

And lastly I do nominate and appoint my well beloved son John Nalle my friend William Burk my executors to this my last will and Testament hereby disannulling all other wills & testaments wherof I have heretofore at my hand and seal 29<sup>th</sup> day of May in the year of our Lord 1805.

Jacob <sup>his</sup> wife <sup>mark</sup> *John*

State the Woods (or land for enclosure) between the twelfth & thirteenth bars and also the wood (wip) between the thirty third & thirty fourth bars were written before the signing of this will as also the word (of) and (my)

John Rich

Thomas <sup>his</sup> Davenport  
mark.

Nineteenth day of May 1805. I the within Testator Jacob Stull do make and ordain this Codicil as a part of my last will and Testament that is to say my will and desire is that my well beloved son Jacob Stull shall have my Clock proves he pays to my well beloved son Jacob Stull twenty five dollars, if otherwise to be left in the same manner as my other property.

My will and desire is also that my well beloved son John Stull shall have all my wearing apparel to his own use & benefit.

In Wataug whereof I have hereunto set my hand and sealed the date above written signed sealed and delivered in presence of Jacob Stull mark.

Thomas <sup>his</sup> Davenport  
mark

Robert Williams

Stokes County Court December Term 1811

The execution of the last will and Testament of Jacob Stull deceased of which the foregoing is a true copy was duly proved in open Court by the oath of John Rich and ordered to be recorded. done according

Rob Williams *cc*  
Dr. Thos. T. Armstrong *cc*

To it remembered that Clement Banks of Stokes County a brother to Joshua and Herman being weakly in body at this time but of sound mind & memory and so considering the uncertainty of life and certainty of death to make this my last will & Testament

It is my will & desire that all my just debts & funeral charges be paid first by my executors hereafter named

Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth all the personal goods with all privileges of the working tools hereto belonging also all the household furniture within the Croft or ~~land~~ said lands during her widowhood also all privileges of the woodland - Not to be but what my son Dr. Brown might settle on the land where the executors may think it suits best and at the end of his understanding Item I give unto my youngest son Brown all privilege of all the land there bounded thereby except however none on left and if he should decease without an heir

132 The said book to be sold at public sale & to be  
equally divided amongst all the brothers & sisters

I give unto my three youngest daughters Rachel  
Elizabeth and Ruth fifty dollars a piece at their  
coming of age and if either of the three sister  
decease without an heir this sum to be equally  
divided amongst the remaining ones and after  
all the moveable property to belong to my widow  
to be at her disposal and the beloved children  
that is married & gone I have given them all that  
I am entitled Joseph Thomas Samuel and Dorcas  
also Margaret.

Then I do hereby bear & empower my beloved  
children Thomas, Margaret & Rachel Bond  
here sole executors of this my last will and  
testament which makes now void all  
former wills of mine & witness my hand &  
seal this twenty third day of the third month  
the thousand eight hundred & twelve

First Byrum Ballard *Samuel Bond*  
Adin Ballard *Witness*  
Elizabeth Bond

Stoke County Court March Term 1812.

The execution of the last will and  
testament of Samuel Bond test of which  
the foregoing is a true copy was duly proven in  
Open Court by the affirmation of Byrum Ballard  
& Adin Ballard & record to be recorded which  
is accordingly done

Rob Williams C.C.  
& Thos. Armstrong, D.C.

In the name of God Amen William Alford of Stoke  
County and State of North Carolina being of sound and perfect  
mind & memory (blessed be God) to this tenth day of October in  
the year of our Lord One thousand eight Hundred & Nine makes  
publick this my last will and testament in manner following  
that is to say

I am now and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary Alford  
all the furniture book I now hold or possess with all my personal  
estate to remain in her hands while she remains my  
widow to dispose of as she thinks proper both for her  
own use and to pay all my just debts with the same  
item but if my wife should marry or die I do desire  
all my estate both real and personal to be equally divided  
amongst my children after my just debts is paid to-wit  
Williams & Joseph Andrew & John Ann & Mary Elizabeth Bond  
Item I will & bequeath to my daughter Margaret Bond  
the sum of Ten Shillings Two more Item I hereby make  
and Ordain my wife executrix of my two sons testaments  
Alford & John Alford executors of this my last will &  
testament In witness whereof I have set my hand  
seal the day & year first written  
Signed sealed published & attested by the said Wm Alford  
Sealed by the said Wm Alford  
the Testator who his last will &  
testament is in view of us  
Byron Blackburn

Stoke County Court March Term 1812  
The execution of the last will & testament of  
William Alford test of which the foregoing is a  
true copy was duly proven in Open Court by the  
affirmation of Byron Blackburn & record to be recorded  
as aforesaid Rob Williams C.C.  
& Thos. Armstrong D.C.