

December Court 1787

At a Court held for Halifax County the 21st day of December 1787
The within written Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of
Hugh Fargison dec^d was returned and ordered to be Recorded

Truly Recorded

Test Geo. Harrington CMC

Benny Green DCHC

John Wall's
Will

In the name of god amen I John Wall of the County
of Halifax being very sick and low but in perfect mind &
memory do make this my last Will and Testament in
the manner and form following Item I send unto my beloved
wife Uprley Wall the Land whereon I now live containing
four hundred acres and the rest of my Estate except a tract
of Land lying on the waters of my fork and Tobias Creek
containing four hundred Acres more or less to which I give
my five Daughters to be sold to the highest bidder and the money
to be equally divided among them and the Land whereon I now
live containing four hundred Acres I give to my three Sons
to be equally divided among them and the rest of my Estate
to be equally divided among all my Children at my wife's death
or marriage And lastly I nominate and appoint for my Executors
my wife Charles Wall and David Bates To this my last Will
I Testament To which I enclose this to be my hand & Seal
This 23rd day of May 1787

John Wall L.S.

Teste

Samuel Jenkins Mary Hamlett Elizabeth Bates David Bates

At a Court held for Halifax County the 21st day of December 1787
The within written last Will & Testament of John Wall deceased
was exhibited in Court and proved by the oaths of two Witnesses there
subscribed and ordered to be Recorded — whereupon David Bates
one of the Executors therein named came into Court & refused to take upon
himself the burden of the Execution of the said Will which was
ordered to be satisfied — and on the motion of Uprley Wall the Exec^{rs}
therein named who made oath according to Law Certificate is

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John John her Security entered into and acknowledged Bond according
to Law for that Purpose — reserving liberty to Charles Wall
the other Executor named in the said Will to join in the Execution
thereof when he shall think fit Afterward Charles Wall joined
in the Probate

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Halifax County January 12th 1786

This day a division of the Estate of James Wimbush deceased
was made by consent of W^m Sarah Braghead late Widow and
relict of the said James Wimbush I deceased and her son John
Wimbush as followeth to wit,
To W^m Sarah Braghead the following
Slaves and other Property
Harry \$100
Chloe 100
Squire 75
Salt 50
Will 50
Sabb 50
\$ 425
To John Wimbush the following
Slaves and other Property
Frank \$100
Agga 100
Sancho 75
Judy 50
Lucy 60
A barrel house 35
\$ 420

1 Feather bed
10 head nutt bottles
5 Shays
20 Hogs

1 Feather Bed
10 head nutt bottles
5 Shays
20 Hogs
2 Hoies

The above balance of five Pounds due from her son John as also
all the rest and residue of the said Estate except her moiety of the
Land he now lives on, she the said W^m Braghead freely & voluntarily
gives her said son — It is also mutually agreed by and between the
said W^m Braghead and her son that she is neither to pay or receive
any Debt due from or to the said Estate — I do certify that the above
Division was made agreeable to the last will and Testament of the said