

P.S. Archibald Kelly, James C. Kelly, Jane McEwen and Catherine Campbell, each got a bed and its furniture when they got married and Jane McEwen got two cows and calves and Catherine Campbell got one cow and calf.
My Will is that the other heirs must get some property or money to put them equal with them. a parcel of hogs for John Kelly Annually paid his hogs. One sow and six fat pigs for Chris Kelly. One sow and six fat pigs for Daniel Kelly. One sow and five fat pigs for Duncan Kelly. to them and their heirs forever.

Signed in presence of us -
Geo M^cEwen &
Geo. M^cKee.

James Kelly, Son Seal

State of North Carolina
Bladen County

In the name of God Amen

I, James Westbrooks of the State and County aforesaid being weak in body but of sound and disposing mind and memory do make publish and declare this my last will and testament in manner and form following -

1st I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Porthany Westbrooks all my estate both real and personal goods and Chattels during her Natural life or Widowhood

2nd I give and bequeath after the death of my wife Porthany Westbrooks all my estate both real and personal goods and Chattels to my three children Sophamie Westbrooks William Westbrooks and Lucy Ann Westbrooks to be equally divided between them.

James Westbrooks Seal

I nominate and Appoint and constitute my wife Porthany Westbrooks Executrix to my last Will and Testament. Oct 19th 1832

Signed sealed published and declared as and for the last will and testament of the said James Westbrooks in the presence of us who have signed our names in the presence of the said Testator and in the presence of each other -

John P. Brown
Sophronia Westbrooks

State of North Carolina
Bladen County

In the name of God Amen

I, Hugald McMillan of the County and State aforesaid being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind, and judgment do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following.

1st I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth McMillan a certain tract or parcel of land wherein I now live conveyed by James Fleming to Hugald McMillan containing two hundred acres for and during the term of her Natural life. I also give and bequeath unto my beloved wife three negroes viz Jacob, Cady and Jack, during her natural life and at her death it is my will and desire that the above described property be taken into possession by my son Duncan and by him retained for the use and benefit of my wife during her natural life. and after her death it is my will and desire that one half of which may be remaining be equally divided between my sons Duncan, McMillan and Hugald McMillan and the other half. I give in trust to John, Fred, McMillan and my son Duncan McMillan in common, to be applied only to the sole use and benefit of my three daughters, Elizabeth, Mary

James Shaw and Margaret Shaw share and share alike for themselves and their heirs forever. I also give and bequeath unto my son Duncan McMillan the following Tracts or parcels of land. "Viz" one tract containing one hundred acres conveyed by Samuel Etnidge to Jno. McMillan Senr by deed bearing date Nov 1st 1770. also another tract of land containing Two hundred and fifty two and a half acres conveyed by Michael Clarack and his wife to Rugard McMillan by deed bearing date April 15th 1808. also another tract or parcel of land containing thirty three acres. conveyed by William Bradford to Rugard McMillan, by deed bearing date January 19th 1809. also another tract of land containing fifty acres, patented 10th of October 1787. by Rugard McMillan. also another tract of land patented 17th of August 1803, containing fifty acres by D. McMillan also another tract of land containing eighty six acres, patented 11th of June 1810. by Rugard McMillan.

I also give and bequeath unto my son Duncan McMillan the tract wherein I now live conveyed by James Fleming to Rugard McMillan containing two hundred acres after the death of my wife Elizabeth McMillan.

I give and bequeath unto John Senr. McMillan and my son Duncan McMillan my negro woman named Hannah. and my negro boy Owen with their future increase.

The above property. "Viz" Hannah and Owen that I give to John Senr. McMillan. and Duncan McMillan in common I give in trust only to be applied to the sole use and benefit of my daughter Elizabeth Lewis herself and the heirs of her body. and her eldest son Rugard McMillan Lewis excepted.

I also give and bequeath unto my son Jno McMillan my negro boy Crathaw to him and

I give and bequeath unto my son Duncan McMillan negro man Moses commonly called Mos. I give and bequeath unto my sons Duncan McMillan and John Senr. McMillan. two negroes. "Viz" Ephraim and Matilda. the above mentioned negroes Ephraim and Matilda that I give to Duncan McMillan and John Senr. McMillan in common I give in trust only to be applied to the sole use and benefit of my daughter Margaret Shaw for herself and the heirs of her body.

I also give and bequeath unto the children of my son Rugard McMillan two negroes Moses and Dick and one tract or parcel of land. containing one hundred acres conveyed by Samuel Smith unto Rugard McMillan. also another tract of land lying in the Brown Marsh Swamp containing fifty four acres. being a part of a hundred and fifty acre tract patented by Daniel Haynes. the above described property which I give unto my grand children it is my will and desire will be equally divided between them when the youngest attains the age of twenty one.

And lastly as to all the rest residue and remainder of whatsoever or kind or nature the same I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth McMillan. and I hereby nominate my true and worthy friend John Senr. McMillan and my son Duncan McMillan Executors to this my last will and testament. and hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this the 19th day of May in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty five

Signed and Sealed / Rugard McMillan Seal
in presence of
H. D. McNeill
Moses Lewis