

Edmund Kiker last will & testament

State of North Carolina

Union County E December 31st 1850

In the name of God Amen. I Edmund Kiker of the County & State aforesaid being in my right mind and memory do make this to be my last will and testament

In the first place I wish my body to be decently buried and the expenses paid out of my Estate

Item 2nd I want all of Just debts paid

Item 3rd I give unto my Step son Jesse G. Thomas my ying mare Betty a saddle and bridle one kid and furniture a Cow and calf a Sow & pigs also a Cow and lamb

Item 4th I give unto Elizabeth B. Kiker all of lands with the exception of the piece of land where mother allus white lives for her to have that as long as she lives with the exception of the field I last cleared and at her death for the land where Mrs. Missus white to return to my wife and Children also I give unto my wife all of my house hold and Kitchen furniture also all my stock of every kind with the exception of I give unto Jesse G. Thomas also I give unto my wife all of my farming tools with the present crop I have on hands of every description also one Cent I give my wife this for the purpose of raising and Educating my Children and if my Children should live to marry my wish is for their mother to fix them off as well she can, now what I give to Jesse G. Thomas he is to have with him all the time it takes him to