

State of North Carolina } S.S. in the Superior Court
Washington County }

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of James F. Hurman deceased is exhibited before me. The undersigned Clerk of Superior Court for said County by Emma B. Hurman the Executrix therein mentioned and the due attention thereof by the said James F. Hurman's friend by the oath and examination of G. W. Harney Esq. Counselor at Law the subscribing witness thereto who being duly sworn doth depose and say and each for himself depose and swear that he is a subscribing witness to the paper-writing now shown him purporting to be the last will and testament of James F. Hurman that the said James F. Hurman in the presence of this deponent subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing now shown as aforesaid and which bears date of the 15th day of January 1895. And the deponent further deposes that the said James F. Hurman the testator aforesaid died at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid declared ~~that~~ the said paper-writing so subscribed by him and attested to be his last will and testament and this deponent did thereupon subscribe his name at the end of said as an attesting witness thereto and at the request and in the presence of the said testator. And this deponent further deposes that at the said when the said testator subscribed his name to the said last will as aforesaid and at the time of deponent subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid the said James F. Hurman was of sound mind and ~~body~~ memory of full age to execute and was not under any restraint to the knowledge information or belief of this deponent and further this deponent say not falsely sworn and subscribed the 19th day of May 1896 before me
G. W. Harney
Clerk of Superior Court
This I certify

In the name of God amen I A. N. Vaie of the County of Washington and State of North Carolina bearing of sound mind memory and understanding praise Thee God for the same do make this my last will and testament in Manus and form following

Item 1

I give and devise to my beloved wife all of my land to be set out by metes and bounds in the following manner all of the North side of my land beginning at the Jake Ditch at the ferry brook and running East to the Canal thence North along the Canal so as to include all of my land north of the Jake Ditch. So as to include all of my dwelling House and all of my out houses and other improvements to have and to hold to her the said Deborah Vaie for and during the term of her natural life
I give and devise to my youngest Son N. C. Vaie all that portion of my land South of the Jake Ditch

Item 2

Item 3

I give and devise to my eldest Son Joseph Vaie all that part and parcel of my land formerly willed to my wife at her death to my Son Joseph Vaie

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I give and devise unto my beloved wife Deborah Vaie my black mule and my new buggy during her natural life

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I give and devise to my youngest Daughter Florence C. Johnston one hundred dollars

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I give and devise to my Son Son Clarence Ode Desk and one double barre shot Gun

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The residue of my property real and personal not disposed of by be said and be equally divided between my heirs

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend Jos. A. Chason and my Son N. C. Vaie my lawful executors to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof and hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all

Personally appeared Jas. A. Chason & N. C. Vaie the executors named in said will & being duly sworn and subscribed to the said paper-writing by law of the qualified of executors & being sworn to them
15th day of June 1896
G. W. Harney Clerk

other wills and testaments by me heretofore made
by witnesses whereof I the said A. N. Vaie do
herewith set my hand and seal this 22 day of June 1896

A. N. Vaie *Seal*

Signed, Sealed, Published and declared by the
said A. N. Vaie to be his last will and testament
in the presence of us who at his request and
in his presence do subscribe our names as
witnesses thereto

J. J. Sittern *Seal*
Jas A. Cheson *Seal*

State of North Carolina } SS in the Superior Court
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A paper writing purporting to be the last will and
testament of A. N. Vaie deceased is exhibited
before me the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court
of said County by N. C. Vaie and J. A. Cheson
the executors therein mentioned and the said
executors thereof by the said A. N. Vaie is proved
by the oath and examination of J. J. Sittern, J. A. Cheson
the subscribing witnesses thereto who being duly sworn
do depose and say and each for him self depose
and say that he is a subscribing witness to the
paper writing now shown him purporting to be the
last will and testament of A. N. Vaie the said
A. N. Vaie in the presence of his deponent
subscribed his name at the end of said paper
writing now shown as aforesaid and which bears date
of the 22 day of June 1896

And the deponent further saith that the said A. N. Vaie
the testator aforesaid did at the time of subscribing his
name as aforesaid declare the said paper writing
so subscribed by him and exhibited to be the last
will and testament and this deponent did there upon subscribe
his name at the end of said will as an attesting witness
thereto and at the request and in the presence of the said
testator And this deponent further saith that at the
said time when the said testator subscribed his
name to the said last will as aforesaid and at the
time of deponent's subscribing his name as an

attesting witness thereto as aforesaid the said
A. N. Vaie was of sound mind and memory
of full age to execute a will and was not under
any restraint to the knowledge information or belief
of this deponent and further this deponent say that
J. J. Sittern *Seal*
J. A. Cheson *Seal*

Specially sworn and subscribed
this 6th day of September 1896
before me
Thos J. Merriner
Clerk Sup Court

North Carolina }
Washington County }

I, Isabella Vaie widow of A. N. Vaie deced
late of said County do hereby dissent from the will of my said
deceased husband A. N. Vaie which will was duly probated and
recorded according to laws in said County as appears of record
in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court This dissent
is filed this alleged by laws Vol 1 The Code Sec 2108 + 2109 -
This Nov. 18th 1896

Isabella Vaie

witness
A. O. Saylord

Washington County North Carolina
Acknowledged and proven before me Nov 18 1896
Thos J. Merriner
Clerk Sup Court