

Landy Sherry attorney and constable my
trusty friend Goddard Sparks Executor of the my
last Will and Testament kindly reciting all former and other Wills by me hitherto
made

In testimony whereof I have caused to
my Hand and seal this twenty three day of
January in the year of our Lord One thousand
seven hundred and Ninety nine -

Signed sealed published and declared
by the Testator Anna Maria Estelle as
her last Will and Testament the
above work included in the Para-
graph [E] making an integral
part of the same & ought to be
implied immediately after the word
Daniel in the word her husband
in the presence of us
Abraham Stearn Justice
Rich'd Brant
Chas. Stearn

Anna Maria Estelle

Stokes County June 1799

The Execution of the last Will and Testament
of Anna Maria Estelle of which the foregoing is a
true copy was drawn in open Court by the
of Abraham Stearn & record to be recorded
which is accordingly done by

M. Armstrong
Notary Public

In the name of God amen.

I Mary Anne of Stokes County in the State of
North Carolina widow considering the uncertainty of
life but being now of sound and perfect mind and
memory do make and ordain this my last will
and testament in manner and form following
that is to say

Fist I will that after decease my body be decently
interred the expenses of such funeral to be paid out
of my Estate by my executors hereafter named
and I will likewise that all my lawful debts be
paid in like manner

Where Francis Stauber ^{of the County aforesaid} indebted to me an obligation
for the payment of twenty seven pounds
hard money I will that after my decease the said
sum shall be given up to the said Francis Stauber
I likewise give and bequeath unto the said Francis
Stauber my best ~~table~~ with the cupboard belonging
to it together with my Town Books

And whereas I am possessed of a tract of land granted
me in fee simple by Francis Stauber on the twenty
third day of June in the year of our Lord one
thousand seven hundred and ninety nine beginning
at a tree a corner and runs West on said
tract less than thirty chains and eighty three links

to a white oak Harness former built in
his house forty four Chairs to his parson
Pewter one forty seven Chairs and Eighty
three tanks to a Stake south eight and a half
Chairs to a Hickory East twenty one four
and a half to a Pewter in Wardrobe two
Tubs or said house twenty Chairs and they
are light to a White oak Well twenty
Chairs to a Black oak and there to the
beginning containing by estimation two hundred
and Sixty eight acres by the same man
up the land whereof is registered in the
Register Office of said County of Stokes in
Book C on the twenty fourth page I give
and devise the aforesaid described tract of land
with all appurtenances unto Ann Gaskins
Hawkins old daughter of Francis Hawkins
aforesaid to have and to hold the same
for ever —

And whereas there is a sum of geometric
of three hundred pounds land money due me
I will that after my decease the interest
thereof shall be paid yearly unto Magdalene
Hickey wife of John Hickey during her
life which interest amount to fifteen pounds
annually I give and bequeath unto the said
Magdalene Hickey during her natural life

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And after the decease of the said Magdalene
Hickey I will that the said three hundred pounds
shall be divided amongst the lawful progeny
children of the aforesaid Francis Hawkins yearly
It shall be more especially intended to be me of
getting them instructed in reading writing & other
useful Arts and Sciences I give Bequeath unto
John Hickey the son of Lavelon Hawkins his
money I give Bequeath unto Lewis Hickey the
sum of four pounds like money I give and
Bequeath unto Mary Hawkins daughter of George
Hawkins Esq^r the sum of Seventeen pounds like
money & to Constantin Land of Geometrical
I give my large silver Spoon All the rest and
residue of my Estates I give Bequeath unto
Francis Hickey in trust for distributing the same
among my friends according to my written direction
in one of my Drawers of my Desk And I do
hereby appoint forsettled & nominate my trusty
friend Abraham Stover of Belknapes of Stokes
County aforesaid Executor of this my last Will &
Testament hereby making all former Wills by me
heretofore made

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this Twenty fifth day of March in the
year of our Lord one thousand

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Lawn Hundred and may this
be good sealed published }
and delivered by the Testator
May Ault as Executor
late Will Testament }
in presence of us
Michael Hause }
Henry Thorpe Jury

Stokes County June term 1799

The execution of the last will &
Testament of Henry Ault of which
the foregoing is a true copy and
Parson in open court by the oaths
Henry Thorpe and Michael Hause
and agreed to be recorded which
is accordingly done by

R. D. Armstrong Jr.
for Robt Williams Esq.

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An account of the sale of the estate or
Personal property of Samuel Warrack
Becards March 12 1799

Cattle and Hogs sold for forty four	£ 64. 7. 0
Twenty seven Shillings	
Wares from fitter place one horse	
sold for and sundry small articles	
for forty two shillings thirteen pence	42. 13. 0
Ship to leather with working tools	
and house furniture of every kind sold	
for twenty two pounds five shillings	£ 108. 5. 0
One Rifle barrel shot gun sold for two	
pounds seven shillings	2. 7. 6
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	£ 110. 2. 6

Abraham Bowditch Executor

Hoke County June term 1799

An account of the sale of the
estate of Sam'l Warrack Esq' of
which the foregoing is a true copy
(Contract et litteration) was returned by the testator
Korana to be recorded which is done
accordingly by

R. D. Armstrong Jr.
for Robt Williams Esq.