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choose which she pleases of my Children to live with
 And I do hereby constitute and appoint my beloved Son John
 Wiley and my friend James Coleman Executors of this last Will
 and Testament, utterly revoking and Disannulling all other
 Wills by me made. Confirming this and no other to be my last
 Will & Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set
 my hand & seal the day and year first above Written
 Signed & sealed & acknowledged }
 In Presence of William Wiley, L.S.
 Wm Powell, Jr. Dickie
 John Little

A Court held for Halifax County the 19th day of June 1783.
 This last will & Testament of Wm Wiley Deceased was Exhibited
 in Court by George Wiley one of the Executors herein named, and
 the same was proved by the Oaths of two of the subscribing Witnesses
 hereunto & ordered to be Recorded. And on the Motion of the
 said Executor who made Oath hereunto according to Law, Certificate
 was granted him for obtaining Probate hereof in due form, he
 giving Security whereupon together with James Coleman and
 John Swine his securities entered into & acknowledged Bonds
 for the same according to Law.
 Test. Geo. Carrington. CMC

Truly records

Test

Geo. Carrington CMC

Inventories and appraisement of the Estate William Wiley Deceased
 as follows, Vizt.

To 1 Ware	125.00	To 2 soap boxes	10 3
To 1 mare & colt	8	To 9 b. beans	12
To 10 cows & yearlings	16	To 2 candle moulds	2
To 2 Horses	14	To 1 mare saddle & tree &c	5
To 2 ft. Traces, harness & bridles	5	To 1 black Chain	10
To 3 Beds & furniture	30	To 2 barrels & kegs	2
To 1 Book and lumber	2	To 3 Sags	15
To 1 Chest	10	To 1 Looking Glass	15
To 1 little d.	5	To 1 parcel of Books	2
To 2 Tables	15	To 1 plantation Tools	15
To 1 Loom & Gown	1	To 1 bush of 2 ft. Wheels	15
To 1 pair of Bellows	3	To 2 Yards	0 15

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Brought Forward	125.00	To 8 Sheep	12
To 1 plate, Dishes, & Basins	2 10	To 8 Shovels	2
To 1 pair of Tubs & Churn	16	To 1 flat Iron	3
To 1 Spice Mortar and	1 5	To 1 ft. Fire dog, Sowel & Tongues	2
6 pepper pots & Tea Cattle		To 2 Pouches & shoes & gloves	12
To 2 Butter pots & Earthen	15	To 1 ft. Pinchert & three hammers	4
plates and dish, Tea pot half pail		To 4 Bells and collars	6
To 3 Whip Saws	2	To 1 safe	5
To 4 Sides of Leather	1	To 1 set of Silver Tea spoons	1
To 1 yoke and Cradle	5	and Sugar Tongues	1
To 2 Candle Sticks & Mould	3		

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The the Subscribers being first sworn have met and appraised
 the above Estate.

In: Dickie, Thomas Stanfield, Robert Stanfield

A Court held for Halifax County the 19th day of July 1783.
 This Inventory & appraisement of the Estate of William Wiley Deceased
 was returned and the same was ordered to be Recorded.

Test. Geo. Carrington. CMC

Truly records

Test Geo. Carrington CMC

An Inventory & appraisement of the Estate of Richard Daniel Deceased
 Deceased July 16th 1783.

To 1 Negro fellow	150.00	To 1 black Walnut Chest	10 12
To 1 Negro Wench	50	To 2 Pine D.	1 7 6
To 1 Negro D.	55	To 1 black Walnut	7 6
To 1 Negro D.	70	To 1 Table	7 6
To 1 Negro D.	80	To 5 rush bottom Chairs	6
To 1 Negro D.	85	To 1 pine Table	5
To 1 Negro D.	80	To 1 Looking Glass	5
To 1 Negro D.	60	To 1 small Trunk	2 6
To 1 Negro D.	50	To 2 Cotton Spinning	13
To 1 Negro D.	25	To 1 Wheel	12
To 1 Negro D.	20	To 1 flax D.	12
To 1 Negro D.	35 10	To 3 ft. Cards	8
To 1 Negro D.	12 15	To 2 Womans saddles	3 10
To 1 Negro D.	10	To 1 Bridle	3 10

