

girl Kitty is entailed to said Eliza & her lawful heirs.
I wish the remainder of my property & all notes & accounts
due me to go to the paying of my just & lawful debts. viz.
four head of hogs, one x-cut saw, one large iron pot, one
dumjolin, one Dutch oven, one spinning wheel, one Kettle, one
and a half yards good cloth, and all other property of mine
that can be found which is not already named in the pre-
ceding part of this will &c. And I hereby make and give
my loving sons Miles and Nathaniel Potter, Executors to
this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof
Miles Potter, Senr., have to this my last will and Testament
set my hand and seal the day and year above written.
Signed, sealed and acknowledged Miles Potter, Senr.
in presence of James W. Murrell, J. A. Smith, & John Willella.
August Term, 1827. The due execution of the within last Will
& Testament of Miles Potter, Senr., decd., was proved in open Court
by the oath of John Willella one of the subscribing witnesses
thereunto & was ordered to be registered. Nathl. Potter, Clerk
State of North Carolina. } The within Will is recorded in
Brunswick County. } Book B. p. 48, 49, & 50.

Nathl. Potter, Clerk
Recorded agreeably to Act of Genl. Assembly, Spec. Session, 1908
Ratified Feb'y. 1st, 1908. Copied from Old Records Book B. p. 49.

No. 206

State of North Carolina, } IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN! I, Mary Richard,
Brunswick County, } of the County & State above mentioned, being of
and disposing memory, do make & ordain this as my last Will & Testament
that is to say, I give & bequeath to my much beloved husband, Francis M.
all the property of which I may die seised off, both real and personal.
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal, this 11th day of January.
In presence of Saml. Potter.
Mary Richard,
State of North Carolina, } Court of Pleas & R. S. } The due execution
Brunswick County, } November Term, 1827. } of the within Will
Testament was proved in open Court by the oath of John S. Potter
and was ordered to be filed & recorded in Book B. p. 52.

Nathl. Potter, Clerk
Recorded agreeably to an Act of the General Assembly, of A. S.
Special Session in the year of our Lord, 1908.
Ratified February 10, 1908. and Copied from Old Records
Book B. p. fifty three.

No. 146

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN! I, Benjamin Liles, of the County
of Brunswick, in the State of North Carolina, being of sound & perfect
mind and memory, BLESSED BE GOD, do, this 4th day of October, in the
year of our Lord One Thousand, Eight Hundred and twenty three, make
and publish this my last Will and Testament, in manner following
that is to say, First, I give & bequeath to my beloved wife Charity, all
my estate, real & personal, to her use & benefit for & during her life, &
after her death to be equally divided between my children viz: William
Benjamin, Stephen & John & Rebecca Maten, Sarah Benton, Eliza
beth Gaison, share and share alike to them and heirs forever.
And I hereby make and ordain my friend Thomas Leonard, Executor,
to this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I, the
said Benjamin Liles have to this my last will & Testament set
my hand and seal the day & year above written.
Signed, sealed & published & declared by Benjamin Liles
said Benjamin Liles, the testator as his last will and Testament
in presence of J. Leonard & Benjamin J. Leonard.
State of North Carolina, } Court of Pleas & R. S. } The due execu-
Brunswick County, } December Term, 1828. } tion of this Will
was proved in open Court by the oath of Benj. S. Leonard
and was ordered to be registered. Nathl. Potter, Clerk

Recorded agreeably to an Act of Genl. Assembly, Spec. Session, 1908
Ratified Feb'y. 1st, 1908. Copied from Old Records Book B. p. 1.

No. 195

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN! I, John Potter, Senr., of the County
of Brunswick, being feeble in body and distressed somewhat in
mind, but possessing at the same time, disposing power & retention
memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament
being convinced of the uncertainty of life, the certainty of death, and
the liability to which I am exposed, now being suddenly taken from
the stage of action. First, I commend my soul to the mercy of a
kind and indulgent God, beseeching his gracious acceptance
of it through the merits & for the alone sake of Jesus my com-
passionate Saviour & Mediator. My body to be decently
buried at the discretion of my Executors herein named.

Item 1. I desire that my negro woman, Fannie, be hired out or kept
in the possession of my Executors, till my youngest son
Lawrence shall arrive at the age of twenty years. The money
arising from the hire of said woman to be applied for the
maintenance and schooling of said child & his brother Isaac.

Item 2. I desire that all my land may be sold to the highest bidder
on a credit of twelve months from the day of sale.

Item 3. I desire that what stock of cattle & hogs I may die seised
of may be sold on a credit of six months.

Item 4. I desire that my son, Isaac, shall pay to my Executors