

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA }
Edgecombe COUNTY }

BEFORE THE CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING:

IT BEING SATISFACTORILY PROVEN TO THE UNDERSIGNED, Clerk of the Superior Court for Edgecombe County, that Henry Bryout late of said County, is dead, without having made and published any last Will and Testament, and it appearing that Frank W. Davis is entitled to the administration of the estate of said deceased, and having qualified as Administrator according to law:

NOW, THESE ARE THEREFORE TO EMPOWER the said Administrator to enter in and upon all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased, and the same to take into possession wheresoever to be found, and all the just debts of the said deceased to pay and satisfy, and the residue of said estate to distribute according to law.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said court, this the 5th day of May, 1938
A. J. Woolston
Clerk Superior Court.

NORTH CAROLINA Edgecombe County.

I, A. J. Woolston, Clerk of the Superior Court of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and perfect copy of LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION issued to Frank W. Davis, Administrator of Henry Bryout, deceased, on the 5th day of May, 1938, as appears of record in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 5th day of May, 1938
A. J. Woolston
Clerk Superior Court.

Every executor, administrator and collector, within three months after his qualification, shall return to the Clerk, on oath, a just true and perfect inventory of all the real estate, goods and chattels of the deceased which have come to his hands or to the hands of any person for him, which inventory shall be signed by him and recorded by the Clerk. He shall also return to the Clerk, on oath within three months after each sale made by him, a full and itemized account thereof, which shall be signed by him and recorded by the Clerk.

Whenever further property of any kind, not included in any previous return, shall come to the hands or knowledge of any executor, administrator or collector, he must cause the same to be returned as hereinbefore prescribed, within three months after the possession or discovery thereof.

Every executor, administrator and collector shall, within twelve months from date of his qualification or appointment, and annually so long as any part of the estate remains in his control, file, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, an inventory and account, under oath, of the amount of property received by him, or invested by him, and the manner and nature of such investment, and his receipts and disbursements for the past year in the form of debit and credit. He must produce vouchers for all payments. The Clerk may examine on oath such accounting party, or any other person, concerning the receipts, disbursements or other matters relating to the estate; and having carefully revised and audited such account, if he approves the same, he must endorse his approval thereon, which shall be deemed prima facie evidence of correctness.—The Revisal of 1905, sections 42, 43 and 99.