell, C. S. C.

In the name of God, Amen:-

I Nathaniel P. Farrar of the County Gaston and State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do therefore make and declare this to be my last will and Testament, That is to say: First, after all my lawful debts are paid, the residue of my estate real and personal, I give