

I shall each have One Thousand & fifty Dollars extra on account of the trouble they had with me in my old age, and that the then remaining Seven Hundred Acres of Land be sold by my Executors and that the Money arising from the proceeds of such sale shall be equally divided among my five Children Henry Shore, Mary Wife of John Haines Longsdon, the Widow Thomas Elizabeth Wife of John Christian Lehman, and Mary Barbara Wife of Simon Peter Hauser whereby the share of the last named was by me ordered in 1803 shall be given to my Executors in Trust, for the Children of my Daughter Mary Barbara yet so that my Executors shall pay to my said Daughter for her use the Interest of said money annually as long as she shall live and she shall the to me belonging Two

Hundred & fifty acres of Land near the Gaithers River not have been sold during my life time they shall be sold after my Death and the money arising from the proceeds of such sale shall in the same manner as that received for the above mentioned Seven Hundred acres on the Ohio River be divided among my five named Children and the share coming to my Daug^{hter} Mary Barbara shall be dealt with in the same manner as was ordered in 1803 and in Section 1807

8th) It is my Will that my share in the Grist Mill near Bethania be offered to my Son in Law John C Lehman at four Thousand Dollars and should he not accept of it on such terms, then shall this my share be sold to the highest bidder he being one of the members belonging to Bethania

1st) It is my will that my Executors sell at Liberty my old Negro Woman Frank and give her Bed and Clothing of every kind in Conclusion it is my will that after my Death my son Henry Shore and my Son in Law John C Lehman shall be the Executors of this my last Will and Testament whereupon I at the same time revoke and make null and void all former times by me made Testaments and declare this present to be only and alone my last Will and Testament. In testamony whereof I have with mine own hand signed this my last Will & Testament and seal'd it in the presence of the undersigned Witnesses done at Bethania the 16th day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand Eight Hundred and sixteen signed sealed and confirmed in the presence of
Michael Hauseur

Samuel Stroop } Servt

Henry Shore *(seal)*

I certify that the above is a correct Translation from the original which is in German

Christian Bush

Sixty County June Term 1839. The last will & Testament of Henry Shore deceased was duly proven in open court some years since as appears of Record & the Translated copy of which I certify the foregoing to be a true copy was ordered to be registered

R D Galloway Esq

10 Charles Frederic Bagge of Salem Sixes County State of North Carolina do make & publish this my last Will & Testament this 17th day of April A.D. 1835.

1, I give and bequeath unto my dear beloved wife Maria Bagge the sum of Five Thousand Dollars as her sole property to be paid to her by my Executor within six months after my decease,

2, I give and bequeath unto my daughter Rebecca Matilda Shultz the sum of Ten Thousand dollars to her & her heirs for ever to be paid to her Out of my Estate within six months after my decease

3, I give & bequeath unto my daughter Lucinda Frederick Bagge the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars to her & her heirs for ever to be paid to her Out of my Estate within six months after my decease

4, I give and bequeath unto my daughter Adeline Louise Bagge the sum of Ten Thousand dollars to her and her heirs for ever to be paid to her Out of my Estate within six months after the decease of age

5, I give & devise unto my Daughter Rebecca Matilda Shultz and her heirs for ever all the several tracts of land to wit: One of Two Thousand acres lying in the County of Sike & State of North Carolina lying on both sides of the North fork of Shelday Creek which James Mullin by his executors William Marshall convey'd to my Father Jonathan Bagge in the year 1774 also One other tract lying on Neatman Creek which I purchased of Robert Spangler containing Four Hundred acres also Six tracts of land containing together One Thousand Nine Hundred & thirty two acres which my Father bought of John Right also One other tract lying in Davidson North Carolina containing One Hundred & twenty eight acres which I purchased from John Hayes & George Rainey by Deed bearing date 30th March 1831. But as I have sold & may by Deed bearing date 30th March 1831. But as I have sold & may in my life time get full, part or all of said lands. This devise is intended only to embrace such parts of the same as may belong to my estate at my decease

