

178/ hand and affixed my seal this 15th day of September
1826 Signed sealed and delivered
as his last will & testament in
presence of us
Jesse M. H. M. Hanger
Philip Stutz
Simon B. Hauser

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Stotes County March 1828

The last will and testament of which the
foregoing is a true copy of Nathaniel Esch, died being opened
for probate was duly proven by Philip Stutz & Simon B. Hauser
as appears from the verdict of a jury impanelled for that purpose
at this time & ordered to be recorded
M. R. Moore &c
By C. L. Broom D.C.

In the name of God Amen!

I Thomas Jones of the County of Stotes
& State of North Carolina being of sound and perfect mind
and memory do hereby make public as follows do this 15th day of September
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
twenty seven do make and publish this my last will and
testament in manner following (Wit) I first give unto my
dear beloved wife Anna after my just debts are paid I
will that she have the tract of land on which I now live
during her widowhood and the profits arising therefrom
2nd I also give unto my sons Joshua & John & if my wife
should be delivered of a son child within nine months
from the date hereof the lands to be equally divided between
the three sons & if a daughter my two sons Joshua & John are
to pay each daughter twenty dollars after they arrive to years
of twenty one
3rd I will my wife Anna one more year sided cow
also two sheep & twelve head of hogs all the house hold & kitchen
furniture & the farming utensils Also I give to my son Joshua
one rifle gun
4th I will that the realties of my personal property be
sold and the money arising from the sale thereof be applied
to the payment for schooling my children

178/ 5th I hereby make and ordain my worthy friend Abram Vanhook
Executor of this my last will & testament in witness whereof I have
said Thomas Jones have to this my last will & testament at my
hand and seal the day and year above written
Thomas Jones

Signed sealed published and delivered by the
said Thomas Jones the testator as last will
and testament in the presence of us who
were present at the time of signing & sealing
thereof
Thomas Jones

Isaac Vanhook
Isaac Vanhook Executor

Stotes County March 1828

The last will and testament of
Thomas Jones of which the foregoing is a true copy was
duly proven by the oath of Isaac Vanhook & ordered to be
recorded
M. R. Moore &c
By C. L. Broom D.C.

In the name of God Amen!

I Henry Kruger of the County of Stotes and
State of North Carolina being in good health of sound and
disposing mind and memory do make public & declare this
to be my last will & testament. first It is my will that all
my just debts & funeral charges be paid out of my estate by
my executors hereafter named, secondly I give & bequeath unto
my brother George Kruger the sum of one dollar and unto
my brother Jacob Kruger the sum of one dollar and unto
my daughter Elizabeth the sum of one dollar and
my sister Rosina Stutz the sum of one dollar to be paid to them
annually or then heirs by my executors, thirdly I bequeath unto my
wife Bechena Elizabeth the use & entire profits of all the annuity
of my estate both real & personal to dispose of as she may think
proper best during her natural life, fourthly I give and
bequeath unto my wife son John Benjamin Miller his heirs
and assigns forever all that part of my estate both real
and personal which I have but unto my wife during her
life & which may remain after my wife's decease to be as
the portion of or all the said John Benjamin Miller or his heirs
or assigns more than the portion

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Fifth I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my friends
Henry Haugen (sadly) and John Benjamin Miller executors
of this my last will and testament hereby annulling & making
void all other wills & testaments by me in any manner
heretofore made In witness whereof I do write at my
hand and seal the 14th day of January A.D. 1828.

Signed sealed published
& declared in the presence of

Anthony Bittling Junr
Jacob Thore

Henry Haugen
Mark

Stokes County September Term 1828

The last Will & Testament of Henry Haugen of
which the foregoing is a true copy being offered for probate
was duly proven in open Court by the oath of Anthony
Bittling and ordered to be recorded

M. R. Moore
By C. L. Parnum D.C.

In the name of God Amen!

I Dorothea Shultz of Salem in Stokes County
and State of North Carolina being of sound and perfect mind
and memory do this twenty second day of March in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & twenty eight make
and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner
following that is to say

- 1) I give and bequeath to my two grand children Entant Shultz
and Dorothea Shultz the sum of two hundred dollars to be
equally divided among them
- 3) I give & bequeath to my two grand children above named
Entant & Dorothea the following bedding to wit to Entant
one feather bed & two easy two pullers & covers two bed sheets
two blanket to Dorothea one under feather bed two pullers
& covers two bed sheets & one blanket - All my wearing apparel
& clothing to be divided equally among my sons Samuel Shultz
& Henry Shultz & my above named two grand children Entant
& Dorothea Shultz all my bedding except as before excepted
with all my linen &c. I give & bequeath to my two sons

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Samuel & Henry Shultz except fifteen yards of linen which I
give to my son and two grand children to be divided among them
equally - 3rd I give and bequeath to Johanna Elizabeth Shultz
the sum of one hundred dollars

4th I give and bequeath to my sons Samuel Shultz & Henry Shultz
all the rest and residue of my estate to be equally divided among
them share & share alike -

5) And I do hereby make & ordain my beloved son Samuel
Shultz & Henry Shultz Executors of this my last will and testament
revoking all former wills heretofore by me made In witness
whereof I the said Dorothea Shultz have to this my last will
& Testament set my hand and seal the day & year above
written

Signed sealed published & declared
by the said Dorothea Shultz the testatrix
in her last Will & Testament in the presence
of us who were present at the time of the
signing & the sealing thereof

Dorothea Shultz
Mark

P. McIlmurray Cleral
William Fries

Stokes County September Term 1828

The last Will & Testament of Dorothea Shultz
of which the foregoing is a true copy being offered for
probate was duly proven by P. McIlmurray & ordered to
be recorded

M. R. Moore
By C. L. Parnum D.C.