

I hereby certify that the foregoing will was duly proved in open court by the oath of W. B. Brown and W. B. Lane duly sworn witnesses and admitted of record
J. W. Weaver etc

In the name of God Amen

I Andrew Rogers of the county of Buncombe and State of North Carolina being afflicted by body but of sound and disposing mind and memory and calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die do make and enact this my last will and testament first I bequeath my soul to almighty God who gave it and my body to be buried in a Christian manner at the discretion of my Executors and to my worldly goods which God has blessed me I bequeath in the following manner first I direct that all my just debts be paid by my Executors and I appoint my beloved J. C. Rogers and Andrew League my Executors of this my last will and testament I direct my Executors to settle all my just debts and all other just claims the property I hold at present is one mare 1 Cow six notes on Joseph Embler amounting to Eighteen hundred dollars other notes amounting to Seventy or a dollar I bequeath to my dear young son dollars each that is Sermon Rogers Hamish Roberts Worthen Ratcliff Thos W Rogers Edwin Rogers Selma Rogers Steph Rogers Sma Rogers Mary Rogers Franklin Rogers Sarah League Leay Rogers and the other property after my debts is paid I bequeath to my beloved wife Eleanor Rogers the legacies not to be paid when all the notes is paid In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this the 30th day of March 1837

A Rogers (Seal)

In presence of

Peter Plummer } Jurat
Joseph Embler } Jurat

The foregoing will was duly proved in open court by the oath of Peter Plummer and Joseph Embler duly sworn witnesses and admitted of record J. W. Weaver etc

April Term 1860

In the name of God amen I Wm Whitaker sen of the county of Buncombe and State of Carolina being aged and infirm but of perfect mind and memory thanks be to almighty God calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for men once to die do make and enact this my last will and testament principally and first of all I give and bequeath my soul into the hands of almighty God who gave it and my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian like manner at the discretion of my surviving friends and touching such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me with in this life I desire and dispose of in the following manner and form first that all my just and lawful debts be paid I also give and bequeath to my son Henry the land where I now live and my saw mill and lay abain and all that belongs to said mill my wagon and stills and all right of the water dam so to say to each of my other three sons Joshua and James the sum of Twenty four Dollars in trade in Twelve months after my decease the payment to James only to be made on condition that James or his legal representatives apply for the same I also give and bequeath to my son Joshua my arpent saw my Gold Scales and Shel top I also give and bequeath to my son William all that piece or parcel of land which I bought of W Blalstock known as my Mountain land I also give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah a pair of gears for turning pumps and flow and work head of Horse such at the time of my death if I have none of that description then a young cart if any should be left together with my loom harness and such articles to belong with the loom also my dock and corner Pulboard and Flax wheel also my household and kitchen furniture I give to my two daughters Sarah and Martha to be equally divided amongst them unto my two daughters Margaret and Mary I give eight dollars worth each of clothing which is allowed to them, unto my Son John Columbus I give his axe hoe and mattocks to my Grand son Henry I give one mattock my axe and hoe and to the black boy Burton that lives with me I give his axe hoe and mattocks I further give unto my three sons Joshua Wm Henry and James all my working tools and remaining part of my farming tools to be equally divided amongst them as to my property that I may have not specially bequeathed to any individual I bequeath to my five children living in this county Joshua Wm Henry Sarah and Martha so I also desire that all advancements of property made by me to any of my children never be brought into settlement any more I also nominate constitute and appoint my two sons Joshua & Henry my Executors of this my last will and testament