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Best Ox	1695.2		
a Bag of feathers 17 lb.	1.17.6	4 Pewter Basins	1 a
1 lb. Steel yard	1.5	15 B. Plates	1
a Family Bible	12	a Tin Bucket	1
a parcel of old Books	8	a Chain	1
2 Oxen Irons & Healer	15	an Iron Skillet	1
1/3 Doz. Cups & Saucers	3	5 Spoons	2
a Tea pot & Milk pot	3	a Iron Stove	1
a Chamber pot	2	7 Hitting hoes. 1 Fanning hoe	10
2 Glass Tumblers	1.6	1 ft. Weager. 2 plow hoes	12
a Tin Canister & Cann	1	1 Pot	1
2 Gallon Butter pots	1	a Wagon & Gear	1
a Hair Sifter	1.3	1 Rod Head & Cord	1
1 Reap hook	1	1 ft. Sharp Shears	1
Carpenter & Cooper Tools	9	a Candle Mould & Fork	2
a Tin Salthorn & Hook Lock	6	Knives & Forks & Candlestick	3
4 pots & 1/2 Hocks	1.11	a frying Pan	2
5 Pewter Dishes	1.5		

726.15

Evan Ragland, Thos. Day, Richard Parker

Ma bond held for Halifax County the 17th day of July 1783.
This Inventory of appraisement of the Estate of Richard Daniel
Deceased, was returned & thereunto was ordered to be Recorded.

Test. Geo. Cunningham Clerk

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Test. Geo. Cunningham Clerk

An Inventory of the Estate of Walter Bates Deceased.
Slaves.

John. Little. Pharoah.	Phyll. Parnus. Dicy.	London. Lewis. York. East.
John. Charles. Isaac.	Sarah. Phoebe. Beck.	Imay. Amy. George. Isaac.
Will. Cesar. Dublin.	Molly. Aggy. Hannah.	Isa. Tilly. Killy.
John. Dick. Tom.	Betty. Rachel. Sally.	Sally. Peter. Mary. John.
Isaac. Davy. Daniel.	Peg. Molly. Hannah.	Imay. Dick. Nancy. John.
Charles. Betty. Mary.	James. Sarah. Betty.	Monica. Imay. Prim.
Hen. Betty. Ned.	Old. Nell. Aggy.	Sally. James. John. Phyllis.
Frank. Stephen. Frank.	Sally. Cooper. Nancy.	Dolly. Phyllis. Imay.
John. James. John.	Pinch. John. Dublin.	James. Betty. Isaac.

