

State of North Carolina, County of Madison.
I, E.M.Huff 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 & Testament.
(First) That all my said debts be paid.
(Second) That my request be carried out in
my burial.

(Third) That what I leave to be equally divided
among my living Children at my death
unless one or more of them have to do
more for me than the others, if so
they are to be paid for what they have
done, what I release by this is of I
have to be dependent and one & I also
would like for my house hold such
as any of them want, would be divided
if it can be done satisfactory, if not
put up and sold to the highest bidder
& the money equally divided.

(Fourth) I want each one to have feather
bed pillows and seven quilts. Robert
has done had three quilts, Neal has
done had four quilts his feather bed
& pillows, Carrie done had her bed &
seven quilts & Hattie got her bed quilts
Now there is two quilts here of Harvey's
that Aunt Eliza Head give Harvey they
are his, he is to have seven of mine,
Nannie & Linnie have seven after all gets
seven if any left they must be equally divided
and the two yarn coverlids is to be Carrie's &
Nannie as there is only two girls and
anything that can be divided satisfactory
& nothing would not be sold, but don't
want any first, I want to treat all right
(Fifth) I give and bequeath unto Anna
McPamphister five Dollars in Money

(Sixth) It is my will that all my property be sold
that can't be divided satisfactory among my
living Children all the money I have on hand
is to be collected from any source to be equally
divided among my living children.

(Seventh) I hereby constitute and appoint my
son Harvey H.Huff my lawful Executor to
this my last will.

North Carolina } In the Superior Court
Madison County } Before the Clerk

A paper writing without subscribing
witnesses and without the name of the
Testator being subscribed to said paper writing
but the name of the Testator appearing in said
paper writing purporting to be the last will
and testament of E.M.Huff deceased, as exhibited
for probate in open court by H.H.Huff the
Executor therein named, and it is therefore
proved by the oath and examination of R.
Baldwin Harn that the said will was found
among the valuable papers and effects of the
said E.M.Huff after her death and it is further
proved by the oath and examination of three
competent and credible witnesses, to wit:

J.Weece, J.M.Whittington and A.Baldwin Harn
that they are acquainted with the handwriting
of the said E.M.Huff having often seen her
write and verily believe that the said will
itself and every part thereof is in the hand
writing of the said E.M.Huff, and it is further
proved by the evidence of the three last mentioned
witnesses that the said handwriting is
generally known to the acquaintances of the
said E.M.Huff deceased, 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 the said E.M.Huff
deceased and the same is ordered to be recorded

and filed this June 25th 1917.

J. F. Crater

Clerk Superior Court

North Carolina | Lee Superior Court
Yadkin County | Before the Clerk

In the Matter of the
Probate of the last will & Testament of
E. M. Huff Deed } Evidence
of witnesses.
E. M. Huff Deed

R. Baldwin Harn being by me first duly
sworn says I am well acquainted with
E. M. Huff Deed (and when shown a paper
writing dated 1915) states that the name
E. M. Huff appearing in the body of said paper
writing purporting to be the last will and
testament of E. M. Huff Deed, is the E. M. Huff
who died on the 14th day of June 1917 at East
Bend Yadkin County NC. and further states
that said paper writing was found among the
valuable papers and effects of the said E. M. Huff
after her death. This June 25th 1917.

Swearnt Subscribed
before me this } R. Baldwin Harn
June 25th 1917

J. F. Crater.

Clerk Superior Court.

J. M. Huntington being duly affirmed deposed
and says, that he has personally known
E. M. Huff who died at East Bend NC, on the
14th day of June 1917 for more than 35 years
that he is acquainted with her hand writing
having often seen her write (and when shown
a paper writing dated 1915 purporting to be the
last will and testament of E. M. Huff
Deed) says that he merely believes that
the said will itself, and every part thereof
is in the hand writing of the said E. M.
Huff Deed and that in his opinion

the handwriting of the said Deed generally
known among her acquaintances. He further
states that he served for a number of years in
the capacity of a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public
and Post Master and has had opportunity to
see and observe the handwriting of the said Deed
and that there is no question but that the said
writing and every part thereof purporting
to be the last will and testament of E. M. Huff
Deed is the hand writing of E. M. Huff Deed.
Affirmed and Subscribed

to before me } J. M. Huntington.
This June 25th 1917.

J. F. Crater.
Clerk Superior Court.

Where being by me first duly sworn
says that he has been a resident of East Bend
Yadkin County NC. for about 37 years and that
he has been personally acquainted with E. M. Huff
Deed during this time and that he has been
in the mercantile business at said place
about 13 years and that he has had opportunity
to see and observe the handwriting of the said
E. M. Huff Deed (and when shown) the paper
writing purporting to be the last will and
testament of the said E. M. Huff says that in
his opinion the same and every part
thereof is in the hand writing of said
E. M. Huff Deed; that the hand writing of
said Deed is generally known to her acquain-
tances, and that he has had opportunity
to see her write, and have seen her write
and that in his opinion there is no
question but that said paper writing
purporting to be the last will and
testament of the said E. M. Huff Deed
is and every part thereof in the hand

writing of the said E.M.Huff Deed.
Swearne Subscribed to
before me this }
June 25th 1917 } J.H. Reece
J. Crater
Notary Superior Court.

R Baldwin Harn being by me duly sworn
says that he is 43 years of age, that he is a
resident of East Bend NC and has lived there
all of his life, and that E.M.Huff Deed is his
sister that her hand writing is generally known
to her acquaintances, that he is well acquainted
with her hand writing, having often times seen
her write, and when she was the paper writing
pertaining to the last will and testament
of E.M.Huff Deed, says that the same and
every part thereof is the hand writing of
the said E.M.Huff Deed. That he lived only
a short distance from her and saw her
nearly every day; and that in his opinion
there is no question but that the said
paper writing pertaining to be the last
will and testament of E.M.Huff Deed is and
every part thereof in the hand writing of
E.M.Huff Deed who died on the 14th day
of June 1917,

Swearne Subscribed
to before me June } R Baldwin Harn
25th 1917 }
J. Crater esc

Martha C Wall Will

State of North Carolina
County of Yadkin

I, Martha C. Wall 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.
(First) My executors hereinafter named shall give
my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes
of my relatives and pay all my funeral expenses
together with all my just debts out of the first
monies which may come into their hands belong-
ing to my estate.

(Second) I give and devise to my sister Nancy
Jane Shields my entire interest in a certain house
and lot in the Town of East Bend, Yadkin Co. NC.
which lot is bounded on the South by the lands
of John A. Hill, on the west by Al Prentiss
on the North by Cherry Street, on the East by
Mary Drulow, the same being where Nancy Jane
Shields now lives. My interest in the said house
and lot is one half.

(Third) It is my will and desire that all the
remainder of my property of every kind and
description be equally divided between my sister
Nancy Jane Shields and my brother J.S. Shields
I hereby constitute and appoint my brother
J.S. Shields and my sister Nancy Jane Shields
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 hereby revoking and declaring
utterly void all other wills and testaments
by me heretofore made.

In witness whereof, I the said Martha C
Wall do hereunto set my hand and seal
This the 4th day of May, 1907

Martha C. Wall *Seal*