

seventhly, I give & bequeath unto my two younger sons to wit: Augustine E. and Edward H. each a horse saddle & Bridle of the value of Twenty Five Dollars each including the saddle & bridle the horses to be taken from my stock & if there be none suitable to be purchased by my Executor as well as the saddles & bridles, which power he shall likewise have in carrying out my intentions in the 5th & 6th sections expressed.

Eighthly, I will that all my personal estates of every description shall be sold by my Executor except what is herein specially bequeathed & my debts collected as herein before provided, & after payment of my just debts & providing for the legacies herein before made the balance together with the value of my lands as herein devised shall form the net & residue of my estate, which I give & bequeath to my wife & all my children to be equally divided between them meaning my children by my first as well as second wife & if any of my children shall die before my death leaving children, their children shall represent their parents & should my son Levi & my son Augustine E. or his Guardian or either of them decline to receive the Land on the terms devised to them, it may be sold by my Executor & the money applied as in that clause directed, provided that the life estate to my wife as herein devised shall be reserved to her.

Lastly, I appoint John B. Miller the Executor of this my last will & testament, with full & ample power to carry out the intentions. In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand & seal this 9th January A.D. 1843.

Signed, sealed & declared

in presence of

Emt. Shober } in presence of
Hubert Elbert } each other

his
Jacob Shober
mark

This codicil made this the fourth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & forty three & relates to the property obtained through my wife Mary from the estate of Joseph Hauser dec'd consisting of notes given me for money due from said estate & as I will that my wife Mary & her children should have all and from that source I deem prudent to mention said obligation here to avoid all disputes hereafter the following notes or the money arising therefrom is to be paid over to said Mary or her children by my Executors, one against Allen Shober & securities for two hundred & fifty dollars, one against Isaac Hauser & securities for ten dollars

one against John L. Shober for two hundred dollars for two hundred dollars with all the interest that may be thereon.

Given under my hand & seal the day above written in presence of

Geo. H. Wilson } in witness whereof
David Butner } a presence of each other

his
Jacob Shober
mark

June term 1843.

The execution of the last will & testament of ^{of Jacob Shober dec'd} which the foregoing is a true copy with the Codicil annexed was duly proved in open Court by the oath of Emanuel Shober one of the subscribing witnesses to said will, and by the oath of Daniel Butner a subscribing witness to said Codicil Whereupon it was ordered that said will & codicil be recorded.

Wm. H. Hill. c. c.

I, Mary Cuttish of Salem Stokes County State of North Carolina, being in good health and of sound memory, on this day being the tenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty, make and publish this as my last will and testament in manner following that is to say —

- 1st It is my will that all just debts and funeral expences be duly paid
- 2^d I give and bequeath unto my friend Theodore Shober of Salem or in case of his death unto his successor in Office as agent of United Fraternity of War Brothers residing in Salem all and every part of my worldly property real and personal which I shall at my decease be found to possess fully confiding in him, that he will apply all the money due and the produce of the sale of my goods and chattels of every kind, thing given and bequeathed to him after payment of my debts, to the purpose and in the manner hereinafter mentioned
- 3^d The ten shares which I hold in the Stock of the State Bank of North Carolina as well as the ten shares which I hold in the Stock of the Cape Fear Navigation shall be applied by him in the following manner (viz) One moiety of the

same or of their real value he shall put to the sole and exclusive use of the mission of the United Brethren is that the semiannual dividend or interest thereof be regularly given by him to the use of said mission & the other Society of said County & there or of their real value he shall in like manner apply to the sole and exclusive use of a certain Pind Pam the support of aged ministers of the United Brethren Church and the education of children known and designated as the Machovic Sustentation Deaconsy so that the dividend or interest of said shares be regularly given by him to the use of said fund.

But the capital of said twenty shares to remain unchanged as long as the same shall prove productive otherwise whiche to be paid over for the use of the two separate funds before mentioned and determined according to his discretion

The four shares which I hold in the stock of the Newborn bank and the one share which I hold in the stock of Cape Fear Bank or the real value thereof, he my said friend Theodore Shultz shall transfer or pay over to the Warden & his successor of Salem for a standing fund of which the yearly interest or dividend shall be applied as school money first and in particular for my 3 or 4 children towards their education always preferred to be made to those who stand in particular need of assistance, and afterwards for defraying part of school money for poor children belonging to the Brethrens congregations of Salem aforesaid

Concerning the residue of my other personal property not herein mentioned and remaining after the payment of my debts undisposed off my friend Thos. D. Shultz will give a separate memorandum by my own handwriting enclosed to this my last will which I request and declare hereby to be considered as a part of my last will and Testament and as if it was inserted in the same having full confidence in him that he will fully comply with each and every article of the same and act according to my wish and determination

And further to hereby appoint my said friend Theodore Shultz of Salem or in case of his death his ^{successors} ~~successor~~ in the office as agent of United Brethren of Malvernia my

sole Executor of this my last will and Testament hereby working all former Wills by me made and declaring this to be my last will and Testament
In witness whereof I the said Magnus Rutthen have hereunto set my hand and seal this tenth day of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty

Signed sealed, published and declared by the above named Magnus Rutthen as and for his last Will & Testament in the presence of us who in the presence & at the request of the testator have hereunto set our hands & witness
to the same

Magnus Rutthen

Daniel C. Melfare

September Term 1843.

The Execution of the last will & Testament of Magnus Rutthen and of which the foregoing is a true copy was duly proved in open Court by the oath of F. C. Manning & John C. Blum who proved the hand writing of the subscribing witnesses of the testator and ordered to be recorded.

Wm. Hill. ckr

Nuncupative Will of Chas. Wm. Taylor.
State of North Carolina Stokes County
We the undersigned being at the dwelling house of Chas. Wm. Taylor on the 15th day of July A.D. 1843 and being at his personal request called upon by the said Chas. Wm. Taylor did then and there inform us the undersigned that he was as apprehensive that he would not recover his health again and he wished to make some arrangements with regard to his family and property he stated that he owed for his land at the land office and that it was his desire that his wife Susanna and his son William and his youngest son David should apply to Mr. Shultz to see if he would not be willing to take their bond in payment thereof and if they should succeed in giving their bond as aforesaid that then they should have all the land of which he was then possessed including the mansion house