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5 head of Horses.	2 Chafing Dishes	2 perishing dishes
29 head of cattle.	5 frying Pans.	6 tart pans
35 head of Sheep.	1 pepper Corn. 1 flower do.	6 Custard Cups.
60 Hoop	1 pt. ale Basket.	2 Sugar Bowls
1 head over. 13 Bannocks.	4 pine Tables. 2 Sp.	2 Bread Baskets.
1 broad hoe. 13 Bannocks.	2 pewter dish covers.	3 Trunks. Sugar dish
1 Quiring B.	2 Iron Skillets	2 Tea pots. 2 Cork Glasses
2 small Ploughs	4 pot hooks.	2 Silver Mounted knife Cases
1 Large B. 1 X Cut saw	4 ft. of And Irons.	12 knives & forks
Whipcords. 1 shandlers	4 flat Irons. 1 cup & spoon	2 knife Bowls
drawing Knives.	1 Cuttender. 1 speed & motor.	2 pewter Ink Stands
1 foot adduc. 4 plains	1. 30 gallon Iron pot.	12 Pictures.
Hammers. 1 spew.	20 Candle moulds.	3 Pewter Bowls
Augurs. 1 Chisels	1 pewter Hill	12 pickle Sauces.
Jointer. 1 Cooper adduc.	1 damask Table & Cloth	4 salt Cellars.
1 ft. Stillards. 4 Sighthes	9 cloths d.	1 mustard pot
Spades. 1 mattock	2 Virginia d.	1 Linage Cresent
2 Reap hocks.	12 pillow Cases	2 upper Cartons. 24 Bottles
5 Bunches Wheat	8 Counterpins.	1 Rum Cape.
1 pair of Oaten the Maws	6 Red Duvills	2 pewter Chamber pots
1 set Shoemaker Tools.	21 Blankets	1 Tea pot. 1 glass
1 Blacksmiths. d.	3 Virginia Carpets	4 Piggins. 2 Tubs
1 hoghead Tobacco pigged.	10 feather Beds.	3 Chains. 1 door
1000 lb. supposed to be hominy	1 Mattoress	4 Slays. 1 Harrow
	12 ft. of Sheds.	6 spinning Wheels
6 Pewter Dishes	Dish & Book Case.	6 ft. of Cards
3 do plates.	1 dipping Table. 1 Stand	4 ft. of Wheels
1 do. Basins	1 Mahogany Cradle	1 Weaver's Shuttle
1 do. Small d.	6 Cherry Chairs	1 Wapping Bawer
1 Brass mallet. 1 Skillet	12 Black Walnut d.	6 files. 5 ft. of hings
1 Reap kettle.	2 tin d. 10 Bannocks.	3 Tea Boards
1 Copper d.	1 pyro. 2 Chests.	1 Wastew
1 Iron pots.	3 Mahogany Tables	2 D. China Mugs
1 Ironing Pan	2 Cherry d.	1 B. B. Lamp
1 Tin Coffee pot	1 black Walnut d.	1 Glass Salver.
1 do. Sauce pan	3 ft. of Tong. 2 shovels	12 Wine & Glasses
1 Broad d. 1 fork fork	1 set of Tea China	18 Vials. 12 Cannisters
1 Iron spoons. 12 Shewers	3 China Bowls	11 large & 1 small sp. cans
1 do. Baskets	1 Glass d.	1 do. do. do.

* In the County of Guilford in the State of North Carolina
 Benjamin Faulkner of the County of Guilford in the State of North Carolina
 do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same is on file in the Clerk's Office of the County of Guilford in the State of North Carolina
 Benjamin Faulkner Clerk

For twenty Years directly after my Death the rest
 of my Estate both Real and Personal I leave to my
 Wife Frances to dispose to dispose to the Children she
 has by me at her Discretion For twenty Years after
 my Death and at the end of the said period I give
 Dennis, Nancy - Harry ^{Martha} & Beck to be equally
 divided between the Children of my Son John and
 Jacob and my Daughter Child the rest of my Es-
 tate I leave I leave to my wife to give to her Children
 as she sees cause this will revoking all other Wills
 by me made not forgetting and my little Daughter
 Kellay the negro Child that is called till he is -
 forty Years Old after that period to Benjamin
 Son of Jacob all things given or lent to any of my
 children I now forever give I constitute my sons
 John and Jacob Executors of this my last Will and my
 wife Frances Given under my Hand this twentieth
 Day of October 1783

Benjamin Faulkner his
Dial

Signed and Published
 in presence of
 John Meacham Supt West

At a Court held for Halifax County the 15th
 of July 1784 This Will of Benjamin Faulkner
 with the Certificate under the Seal of the Court
 and being proved by the Oath of Witnesses freely
 subscribed the same Will ordered to be recorded
 and on the motion of John and Francis Faulkner
 two of the Executors herein named and they having
 taken the Oath prescribed by Law Certificate is
 granted them for obtaining probate hereof
 in due form and they having with John Pullen
 Richard Jones Joseph Gell and Gregory Rogers
 one of the Justices of the Peace

1782 D^{ts} the Estate of Geo. Smith Dec^d in last Court with
 Sally Execution of S^d Estate 6th
 To J^{rs} the Andersons 9.7.5
 To J^{rs} the Smiths 0.12.6
 To J^{rs} the Sheriff for taxes 0.5.0
 To J^{rs} the paper Commission L A. A. 11

Geo. Smith
 Est. and Cur^r

In Obedience to an order of Halifax County Court
 the Intervisors have settled the last Will of the
 Estate of Geo. Smith dec^d with the said Executrix
 as above stated - Joseph Petty, Thomas Dison -
 It is about held for Halifax County the 15th day of July 1784.

