

of subscribing his name as aforesaid, declare the said paper writing so subscribed by him and exhibited to be his last Will and Testament and this defendant did thereupon subscribe his name at the end of said will as an attesting witness thereto, and at the request and in the presence of said testator, And this defendant further saith, that at the same time when the said testator subscribed his name to the said last will as aforesaid, the said John C. Hard 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 defendant; And further these defendants say not;

Saynally sworn and subscribed,
this 29th day of July, 1921, before }
me, }
C. D. W. Tushore, } J. G. Sullivan
Clark Superior Court. } Marie Sullivan.

North Carolina, } ss. In the Superior Court,
Washington County,

It is therefore considered and adopted by the court that the said paper writing and every part thereof is the last will and Testament of John C. Hard, deceased. Let said will, together with the probate be recorded and filed.

This 29th day of July, 1921,
C. D. W. Tushore,

Clark Superior Court,

North Carolina }
Washington County }

I, Robertson H. Davenport of the aforesaid county and State, being of sound mind, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make and declare this my last will and testament.

1st My Executor hereinafter named shall give my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my friends and relatives, and pay all my funeral expenses, together with all of my just debts out of the first money which may come into his hands.

2nd I give and devise to my son A. L. Davenport the place where I now live during his life time due to his heirs and should one of his heirs become disinherited, he shall go to the other heirs, by his settling to them and no one else and the said A. L. Davenport shall pay over to my son Richard Davenport one hundred dollars as his part of the value of the Homestead.

3rd Whereas my daughter Annie M. M. Yow and Mary F. Hardly have already had their share I give and bequeath to them one dollar same to be paid by my Executor hereinafter named.

4th I give & bequeath to my son Richard One Hundred dollars provided the same be on land at my death & if not found then whatever under a hundred dollars may be found, and should there be over a hundred dollars the balance over shall be divided equally between him and his brother A. L. Davenport

5th I hereby provide that in case of the death of either of my sons prior my own that the provisions of this will shall be strictly carried out and their shares and the amount to be paid by A. L. Davenport to Richard Davenport shall be paid by the heirs of A. L. Davenport and should Richard Davenport die prior to myself the amounts given him shall be paid to his heirs.

I hereby constitute and appoint my son A. L. Davenport my lawful executor to all intents & purposes

To execute this my last will and testament according to the true intent & meaning of the same and every part & clause thereof hereby revoking all other wills & testaments hitherto made by me.

I witness whereof, I the said Robeson H. Davenport do herunto set my hand & seal this 15th day of January 1907.

Robeson H. Davenport (Seal)

Signed sealed, published and declared to the said Robeson H. Davenport to be his last will and testament in the presence of us, who, at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

H. H. Hardison
E. Spruill.

State of North Carolina

Washington County

In the Superior Court.

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Robeson H. Davenport, deceased, is exhibited for probate in open court by A. L. Davenport the executor therein named; and it is therupon proved by the oath and examination of D. E. Woolley that E. Spruill one of the subscribing witnesses thereto is dead, and it is further proved by the oath and examination of the said D. E. Woolley that he is well acquainted with the handwriting of the said E. Spruill having often seen him write, and that the name of the said E. Spruill subscribed as a witness to the said will, is in the handwriting of the said E. Spruill. It is therefore considered by the court that the said paper writing, and every part thereof, is the last will and testament of the said Robeson H. Davenport, and the same is ordered to be recorded and filed.

D. E. Woolley

This 22nd day of Nov, 1921

C. V. Th. Austin, C.R.C.

State of North Carolina }
Washington County } In the Superior Court.

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Robeson H. Davenport, deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said county, by A. L. Davenport, the executor therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said Robeson H. Davenport by the oath and examination of H. H. Hardison, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who being duly sworn, doth depose and say, and each for himself deposed and sayeth, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Robeson H. Davenport; that the said Robeson H. Davenport, in the presence of this deponent, subscribed his name at the end of said paper writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 15th day of January, 1907.

And this deponent further saith, that the said Robeson H. Davenport 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 his last will and Testament, and this deponent did therupon subscribe his name at the end of said will, as an attesting witness thereto, and at the request and in the presence of said testator. And this deponent further saith, that at the same time when the said testator subscribed his name to the said last will as aforesaid, at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said Robeson H. Davenport 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 sayeth,

H. H. Hardison.

Personally sworn and subscribed this 22nd

day of Nov, 1921, before me.

C.V.W. Anstis,

Clerk Superior Court.

North Carolina }^{ss.} In the Superior Court.
Washington County }

It is therefore considered and adjudged by the
Court that the said paper writing and every part
thereof is the last Will and Testament of Robeson W.
Dorsey, deceased. Let said Will, together with the
probate, be recorded and filed.

This 22 day of Nov, 1921.

C.V.W. Anstis
Clerk Superior Court.

North Carolina, Washington County;

I Feby Ann Patrick of the aforesaid County and State being
of sound mind & memory and understanding, but considering
the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make this my last
will and testament in manner and form following:

I give, I give devise and bequeath to my Daughter Eller
Ambrose my Land where I am now living the whole tract
which is mine, also my 2 Beds & crock stove all my House
Furniture & every thing which is mine To my Daughter
Sarah Jane Patrick I give her Ten dollars \$10.00 to come
out of my estate.

February 23rd 1922.

Witness Bruce Patrick
Witness Tomp^{son} L. Patrick

Feby Ann ^{her} Patrick (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published, & declared by Feby Ann
Patrick, to be her last will and testament, in the presence
of us, who at her request, and in her presence do subscribe
our names as witnesses thereto:

Tomp^{son} ^{her} Patrick
Bruce Patrick

State of North Carolina, }^{ss.} In the Superior Court.
Washington County }

A paper writing purporting to be the last Will and
Testament of Feby Ann Patrick, deceased, is exhibited before
me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said
County, by Eller Ambrose, one of the aforesaid heirs mentioned,
and the due execution thereof by the said Feby Ann
Patrick by the oath and examination of Tomp^{son} Patrick
& Bruce Patrick, the subscribing witness thereto, who being
duly sworn, doth depose and say, and each for himself
deposeth and saith, that he is a subscribing witness to
the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the
last Will and Testament of Feby Ann Patrick; that the
said Feby Ann Patrick, in the presence of this deponent,
subscribed his name at the end of said paper witness.