

attesting witnesses thereto, as aforesaid, the said William Hartgrove 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 these deponents say not.

W. M. Harn

W. L. Leake

Generally sworn and subscribed
this 6th day of Nov. 1905 before me
W. A. Hall
Clerk Superior Court.

North Carolina } In the Superior Court.
Fayette County } ss.

It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper reciting and every part thereof is the last will and testament of William Hartgrove deceased. Let the said will, together with the probate, be recorded and filed this 6th day of November 1905.

W. A. Hall

Clerk Superior Court.

D. G. Gerson's will

North Carolina }
Fayette County }

Item first

I will and bequeath to my husband, J. W. Gerson all of my personal property during his life and what remains after his death to my daughter E. M. Gerson.

Item second

I will and devise to my husband, J. W. Gerson all of my land during his life, and after his death I will and devise to my daughter E. M. Gerson, her heirs and assigns in fee simple, the tract of land containing about 60 acres, which I inherited from my mother Nancy Phillips adjoining the lands of Henry Renegar, Davis Patterson heirs, O. Lee Phillips and others. I also will to the said E. M. Gerson her heirs and assigns the lot of land containing about eleven acres which I inherited from my sister, Callie Phillips, adjoining the land of Phisla Phillips and others. And after the death of my husband I will and devise to my daughter S. E. Spear during her life, and after her death to her children, and their heirs, the two tracts of land I purchased from H. N. Doubt, and Richard Jaynes and the children of John Jaynes the two lots containing about 25 acres, adjoining the lands of Thomas Spillman, Thomas Hutchins John Gerson and others and being a part of the Nancy Phillips tract of land for more definite descriptions, see Deeds from H. N. Doubt and the Jaynes to me.

Item third

I hereby appoint my husband J. W. Gerson Executor to execute to all intents and purposes this my last will & testament.

This June 27th 1905.

D. G. Gerson
his mark

Witness

John W. Doubt
W. H. Hobson

Probate

State of North Carolina } In the Superior Court
Yadkin County } ss

A paper purporting to be the last will and Testament of Delpha Erson deceased, is exhibited before me, the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court for said County, by John W. Erson the executor therein mentioned, and the due execution thereof by the said Delpha Erson by the oath and examination of W. H. Hobson & John W. Daugh the subscribing witnesses thereto; who being duly sworn, oath depose and say, and each for himself depose and saith, that he is a subscribing witness to the paper writing now shown him, purporting to be the last will and Testament of Delpha Erson that the said Delpha Erson in the presence of this deponent, subscribed her name at the end of said paper writing, which is now shown as aforesaid, and which bears date of the 27 day of June 1905: And the Deponent further saith that the said Delpha Erson the testator of aforesaid did at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid declare the said paper writing so subscribed by her and exhibited to be her last will and Testament and this deponent 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 deponent further saith, that at the same time when the said testator subscribed her name to the ^{said last} will as aforesaid, at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid, the said Delpha Erson was of sound mind & 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 these deponents say that

Generally sworn & subscribed, this 6 day of Nov 1905: before me
W. A. Hall Clerk Superior Court.

John W. Daugh
W. H. Hobson

North Carolina } In the Superior Court
Yadkin County } ss

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 Delpha Erson deceased. Let the said will, together with the probate, be recorded and filed: this 6 day of Nov 1905.

W. A. Hall
Clerk Superior Court

David F. Burton will

North Carolina }
Yadkin County }

I David F. Burton being of sound mind and memory do make and publish the following as my last will and Testament to wit:
Item First. I will devise and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary J. Burton during her natural life the tract of land on which I now reside, adjoining the lands of L. D. Shugart & Longman Burton & there containing 100 acres more or less. for more definite description see deed from Jesse Burton & wife Sarah Burton recorded in Book L page 231 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Yadkin County. After the death of my wife Mary J. Burton I will, devise and bequeath the above described tract of land to my son Fred Burton and his heirs which is to be his full share of my estate.
Item Second. I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary J. Burton my gold watch and chain which I carry and wear on my person. Also one thousand three hundred dollars (\$1300⁰⁰) in good notes or good notes and mortgages which I may have at the time of my death to be collected by her and if that is not a sufficient amount of