

In the name of God Amen

I Benjamin Zigler of the County of Stokes in the State of North Carolina being of sound disposing mind and memory, do make publish and declare the following to be my last will and testament to wit;

First I will that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of my estate. Secondly, I will bequeath and devise all my whole estate both real and personal to my wife Eleanor C Zigler to her and her heirs forever.

Thirdly, I will and declare and do devise the maintenance of my sister Polly Zigler who now is now living at my old place on the Germanton Road, and if she desires to remain on said place after my decease the same is my will, if not, to remove and live with my wife Eleanor C Zigler and to be by her supported, my old negro woman Phillis to remain with her and attend to her wants and after the death of my said sister Polly Zigler her doctors bills and burial expenses to be paid out of my estate.

Fourthly & lastly, I having left all my whole estate to my beloved wife ~~Benjamin~~ Eleanor C. Zigler and to her the care of my sister Polly Zigler as stated in the foregoing shall appoint no person Executor, leaving the further action to the Law.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 14th day of October A.D. 1857

Signed sealed & delivered
in the presence of
J. J. Covington
L. H. Hill
Ganey B. Davis

Benjamin^{his} Zigler
mark

June Term 1858.

The execution of the last will & Testament of

Benjamin Zigler dec'd? (which the foregoing is a true copy)
was duly proved in open Court by the oath of James M. Covington
L. H. Hill & Ganey B. Davis, subscribing witnesses thereto &
ordered to be recorded - M. O. Hill C. C. J.

In the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Fifty six the second of July

In the name of God - Amen

1. I will that my Executor or some person whom he may choose to divide all my wearing apparel except my clothe into four equal parts in as near equal value as possible and given to my three daughters and daughter in Law - Eliza Schaub.

2. I will that my son William S Schaub have my umbrella red bandanna silk handkerchief, little bed, bedstead and all the contents to it, silver table spoons, four chairs, square bottle, looking glass, trifle, little hammer, chisel, rule, compass, cork drawer, thumb lancet, lantern, ginger cake molds, candlestick, night stool, clock, silver bodkin needles, nutcracker cotton.

3. I will my sister Johanna E Fries my silver spectacles, my brother in law Christopher Schaub is to have a pair spectacles formerly belonging to his mother and one dollar in money, my grand daughter Lucretia is to have my plain calico quilt calico on both sides and Amanda the little chest, bare box, cop basket Elizabeth S Stark my silver salt spoon.

4. I will that all my property belonging to me not especially named and divided be sold at public sale on credit as my executor may think proper and when the money is collected from the sale and note in my hands and all my expenses taken out, and in case I should leave that note for

George Nichol I lose it, and if any thing can be got Sami shall have it extra for the trouble they have with me. the rest the money shall be divided in four parts among my children, W. S. Schaub, Rebecca Spainhower, Anna Elizabeth Chapin, Maria & Waldrison

Lastly - I appoint my son William Samuel executor of this my last will and testament revoking all other wills heretofore made whereunto I have set my hand and affixed my seal in presence of

Test
John Grath,
Winbourn B Schaub

Maria S. Schaub (Seal)

June Term 1858.

The execution of the last will & Testament of Maria S. Schaub (of which the foregoing is a true copy) was duly proved in open Court by the oath of John Grath & Winbourn B Schaub subscribing witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded -

In W. Hill. c. c.

I John Bohannon of the county Stokes and State North Carolina being of sound mind and memory. but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say. that my executors shall provide for for my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my relations and pay all funeral expenses to gether with my just debts. howsoever and to whomsoever owing out of of the money, that may first come into his hand as a part or parcel of my estate.

I give and devise to my beloved wife Francis Bohannon all my interest in tract of land bought of John & Joseph bounded as follows with John & Smith with James Shelton & William Shelton & Wm J Smith and Charles B Bolding bequeath to have all my person & all my stock & cattle & hogs & house all my

house hold & kitchen furniture and all my workin tools all my domestic fowls & ptery I bequeath to wife all monies collectd after paying all my debts.

I do hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend John P Smith my lawful executor to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and testament according to the true intents and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills and testaments by me heretofore made. in witness whereof I the said John Bohannon do hereunto set my hand and seal this 15th May 1857

Test
Gabriel H Shelton
Hamilton J Lick

John P Bohannon (Seal)
his mark

June Term 1858.

The Execution of the last will & Testament of John Bohannon and (of which the foregoing is a true copy) was duly proved in open Court by the oath of Gabriel H. Shelton & Hamilton J Lick subscribing witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded -

In W. Hill. c. c.