

John Shaw will

In the Name of God amen I John Shaw of Halifax County & State North Carolina do this day make & ordain this my last will & Testament in Manner & form to wit. I give unto my beloved brother Robert Shaw my Bed & furniture to him & his heirs forever. I give unto my beloved brother Elliot Shaw my Part of my Brother Thomas Shaw's share to him & his heirs forever.

I then give the residue of my Estate unto my beloved Mother & Brothers Robert & Elliot to them & their heirs forever and lastly I do constitute & appoint Robert Shaw Executor of this my last will & Testament; as witness I have hereunto set my hand & seal this twenty ninth day November one thousand seven hundred & ninety five

Test

John Martin Shue Pearson

John Shaw

Halifax County 1st February 1896 Then this will was exhibited in open Court & duly proved by the Oath of Shue Pearson a witness there to and on Motion ordered to be recorded. Whereupon Robert Shaw the Executor therein named came in & was duly qualified to the same

Witness Long C. C.

John Purnall will

In the Name of God amen I John Purnall of Halifax County & State of North Carolina being sick the of sound perfect mind & memory & calling to mind the certainty of Death & the uncertainty of life do make & constitute this my last will & Testament in manner & form as followeth, I impudis