6, I give and devise unto my daughter Adeline Louise Bagge and her heirs for ever all the several tracts of land following that is to say, that tract situated near Lumberton in Sixes County containing Two Thousand acres which James Mullin by his executors William Marshall convey'd to me October the same year 1770 also Two other tracts

43. In Stokes County, of which State contains three & one & twenty four parishes said Parishes were conveyed to me by George Hodges & the other tract containing Twenty two acres & was conveyed to me by Thomas Lyle Job also the other tract situated in Davidson County North Carolina containing Eleven acres conveyed to me by Adam Boyer also one tract lying in Surry County North Carolina containing two hundred acres which was conveyed to me by John Brattle but as I have sold & may in my life time yet sell part or the whole of said lands, this devise is intended only to embrace such parts of the same, as may belong to my Estate at my Death.

11. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Anna & Frederica Boyce Twenty Six acres of the Capital Stock of the Cape Fear Navigation Company.

8. It is my Will that all the sum public & private be paid in the lands, houses & by me first be paid by my Executor, out of my Estate until the full age of my youngest daughter

9. I give and bequeath unto each of the Children William Herstel Deceased to my William, Benjamin, Cornelius, Elias Melvin & Elizabeth Herstel the sum of One Hundred Dollars to be paid out of my Estate within six months after my decease.

10. It is my Will and desire, that my Executor shall place the sum of One Thousand dollars Out of my Estate On Interest as soon as they conveniently can with good security after my decease and the Interest of the said One Thousand Dollars shall be applied, by him or by some other person appointed by my Executor for the relief of poor travellers or any poor persons in the neighbourhood who may stand in need of assistance these One Thousand Dollars are to be and continue to be a permanent fund & the interest accruing thereon to be applied for the above mentioned purpose.

11. It is my Will and desire & intent that my Executor shall place the sum of Five Hundred Dollars Out of my Estate On Interest with good security as soon as they conveniently can after my decease and the Interest of the said five Hundred Dollars shall be applied by them, or by some other person, appointed by my Executor in defraying part of the Expenses of a Minister to preach the Gospel in this and the adjoining Counties where there is no regular Minister stationed here from One Hundred Dollars are to be and continue to be a permanent fund & the interest accruing thereon to be applied for the purpose above mentioned.

12. With regard to my house and Improvement on my

lot in Salem it is my will and desire that my beloved wife Ann Maria Boyce keep possession of the same during her life which together with my Children and after her decease or in case she should marry again said House and lot with the Improvement thereon shall be valued by my Executor & two other good Citizens of Salem which award shall be equally divided between my Children or in case none of my Children wish to possess my house my Executor shall sell it at public or private sale agreeable to the lease I now hold and divide the proceeds amongst my surviving Children & share a like

13. as there may be sundry Notes among my papers belonging to persons, who deposited them with me for safe keeping & desired that my Executor return them after my decease to the respective Owners, taking their receipt for the same and retaining all my papers, then them to put them in a trunk under lock & key as they may be of use at a future time, I also request them to make enquiry where I am security for other persons and in such case to certify the having been given with other Securities to the respective holders of such Notes, wherein I am security.

14. I hereby request & direct my Executor to pay all my just debts out of my Estate, and the residue of my Estate after all the legacies contained in this my last will and testament are fully satisfied & paid I give and bequeath unto my three Children to be divided between them equally Share a like when my youngest daughter shall have attained to the full age of twenty One years, together with the Interest accordingly known.

15. I further will and ordain that if my daughter Anna Maria Powers shall die before she has attained to the age of twenty One years, or before she is married her Share as well as that given in the residuary clause of my Will, as those specifically bequeathed or devised as well as the unexpended interest on the capital shall go and belong to her two surviving Sisters, to be equally divided between them their heirs or assigns.

