

that when I die I leave my some William the first to be the executor of the last will of my said wife
whom she shall appoint and his heirs and my daughter's but she shall have the third part
of the same for her portion of the first of Wright County, until the age of thirteen years, or till day
of marriage which shall happen first.

Item I do give and appoint to be our executors of my estate and to be the same my William the first and John
John Brown both of the lower parish of Henry; and John Murray and John Pugh both of the
upper parish of the first of Wright County; and Henry Diggs of the lower parish of the first of Wright

County the whole body of friends to assist these my executors if need require; and if any of these four
shall die before the children come to age that when the body of friends do assemble in their rooms
and if my wife die before my children come to age not to throw up the plantation but trust it to be
done as you shall think fit against my some William come to age;

Item I do give and appoint my said executors to ask and determine all questions that shall or may arise about this
my will according to the true intent and meaning thereof: I give and bequeath this twenty fifth of the
second month called April in the year one thousand six hundred eighty and six

Witnessed by us here present
Thomas Proud
John Gray
John Mory
Nathaniel T T of Gome
John G. Hayward
Recorded, may the first 1688
T. J. P. & C.

This is to give satisfaction to the Justice of the first of Wright
County. We the subscribers, the witnesses to the will of John
Hayward do hereby certify that we were present with our hands the day
to us that it was his last will and testament; and we do hereby
declare that if in this Court or in any other Court we may or shall be called
upon this Court to testify the truth if we shall be found otherwise
contrary to truth to the subscribing of Justice and testimony given us
in this Court and against our good consciences may be punished upon us
with the law and against our good consciences may be punished upon us
with the law the first day of the third month 1688

The will of John Hayward is proved by the witnesses
but by the testimony and hands of these persons that nominated
but will not do so to the same: may the first 1688
John Gray
John Mory
Thomas Proud
T. J. P. & C.

In the name of God Amen I James Hunter being weak in body but in perfect memory do hereby
do God for it do make this my last will and testament in manner and form as followeth: first I bequeath
my soul to God that gave it and trust my Jesus Christ my Saviour that I shall receive mercy the last day
when all souls shall appear before him: It is my desire that my body may be decently buried

first I do give to my dear wife Anne Hunter our feather Beds and furniture belonging to it
I do give all the rest of my estate to my wife and her children for to be equally divided amongst
them all: and it is my will that my dear wife shall keep it ten months in her possession and if it be
my wife will for to part with any of the children for to put them to some honest man or woman and
what does belong to the children and to take good custody that they have it when they shall come to the age
thirteen years of age; also I do give to my godson John Willson on Cow Calfe and to James Will
one Cow Calfe this last night year: also I do humbly beg that Capt Thomas Godwin: Mory: & John Gray
and Nathaniel Williams for ever yours for to be an assistant to my wife
James Hunter

This will is proved by the oaths of James Brown
and Nathaniel Williams in Court held for the first of Wright
the first of May 1688 to the last will and testament
of James Hunter do: T. J. P. & C.

The Inventory of the estate of James Hunter was
taken the 27 of April 1688

23 head of Cattle young and old: 20 head of hogs young and old: 1 mare & one ditto young: 10 black
2 feather Beds 2 counterpane 2 pillows: 2 trugs 3 blankets: 1 horse harness: 4 sheets: 10 blankets: 12 Cuddles
2 to bed: and 2 forms: 1 Copper's kettle about 10 Gallons, one Iron ditto small 1 small skillet 1 small
Iron pot & 2 frying pans 3 pewter dishes 1 pewter basin 2 pewter flagons on top of spoons 6 spoons
plate 2 tin pans 3 spoons 3 milk trays 2 small trays 1 tin 1 wooden powder and salt
1 Crook Calf saw: 1 tinnet saw 10 shovels 10 axes 10 hatchets 10 pickaxes 10 shovels 10 axes 10 hatchets 10 pickaxes
10 shovels 2 sets of wedges 2 Iron pipes 1 Ground stone 4 hickory heads 2 Corvills 13 shovels this being
full ass of all the said decedent's estate to the best of my knowledge
sworn to in Court may the 1st 1688
T. J. P. & C.

John G. Hayward
his master
John G. Hayward
John Mory
Thomas Proud
T. J. P. & C.