

20 And I do hereby renounce all former wills and testaments, and at any time herebefore made ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament -
In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the date above written

Signed, sealed, published, confirmed
and declared in the presence

To John Fair
William Robinson Levat
Hutton Campbell

Shokes County September Term 1819

The execution of the last will and testament of Israel Robinson dec'd of which the foregoing is a true copy was duly proven in open Court by William Robinson and ordered to be recorded

Matthew Moore Secy
By B. B. Blum

Israel Robinson ^{his} Seal
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I Nathaniel Phob of the county of Stokes and State of North Carolina do make this my last will and testament in manner following to wit -
1) My burial I wish to be executed after the customary manner in Salem -
2) My legal and equitable title to my house & lot in Salem I give to my beloved wife Rebecca
3) I give to my said wife all kitchen furniture, all kinds of provision on hand at my decease and one hundred dollars of such monies as are in hand, or will soonest come to hand, all in the room of one year provisions and I also give to her as much cow it there is one belonging to my Estate at my decease, and further I give to my said wife one hundred dollars worth of such household furniture as she makes choice of to be appraised by my Executor independent of, and besides her own bed and furniture and beds and furniture for the children, and her & my apparel the last of which I give to her to be given away as she pleases. I also give to her all table and tea ward in use about the house, that is all earthen & glass, glass & China ward -
4) Such of my books and also silver spoon, and other little trinkets &c. &c. which my Executor shall think to be valuable or of service to my children, shall by my said Executor be divided among all my children, equal in proportion to their values, in order that they may have something to remember their father by and their things are to be preserved for them until they are of sufficient age to take care of them themselves.
5) To my brother Emanuel I give my flute, and to each of my sisters Hannah Parsona Stutz and Thersia as many or of they prefer it some other small trinket or article to be purchased and paid for by my Executor out of my Estate to be of reasonable and moderate value as it is not for the value of the thing that this bequest is made, but merely as a small token of friendship & acknowledgement for the many kindnesses received from them during my long and protracted indispositions.
6) To my children Henrietta Regina, and Rebecca Maria, and such other of my child or children as my said wife may be existent off at my decease, I give the sum of Five Dollars and Dollars. I request my Executor, as far as it can be collected and made out of my real and personal Estate not

my children hereafter named to be by him put out on interest or
 laid out in bank stock as shall be deemed most advantageous
 by him until they arrive at the age of twenty years when it shall
 be paid to them or the survivor of them in equal portions, but out
 of the interest or dividend thereof I give to my beloved wife
 Rebecca annually the sum of two hundred dollars to be paid
 to her by the Guardian as long as she remains my widow, and the
 Guardian thinks proper to leave the children her care, But
 whenever the children are taken away out of her care & support
 this annuity is to cease & be discontinued & if the interest or di-
 -vidend does not bring two hundred dollars, then she is to receive as
 much as it will bring. If it bring more the balance of interest or
 dividend, and that of all these monies here in falling into my
 said children shall be applied to their Education as far as
 wanted until they arrive at the age of twenty years when they
 or the survivor of them shall be put in possession of principal
 & interest unapplied if they all die before the age of twenty
 years the same shall be equally divided between my brother
 Emanuel, and my sister Johanna Sophia, Anna Paulina, Nieces
 Elizabeth and Maria Therese or their heirs

1) All the rest of my Estate both real and personal not herein
 before bequeathed shall be sold by my Executor, or either of
 them by public or private sale at their discretion, & after the bequests
 above are assumed divided the balance shall be equally di-
 -vided between my said wife & children there & share alike.

2) I hereby appoint my well beloved friend Lewis David Schurman
 Guardian of all my children, with power at any time by will
 or otherwise to appoint one under him and in the same manner
 to revoke such appointments at pleasure and my Earnest desire
 is that my children shall be educated in the best manner in
 Salem as far as the profits of the Estate will warrant, not neglecting
 to raise them to necessary industry and raising them instructed in
 every necessary & useful branch of domestic Economy as to render
 them in their place useful members of society. And the said Guardian
 is hereby authorized to allow their money or interest now below
 before any if he thinks proper, and cannot otherwise get it into
 better hands. And if they or either of them at their coming to the

age of twenty years should refuse to sign a full discharge according
 to the account laid before them, him or her, or should after that
 go to Law or Equity for an account he she or they so refusing
 or going to Law &c. shall loose one half of their bequest, which
 shall be paid to my next heirs in equal proportion after the same
 = claim then satisfied himself for his cost & expences.

3) All my just debts (of which there are but few) and funeral expences
 shall be paid as speedily as possible

4) Moreover I have in this will said "my Executor shall sell &c" it is in-
 -tended that they or either of them, or the survivor of them shall have
 power and they or either of them are hereby authorized to make
 sufficient titles, and grant such receipts, release &c &c as shall be
 necessary.

5) I appoint my friend John Christian Blum and, my Brother
 Emanuel Shober or either of them Executor of this my last
 Will & Testament hereby revoking all others and acknow-
 -ledging only this to be my last will & Testament -

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and seal this twenty third day of May A.D. 1818
 Thousand eight hundred and eighteen

Signed, sealed, published and
 declared by the Testator as his
 Last Will & Testament.
 In the presence of us
 Gottlieb Byham
 John Vogler Junr

J. Shober. Seal
 1818

Stokes County September Term 1818

The execution of the Last will and Testament of Nathaniel
 Shober decd of which the foregoing is a true copy was duly
 proven in open Court by John Vogler one of the subscr-
 -bing witnesses, and ordered to be recorded.

Matthew Moore Sec
 by A.B. Blum