16. I hereby appoint John Jacob Bluns the present Master in Salem and his direct & Meaning of Salem, Executor of this my last will and testament as also the guardians of my children who are yet under twenty One year of age, as I have the fullest confidence in their integrity and a firm persuasion that they will fulfill as their duty & my expectations, and I bequeath unto each of them the sum of Two Hundred Dollars as a compensation for their trouble and in view of circumstances

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At other charges except their necessary expenses in executing this my last will and testament

I witness whereof I the said Charles Frederic Bagg have to this my last will & testament, set my hand and seal the day & year aforesaid written
Signed sealed published & declared by the said Charles Frederic Bagg the testator as his last will & testament in the presence of us who were present at the time of signing
& sealing hereof

John G. Blum
Reverend Mr. Blum.

Stokes County June Term 1838. The execution of the ^{present} last will and testament of Charles F. Bagg all ^{but} the foregoings is a true copy produced in open and duly proven by the oath of John G. Blum one of the subscribing witnesses thereto who also proveth that he saw John G. Blum the other subscribing witness subscribe the same as a witness in the presence of the testator & in his presence it is therefore ordered by the court that the same be recorded (the executors qualified when the will was proven by the other witness) to wit John G. Blum at Stokes County Term 1837.

R. D. Hollingshead

In the name of God Amen I William Seague Seant of the County of Stokes and State of North Carolina. Knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of life but being of sound mind and memory and my intellectual faculties are impaired so far the better settling of my outward estate after my decease make and ordain this my last will and testament revoking all others heretofore made by me. In the words following viz.

First I will that all my just debts shall be punctually paid by my executors after my decease. Secondly, I give my beloved wife Elizabeth Seague one hundred acres of land including the improvements on the east end of my tract of land on which I now live during her natural life and after her decease the said land is to be my youngest son Elijah Seague unto my will in that my said son Elijah Seague shall have all the balance of my said tract of land on which I now live. Thirdly I further will and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Seague the following articles (viz) One Horse called Fly Two Cows and Calves and One small black and white dog and all the stock of Hogs and Sheep one plow One Mower One Ad. one Hoe one Mattoe one pair of gavos One Bureau One Walnut Dresser and Furniture six Wicker Chairs

and four other Chairs One Walnut Chest three Bins and Bedsteads and furniture Clock looking Glass Walnut Table Kitchen dresser and furniture and all the other Kitchen furniture Room table Briddle and all the Wash tubs and all the Spinning wheels and Books and as much of the wheat Corn Oats Hay Yerder Bacon Salt as will support her and her family and Stock and Cough to give Bridle and Stock till the first day of November in the year eighteen hundred and thirty nine to sell or dispose of as she please Fourthly I give to my beloved wife Fifty dollars to have and done with next year

Fifthly my will is that all my Shop Tools be equally divided between my three sons Nathaniel Seague and Elijah Seague ^{but} my will is that after my decease my personal Estate not heretofore mentioned be sold on a tithe of twelve months and the money arising from the sale thereof with what money may be on hand and all my outstanding debts by bond or otherwise after satisfying the above bequests and my legal claims be equally divided between my wife and my three daughters and two other sons viz. Elizabeth Seague Phoebe Hobson, Anna Drann Martha Pitts, Anna Williamson Sarah Stucker Elizabeth biggity William Seague Isaac Seague Except Anna Williamson and Sarah Stucker and Williamson Seague and Isaac Seague is not to have as much as the rest by Thirty Dollars each I do hereby constitute and appoint my Eldest son William Seague and youngest son Elijah Seague Executors of this my last will and testament with full power and authority to carry the same into effect Signed with my hand and sealed with my seal this Twenty fifth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight

Signed sealed published
and declared by the above
mention'd William Seague
to be his last will and
testament in the presence of

Moses Smith

Jacob Smith

Stokes County June Term 1838. The execution of the last will & testament of Mr. Seague ^{all} of which the foregoing is a true copy as produced in open Court & duly proven by the oath of Jacob Smith according to law & ordered to be recorded the executors qualified according to law when the other witness, now dead will at Stokes County 1838

Rutherford D. Hollingshead