

This ancient current of the estate of Dabney Pettus with Charles Pettus
do. One of the executors was this day reported to the Court by the
commissioners appointed to settle and adjust the same with the executors
of the said Charles Pettus, and ordered to be Recorded.

Teste Thomas Read Sec.

Truly recorded

Thomas Read Sec.

In the name of God amen, this twenty first day of March one
thousand eight hundred, being sickly in body but in perfect good
memory. Thanks be to almighty God, and calling to remembrance
the uncertain estate of this transitory life, and that all flesh must
yield unto death when it shall please God. I also divide other
good causes moving me therunto, do make constitute and do
ordain and declare this my last will and Testament in manner
and form following that is to say — First I will that all those
debts and dues as I owe in right, and conscience, to any manner
of person or persons whatsoever shall be well and truly contented
and paid — or ordered to be paid within convenient time.

after my decease by my Executors hereafter named. Item it is my
will and pleasure that the mulatto boy named Joshua do remain
with Rachel Adams to the age of twenty one years then to have his
freedom according to law. Item I leave unto Rachel Adams my
cow which is with calf at this time, as also half of the Household furniture
the other half & bed with the yearling to Chloe Adams, which money
is due to me for the sale of my place by James Anselm Senr. — one
seven pounds out of the first payment to go to the Expenses for burying
me in a decent manner the other three pounds to be paid to Chloe Adams
to furnish herself and Joshua on their way to Petersburg — the balance
of Anselm's note of hand which is six dollars and one shilling to go in
part to discharge Jones's note of hand against me. The balance
to be paid out of the sale of my plantation utensils and carpenter's tools.
Item I leave the second payment of my land to John Johnson — I
leave the third payment to John Haley junr. — Item I leave my saddle
to Joshua — and the fourth payment to Asa Plankinship. Item
if the cow has a calf I leave it to Milly Adams. Item I constitute
as my agent Ambrose Haley, and Hezekiah Almond my Executors, As
Witness my hand and Seal this day and year first above written
Witness W. Clark, John ^{his} Haley, Susanah ^{her} Haley } Nelson ^{his} Gilbert L. S.
mark mark mark

At a Court held for Charlotte County the 7th day of April 1800.

James W. Clark, John X Haley, Susanah X Haley & Nelson J. Calvert L. S.
mark mark mark
At a Court held for Charlotte County the 7th day of April 1800.

This last Will and Testament of Nelson Calvert dec^d was presented
in Court by Hezekiah Almond one of the Executors herein named and
the same was proved by the oath of William Clark one of the Witnesses
hereto subscribed and Ordered to be certified and the said Hezekiah
Almond resourced in open Court the burthen of the Execution of the
said Will. And at a Court held for ^{the} said County the 7th day of
July 1800 - The same was further proved by the oath of John Haley
one of the Witnesses hereto subscribed and Ordered to be recorded.

And Ambrose Haley the other Executor named in the will reso-
urced in open Court the burthen of the Execution of the said
Will. On the motion of Levy Blankenship who made oath acco-
rding to Law Certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of
Administration of the said Estate with the will annexed he
giving Security, Whereupon he with Henry Haley his Security
entered into and Acknowledged their bond for that purpose

Teste Thomas Reed Sec

Truly recorded

Thomas Reed Sec