

my daughter Lydia Baldwin and Mary White for the promotion of their education
 7th I give and bequeath and it is my desire that all the lands I am possessor of shall be equally divided amongst the sons of my daughter Margaret Williams and the sons of my grand daughter Mary White, and Lydia Baldwin.

I hereby revoke all wills by me made and declare this to be my last will and testament. I constitute and appoint Benjamin H. Randolph Alexander McDonnell Isaac Wright Executors to this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 3rd day of May 1830.

Signed and sealed

In presence of

Lugard McKittaw
 Chas. L. Harvey

Josiah Hudson seal

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In the name of God "Amen"
 I Solomon Johnson of the County of Bladen and State of North Carolina being sick and weak but of sound mind and memory thanks be to God calling to mind the uncertainty of my body and knowing that it is appointed unto all men once to die do hereby make and confirm this my last will and testament that is first of all I bequeath my soul to God that gave it and my body to the earth to be interred in decent Christian burial at the discretion of my friends and as touching such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with I give and bequeath my whole estate goods and chattels lands and tenements to my wife Elizabeth Johnson during her natural life and at her death to my six daughters Elizabeth Beckwith

and I hereby appoint and ordain my wife Elizabeth Johnson sole executrix of this my last will and testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the 5th day of August in the year of Our Lord 1831.

Witness
 J. McKittaw 3 Solomon Johnson
 Margaret McKittaw 3 wife

In the name of God "Amen"

I Archibald Monroe of the State of North Carolina and County of Bladen being of sound mind and perfect memory but of weak body do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following viz -

1st I want such a part of my perishable property to be sold at public auction as will be sufficient to pay all lawful debts against my estate and funeral expenses the said to be collected out of my wife Mary Monroe

2nd I give and bequeath unto my wife Mary Monroe during her widowhood all my lands not encumbered across all my negroes viz - Tilly, Violet, Belle, Ben and Etalon all my stock of every denomination my whole furniture and all the residue of the same with their increase and benefit during her life but if she should marry again a child's part for life only

3rd I give and bequeath unto my daughter Margaret Kelly one Bed and clothes one cow and at the death of my wife a negro girl named Paula.

5th I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Monroe one Bed and clothes if she should get married and at the death of my wife a negro girl named Anna

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6th I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Monroe one Bed and Clothes if she should get married and at the death of my wife a negro girl Violet or "Tilly" should have any increase. But in case they will not increase Mary shall have one half of the boy Bill or the work of the girl in money.

7th I give and bequeath at the death of my wife unto my son John Monroe one half of a hundred acre tract of land it being the piece of land it being the piece upon which I live

8th I give and bequeath in like manner to my son James Monroe the other half of the same tract

9th I give and bequeath at the death of my wife unto my son Archibald Monroe one hundred acres of land that is the piece below the Long Branch joining William Willis' land and one half of Bill.

10th The balance of my negroes, with their increase and the residue of my property, I leave for my wife to dispose among my sons, as she may deem proper.

11th If my wife should die before my son Arch^d Monroe arrives at the age of twenty one years I wish him to be educated out of my estate exclusive of the one hundred acres of land and one half of Bill.

12th If either of my daughters or sons after getting her or his part of my estate, should see evident lawful issue then her or his part shall be equally divided among the remaining heirs.

I nominate constitute and appoint my son John Monroe, Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking all former Will or Wills by me made at any time.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal. This 21st of March 1832.

Signed Sealed, Published and declared
by the said Archibald Monroe

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to be his last Will and Testament, in presence of us.

Attest.

David Monroe.
William Willis
Alex Patterson

} Archibald ^{his} Monroe sub
on

In the Name of God. "Amen"

I John Taylor of Hammers Creek Bladen County in the State of North Carolina being in reasonable bodily health and of sound and disposing mind and memory do this 11th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two make and publish this my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following Principally and first of all.

I give my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it, and my body to the earth to be buried in decent Christian burial.

1st It is my wish and desire that all my just debt be paid.

2nd I give and bequeath unto my daughter Flora Taylor all my land - four negroes Thomas Willoughby and William, all my stock of house hold and kitchen furniture.

It is my wish that my daughter Flora have and enjoy all my real and personal estate of every description what so ever during her life and what may remain of my estate after my death it is my wish and desire that it be equally divided between my daughter Catherine McNeill Crague Taylor, of Fayetteville, NC

I also nominate and appoint my son Augustus and John Jno. McWilliam Executors to this my last Will and Testament.

"TAYLOR"