

Burkett Davenport's will

Sept 17th 1824 The following is the last will & testament of Burkett Davenport of Cambridge Newville district North Carolina State
 1st I give & bequeath unto my wife Sophia Davenport all my interest in my estate real & personal either in notes or accounts or any other demand appertaining to my estate after the first discharging all my just debts
 2nd For the confidence & integrity I impose in my friend John C Webb Esq I appoint him my lawful executor with my wife Sophia Davenport an executrix. Given under my hand the day & date above written
 J. P. Newsworthy

John C Webb

Wiley Swinney

Burkett Davenport (L.S.)

Georgia Greene County Court of ordinary November term 1824

Personally appeared in open Court John C Webb & Wiley Swinney two of the subscribing witnesses to the within will who being duly sworn depose & say that they each saw the within named Burkett Davenport sign seal & heard him acknowledge the within to be his last will and testament & that they together with Frederick B. Newsworthy subscribed their names as witnesses thereto & that they each believed him the testator to be of perfect sound mind & memory at the time of the execution of said Will

Sworn to in open Court

1st November 1824

John C Webb

Wiley Swinney

Recorded 7th January 1825

(George Torrence) Clk

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Samuel Edmondson's will

State of Georgia In the Name of God Amen I Samuel S. Edmondson Greene County being weak in body but of sound mind & memory recalling to mind the certainty of death & the uncertainty of this mortal life make this my last will & testament revoking all others. I give & devise that all my just debts shall be paid My will & desire is that my beloved wife keep all my property together as long as she remains my widow or until either of my four children shall become of lawful age or marry namely Harriott E. Edmondson John Aaron Edmondson Henry H. Edmondson and Martha H. Edmondson My will & desire is if my wife Edmondson should marry then and equal division to take place between my wife & my four children above mentioned my desire is that the money due me from Elias Gammon which is five hundred & eight dollars also fifty five dollars on Little B. Branch fifty five dollars on the estate of William Edmondson Dec^d & thirteen dollars on James Newson My desire is when said money is collected be laid out in a negro or negroes for the use of my wife & children My will & desire is that Robert Newson my next friend

execute this my last will & testament
Signed sealed & delivered this
19th October 1824 in presence of
Pepe Books
Do A. Newsom
Sol. Newsom son

Samuel B Edmondson Seal

Georgia Gooch County Court of Ordinary 15th December 1824
Personally appeared in open court Sol. Newsom & David A. Newsom
two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will who being duly
sworn say that they saw the within named Samuel B Edmondson
sign seal & heard him acknowledge the same to be his last will &
testament & that each believed him to be of perfect sound mind & memory
at the time of the time of the execution thereof & that they together
with Pepe Books subscribed their names as witnesses thereto in the
presence of the testator
Hearin to in open court
this 15th day of December 1824

Sol. Newsom
D. A. Newsom

(Wm. J. Fennice) Clerk Recorded 7th day of January 1824

(Wm. J. Fennice) Clerk

Edward Bullocks will

In the name of God amen this tenth day of January 1825
I Edward Bullock of the County of Hancock & of the parish of
St. Martins being very very sick & weak in body but of perfect
sound mind & memory thanks be given unto God therefore calling
unto mind the mortality of my body & knowing that it is appointed
for all men once to die do make & declare this as my last will and
testament that is to say principally & first of all I give & recommend
my soul unto the hands of Almighty God that give it & my body
I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial
at the discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at the
general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty
power of God & as touching such worldly estate which it
hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I give & devise and
disposed of the same in the following manner I give & recommend
I give to my daughter Sarah Rice one negro woman named Kate
I give one negro man named Chittles to her & her heirs forever I likewise
give to my grandson Edward Rice one negro boy named Tom
(which was born of Kate the woman which I gave to my daughter
Sarah) He & his heirs forever I likewise give to my son John Bullock
two hundred & fifty acres of land which I bought & was acknowledged to
me by John Yeaman & John Bonicks in Torine on the South side