

North Carolina } In the Superior Court
Yadkin County }

It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Court that the said paper purporting and every part thereof is the last will and Testament of James Gough deceased. Let the said will, together with the probate be recorded and filed.

This 18th day of August 1913.

J. L. Crater,
Clerk Superior Court.

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To the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yadkin County, I Emily Harriet Gough do hereby dissent from the last will and Testament of my deceased husband James Gough and elect to receive and take from his estate both real and personal, such portion thereof as I would have been entitled to by law, had he died intestate. This the 18th day of August 1913.

Emily Harriet Gough.
mark

Witness:

R. C. Pearson.
J. E. Gough.
W. H. Kershner
J. E. Myers

John Armstrongs will

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I John Armstrong of the aforesaid county and State, being of sound mind, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, I do make and declare this my last will and testament. I devise 1st my executor herein after named, shall give my body a decent burial, suitable to the wishes of my friends and relations, and pay all funeral expenses together with all my just debts, out of the first monies that comes into their hands belonging to my estate.

2nd I give and devise unto my son son J. C. Armstrong all of my real estate to which I now own, provided the said J. C. Armstrong shall support & maintain and take care of myself and my beloved wife Caroline Armstrong during our natural lives, and at our death shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid to my daughter Sarah Myers \$25.00 and my daughter Mary Armstrong \$25.00 and my daughter Estle Armstrong \$25.00 & Lula Master \$25.00 each.

3rd I give and devise to my daughter Mary and Estle Armstrong one cow and one pig each.

4th I will and devise that my three sons, Henry, Charles and Clingman Armstrong, one dollar each.

5th I will and devise to my son J. C. Armstrong all of the remainder of my estate both real and personal.

6th I will and devise that my beloved wife Caroline Armstrong shall have a life support off of the foregoing lands by me this day willed to my son J. C. Armstrong during her natural life or widowhood.

7th Now therefore if my son J. C. Armstrong shall comply with the foregoing will it is to be in full force and effect I want at my death, but if default shall be made on his part this will be void.

8th I hereby constitute and appoint my son J. C. Armstrong my lawful Executor to execute this my last

with and testament, according to the true intent and meaning of the same, every part and clause thereof hereby revoking all other wills by me heretofore made,

In witness whereof I the said John Armstrong do hereunto set my hand and seal & publish the and declare by the said John Armstrong to be his last will and testament

John Armstrong

signed, sealed, published and declared 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.

Test W.A. Hollerman
Mollie Hollerman

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In the matter Probate of the last of the last will and testament of John Armstrong deceased the paper writing hereto attached, purporting to be the last will and testament of John Armstrong deceased is hereto exhibited before the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court of Yadkin County N.C. by J. L. Armstrong the executor therein named and had therefor the following proof is taken by the oath and examination of Mollie Hollerman Gray, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and of E. L. Gray as follows

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Mollie Hollerman (Gray) being duly sworn deposes and says that she is a subscribing witness to the said paper writing now shown her purporting to be the last will & testament of John Armstrong deceased, that she heard the said John Armstrong acknowledge the execution

of this writing, as his last will and testament, and that the affiant attested it in the presence and at the request of John Armstrong deceased, and at the time of said acknowledgment the said John Armstrong was of sound mind and disposing memory, Affiant further swears that W.A. Hollerman the other ^{subscribing} witness ~~therein~~ is now dead,
Mollie Hollerman (Gray)

Sworn and subscribed }
to before me }
This Sept 6th 1913 }
J. L. Crater esq.

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E. L. Gray being duly sworn deposes and says that he is well acquainted with the handwriting of W.A. Hollerman one of the subscribing witnesses to the paper writing purporting to be the last will of John Armstrong deceased which is hereto attached dated - day of 19 - having often seen him write and that the name of the said W.A. Hollerman subscribed as a witness to said will is in the genuine hand writing of the said W.A. Hollerman

Sworn and subscribed }
to before me This Sept } E. L. Gray
6th 1913 }
J. L. Crater esq.

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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 John Armstrong deceased, Let the said will together with the probate be recorded and filed

This 6th day of Sept, 1913
J. L. Crater esq.