This Account current of the Estate of George
 Smith deceased was returned to Court and read
 to be recorded.

Test
 Geo. Carrington Clerk

Truly read Test
 Geo. Carrington Clerk

In the Name of God Amen the Ninth Day of April
 in the Year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hun-
 dred and eighty four I Richard Daniel of Halifax
 County sick and weak of Body but of perfect and
 Memory and calling to mind the frailty of my Bo-
 dy and knowing it is appointed for all men once
 to Die do make this my last Will and Testament
 in manner and form as follows First and principal
 by I recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty
 God that gave it nothing doubting but I shall receive
 the same at the Resurrection And as to my Body

R. Daniels
 Will

Worldly Estate as hath pleased Almighty God to
bless me with I give and bestow in manner and
form as follows I Item it is my Will and desire
that all my just Debts be paid and satisfied
Item It is my Will and desire that my Mother Agnes
Daniel do enjoy and possess a Negro fellow named Cato
as also a Negro Woman named Roger during her
natural life & And after her decease the said Negro
Man as also the said Negro Woman with her
increase to be equally divided amongst my
Brothers and sisters hereafter named them and their
Representatives that is to say Perry William David
Suwilla Royal Thomas Perry and Chrestiana
to them and their heirs forever - Item I give and
bequeath four head of neat cattle as also six Sheep as also
a Feather Bed to be divided at my decease equally
amongst all my Brothers and Sisters above
named to them and their Representatives with all
and every of their increase to them and their heirs forever
Item I give and bequeath to my Sister Chrestiana
one bay Horse to her and her heirs forever -
Item - I constitute and ordain my Brothers Perry
and Royal Daniel sole and whole Executors of the
my last Will and Testament wholly disallowing
and revoking all and every other Will and Testament
Saying or Request before by me made given or granted
or any granting and allowing this and no other to be
my Will and Testament that I will have executed
after my Death In Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my Hand and Seal the Day and Year
above written
Signed Seal & declared to be Richard Daniel
the said Richard Daniels
With in presence of

Richard Daniel
mark

A Court held for Halifax County the 19th
Day of August 1784 - This Will of Richard Da-
niel was exhibited into Court and the same
being proved by three of the subscribing Wit-
nesses thereto was ordered to be recorded and
on the motion of Perry Daniel one of the Executors
therein named Certificate is granted him for
obtaining probate hereof in due form and
having taken the Oath of an Executor as pre-
scribed by Law he with Thomas Day and Royal
Daniel his Security entered into Bond
and acknowledged the ^{same} according to Law

Truly reades Test
George Carrington Clerk
Geo Carrington Att

In Obedience to an Order of the County Court of Halifax
bearing date June Court 1784 the Subscribers being first
sworn have appraised the Estate of John Selig and died
for current Estimation

To 1 Negro Deck	30.0.0	2 Hens and fowls	50.0.0
To 2 do Franks	100.0.0	14 Hogs	7.4.0
To 2 do do Absolom	100.0.0	9 Sheeps	3.18.0
To 2 do do Tom	70.0.0	1 B.S. horse & furniture	10.0.0
To 2 do do Buffe	70.0.0	1 do do do	10.0.0
To 2 do do Peron	50.0.0	1 do do do	10.0.0
To 2 do do Harry	50.0.0	1 do do do	15.0.0
To 2 do do Fanny	50.0.0	1 do do do	10.0.0
To 2 do do Phillis	50.0.0	3 black	1.12.6
To 2 do do Jupiter	60.0.0	1 horse 1 Hays 2 H Humps	2.10.0
To 2 do do Tall	100.0.0	2 Flea Wheels	1.10.0
To 2 do do Tall I	100.0.0	1 turning wheel	0.10.0
27 Head of cattle	51.15.0	8 Sugs	0.11.9
14 sh Oxen	14.0.0	6 Rattles	0.3.9
1 Black Horse	20.0.0	3 Riddles	0.6.0
		1 Parrot of cotton	0.9.0