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The execution of the last will & Testament of Sarah Davis dec'd of which the foregoing is a true copy was proven in open Court by Cape Briggs & Subscribing Witness thence I advised to be recorded.

Done according Robt Williams &
J. P. Armstrong J.C.

In the name of God amen, I Fursie Hauser of North Carolina being weak in body but of sound mind and memory do think proper to make and assign this my last will & Testament in the following form.

First. I recommend my soul in the hands of Almighty God my body to the earth to be buried in a decent Christianlike manner And as touching my worldly effects I will that in the first place my just & lawful debts shall be paid, as well as those due me in any manner shall be collected by my executor hereafter named.

And then I give to my beloved wife Elizabeth all the property & estate of which I am possessed of as well as the estate which may become due me hereafter by Virtue of any legacy of my father's estate or otherwise and I do empower my executor to sell my present dwelling house & lot and such part of lands as may fall to my share by Virtue of a legacy if they think proper for Benefit of my beloved wife Elizabeth for ever And lastly I do appoint my said wife Elizabeth & my friend John Henry Hauser to be the executor

of this my last will & Testament and do by these presents declare this and no other to be last will & Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 20th day of April A.D. 1857.

Fursie Hauser &
Signed sealed published and pronounced
by the Testator as his last will
in the presence of us.

Fursie Hauser &

Sarah Jones.

Stokes County September term 1857

The execution of the last will & Testament of Fursie Hauser dec'd of which the foregoing is a true copy was proven in open Court by Sarah Jones a subscribing witness to the same and advised to be recorded. Done according

Robt Williams &
J. P. Armstrong J.C.

In the name of God amen.

I Sarah Wohlfaht of Stokes County N. Carolina being weak in body yet of a sound mind & memory do constitute this to be my last will & Testament and desire it may be read by all as such.

First I humbly give my soul to God my maker beseeching his most gracious acceptance of it through the all sufficient merits of my dear savior & Redeemer Jesus Christ. I give my body to the earth from whence it was taken in full assurance of its resurrection from thence at the last day. As for my burial I desire it may be decent at the discretion of my executor.

Secondly as to my worldly estate I give and bequeath

all my morables and all what I have of my property
to my dear beloved wife to be enjoyed for her benefit
during her natural life or widowhood. at her decease
my children shall have each an equal share
But if my wife should die again she is to
have only an equal share with the children
I further do constitute and appoint my truly be-
loved friends Samuel Stotts & James Hume to
be executors of this my last will & Testament

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
& seal this thirty first day of July one thousand
eight hundred & seven.

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Jacob Wolfart Esq
Samuel Branch
Wm Barton Proctor

Stokes County September term 1807.

The execution of the last will &
Testament of Jacob Wolfart dec'd of
which the foregoing is a true copy was shown
in open Court by Saml Branch & ordered to
be recorded.

Done accordingly

Rob Williams Clk
J. H. Anderson

Whom I John Cook of the County of Stokes State of
North Carolina being sick & weak of body but of perfect
mind & understanding Thanks be to the Almighty for the
same. Do make this my last will & Testament in manner
and form as follows to wit First & principally I commit
my soul to god who gave it and my body to the earth
to be buried in a decent manner at the discretion of
my ~~nearest~~ friends And as touching my worldly substance
wherewith I am possessed I dispose of in the following
manner & form to wit.

First I am that all my just debts be paid by my
executors hereafter named.

Secondly It is my will & I hereby order that all my
estate both real & personal be equally divided in the
following manner to wit: Between my sister Mary
my brother William my Niece Lucy Cook & Cousin
Betsey Robt formerly Cook.

Thirdly I hereby appoint and ordain my truly friends
Jesse Sumner & Jacob Carson my whole & sole executors
of this my last will & Testament hereby disannulling &
making void all other will Wills or Testaments by me
made or that may appear in my names. Ratifying
& confirming this & no other as my last will & Testament
In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 25th
25th 1807.

Signed & sealed in presence of
Jesse Sumner } her seal
J. H. Anderson } her seal

John Cook Esq
Test

Stokes County September term 1807. The execution of the last will & Testament
of John Cook dec'd of which the foregoing is a true copy was duly shown in
open Court by J. H. Anderson the subscribing witnesses thereto & ordered
to be recorded.

Done accordingly Rob Williams Clk
J. H. Anderson