

December Court 1787

At about held for Halifax County the 20th day of December 1787
The within written Division of the Estate of James Wimbush
Dec^d Betwⁿ Sarah Crayhead late Widow & relict of the said James
Wimbush dec^d & John Wimbush was exhibited in Court and
Proved by James Wilson a witness thereto. to have been made
by mutual consent of the Parties thereto subscribed. and ordered
to be Recorded

Teste Geo. Harrington CMC
Truly Recorded. Berry Greene DCMC

Wm. Wall's
Inventory

Inventory and appraisment of the Estate of John Wall dec^d
Taken January 19th 1788

a Negro man named Ned	£ 52
a Negro Girl named Beckey	70 0 0
Seven horses	50 0 0
Nine head of Sheep	66 10 0
Seventeen head of cattle	4 10 0
Thirty head of Hogs	30 0 0
one Grind Stone	15 0 0
a parcel of Tanned Leather and one Rawhide	0 10 0
five Beds and furniture for three	2 5 0
two Cotton and two flax wheels	35 0 0
two new Saddles & 2 new Saddle Chairs 10/	1 5 0
a parcel of Books 6/ and four Slates 2/6	2 15 0
a parcel of Cotton and Wool bands	0 8 6
one Flax Hatchet 1/6 Rascers and Shop 2/	0 8 0
five Bells 15/ two Smoothing Irons 6/	0 10 6
Carpenters tools and old Iron	1 1 0
Plantation Tools and home gun	4 9 6
Subs Pail & churn 10/ Gds forks and Rascals	1 14 0
two Pails axen one pair Widges one Drawing Knife	2 10 0
Shovels and Tuzens 6/ two Guns 20/	0 19 4
a parcel of Painter knives & other tools	2 6 0
two Pots one Dutchman & Shalbot 1/ 2/ 6/ & bottles 6/	2 0 0
one Gun	1 10 0

February Court 1788

At about held for Halifax County the 25th day of February 1788
The within written Inventory and appraisment of the Estate of
John Wall dec^d. was this day returned & ordered to be Recorded

Exam^d Teste Geo. Harrington CMC
Truly Recorded Berry Greene DCMC

Wm. Wall's
Will

In the Name of God Amen, I Wm. Wall being
Said of the County of Halifax being Sick and weak in body
but of Sound mind and memory do make this my last will
and Testament in manner and form following that is to say
I desire first of all that all just Ditts and funeral Charges be
Them it is my Will and I do accordingly order that my Executors
here after named do pay me just Ditts and funeral Charges
after and out of such Corps of Tobs and Sale of such part of
Estate of mine which they may most necessary to be spent in such
manner as they may think best. I then I give and bequeath unto my
Daughter Betty Wall my Negro man Slave named Ann then
to her and heirs and assigns forever I then I bequeath unto my
Well beloved wife Anne Wall the Land and Plantations
whereon I now dwell containing two hundred and ninety two
Acres be the same more or less, also all the rest and
Residue of my Estate of Every kind and nature during her
life or Widowhood. I then I give and bequeath unto my Son
Sharent Wall at the death or Marriage of my aforesaid Wife
the said Land and Plantations whereon I now dwell to him
his heirs and assigns forever. I then I have herebefore given
to my Son Joseph E Wall the sum of Eighty Pounds current
Money which I now I give to him his heirs and assigns forever
as an Equivalent with the rest of my Childrens portions in
my Estate. I then it is my Will and I do accordingly order
that my Wife aforesaid may at any time before, or at her
Marriage or death divide the rest and residue of my Estate

April Court 1788.

Philip Lewis Hayley, Mary Hayley and Pleasant Hayley
all which I give to them and each of them their heirs and
Assigns forever. Item and lastly I do constitute and appoint
my aforesaid Wife Anne Executrix, and my Son Joseph E. Hayley
Executor, of this my last Will and Testament. In witness
whereof I have hereunto this twenty eighth day of December
one thousand seven hundred and Eighty Seven Set my hand
affixed my Seal.

Humphrey Hayley I S
Signed Seal'd publish'd & Declared }
by the said Testator in Presence of

Henry Henshaw Wade, Frederick Brown, Salley Wade

At a Court continued and held for Halifax County the 29th day of April
1788 The Within Written Last Will and Testament of Humphrey
Hayley Dec'd was exhibited in Court by the executor therein named
and the same was Proved by the Oaths of two Witnesses therein
Subscribed accordingly and ordered to be Recorded
And on the motion of the said Executor, who made Oath
According to Law, Certificate is Granted her for obtaining
Probate of the said Will in due form She gives Security
According to Law for the next Court to be held for the
said County. Reserving Liberty to Joseph E. Hayley the
Executor therein named to join in the Execution thereof
when he shall think fit.

Teste Barry Green Sec. H. Co.

Truly mine, True Barry Green Sec. H. Co.

Halifax County set
In the Name of God Amen

I Susanna Niel being Weak in body but of sound memory
thanks be to Almighty God for the same, do make this my
Last Will and Testament in manner and form following
Impressed. I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Barbary
my feather Bed and furniture to her & her heirs forever.

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May Court 1788.

Item I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Barbary Bonmar my
Belt and Bason and Dress to her and her heirs forever.

Item I Give to my Daughter Barbary all my wearing apparel
to Distribute among my other Daughters as she may see cause
Lastly I do constitute and appoint my truly and
Well beloved friends John Bonmar Senr William Bonmar Senr
and James Stevens Executors of this my last Will and
Testament hereby Revoking all others In witness
whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my Seal
this 19th day of February 1788

Susanna Niel I S
Signed Seal'd & Declared }
In Presence of

Reuben Bonmar, Fielding Bonmar

At a Court held for Halifax County the 26th day of May 1788
The Within Written Last Will and Testament of Susanna Niel
Dec'd was exhibited in Court and Proved by the Oaths
of two Witnesses therein Subscribed to be the last Will and
Testament of said Niel. I Ordered to be Recorded
and on the motion of John Bonmar one of the Executors
therein named who made Oath according to Law Certificate is
Granted him for obtaining Probate of the said Will in due form
he giving Security whereupon he together with William
Thompson his Security, entered into and acknowledged their
Bond according to Law for that Purpose, reserving Liberty
to the other Executor therein named to join in the
Execution thereof when they shall think fit.

Teste Geo. Carrington Sec. H. Co.

Truly mine,
True Barry Green Sec. H. Co.

Susanna Niel's
Will - }