

Will Docket To July Term A.D. 1849

The Last Will & Testament of Henry West Deceased

In the name of God Amen I Henry West of the County of Buncombe and State of North Carolina being of sound mind and memory and knowing the uncertainty of life do make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say
First I give and bequeath unto Jane Wilson Widow and John Hamby and then his wife of the County of Buncombe and State aforesaid each one half of the three following tracts of land lying in the County of Buncombe and all joining tract first Beginning on a Spanish oak Willsons North East Corner thence South crossing the creek with Willsons line ninety poles to a Hickory on Henry Wests line thence East with his line twenty three poles to a stake thence North eight poles to chestnut on the bank of the creek Wests beginning corner then East with Wests line crossing the creek one hundred and forty poles to a black oak passing Wests corner forty two poles thence North one hundred poles to a white oak on the west edge of the road thence west one hundred and forty poles to a stake on Wm Forsters line thence South with Forsters line twenty poles to a pine his corner thence west twenty three poles to the beginning containing one hundred acres entered the 18th December 1836 and granted the 22nd of December 1831. Tract second Beginning at a chestnut tree in a bottom three poles west of Fingers Creek and runs South to a Road oak. Conditional Corner between Henry West and Daniel Smith thence to the mouth of the lick branch being the North part of a tract granted to Henry West 6th January 1794. - containing about sixty or sixty five acres of Tract third Beginning on a hickory on Henry Wests old line and runs South one hundred and eighty poles to a stake thence west eighty nine poles to a stake thence North one hundred and eighty poles thence East eighty nine poles to the beginning containing one hundred acres granted to Henry West 9th of December 1795 I hereby appoint Jane Wilson sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 15th day of September 1836

Signed Seal published and declared by

Henry West (Seal)

Henry West to be his last will and Testament

in the presence of us who have hereunto subscribed

our names as witnesses in the presence of the Testator

Samuel M. Patton (Seal)

Isidore Patton (Seal)

State of North Carolina } Court of Pleas and quarter sessions
Buncombe County } July Term 1849

The foregoing will was duly proven in open court according to Law by the oath of M. Patton a subscribing witness there admitted of probate in the County of Buncombe