

above what I have allotted in my will and I also  
have my waggon to my son Robert S. at my Deceas  
Signed and sealed this 6th day of May 1844

James Harrison

Witness  
Geo A Alexander Juratt

State of North Carolina County of Buncombe April Term 1845  
Buncombe County } The foregoing will was duly proven in  
open Court by the oath of Geo A Alexander  
a subscribing witness thereto and admitted of  
record  
A Harrison Clerk

The last will and testament of William Jones

North Carolina Buncombe County  
March the first the 1st 1845 I William Jones do make  
and ordain this my last will and testament in the  
first place I resign myself up in the hands of my maker  
and in the next place I proceed to the distribution of the  
property which it has pleased God to bless me with in the  
second place I will and bequeath to my beloved wife  
Ann my whole plantation with all its appurtenances  
to assist her in raising of a support for herself and my  
beloved children that is with her I also have and  
bequeath to my beloved wife Ann my present  
Crop of Grain of every kind to support on till she  
can make I also will and bequeath to my beloved  
wife Ann all my house hold and kitchen furniture  
of every kind and I also will and bequeath to my  
beloved wife Ann my sovell race horse and some  
Mare six cows and calves and all my stock hogs  
and stock of sheep with what Bacon I have on hand  
all to assist her in supporting herself and my beloved  
children that is with her I also have and bequeath  
unto my wife my little stock of bees and all my  
working tools I also will and bequeath to my  
beloved wife Ann one small Negro Girl named Amy  
the Ballance of my Negroes it is my will that she  
be sold also I wish the Ballance of my horses and  
stock and cattle sold also my waggon and part of  
the Harnep Leasing two pair of Oxen to my beloved  
wife Ann it is also my will that the sole tract of  
land bearing my name tract be sold to the support of

myself now all the above specified property I have named  
and willed to my beloved wife she is to have it her  
natural life time or insuring her widowhood but if  
she should marry at any time whatever it is my will that  
the Land and every other species of property I have left  
her be sold in the usual way and the money equal  
Divided among all my children giving to all alike  
The names of children Elizabeth Joshua Nancy Eliza  
Harrnett Charity Sophrony William and Billy I  
also will and bequeath to my son Joshua R Jones  
all that tract of Land he now lives on also thirty acres  
at North end of the tract of Land John Harkins now  
lives on beginning on a stone James Matthews corner  
and runs with Nevis line and with line of tract he  
the said Joshua R Jones now lives on and equal  
distances on each line and so far as will make thirty  
acres of Land the said Joshua R Jones is to have it two  
thirds and fifty dollars in the way of his share in  
my Estate if there is more coming to the tract he is to have  
it and it is more he is to pay back to the rest of the leges out of  
the legates whatever will be right so that all well have  
an equal portion as the share in the will above stated  
and also I appoint my beloved son Joshua R Jones my  
Lawful Executor to attend to all my business that I  
leave unsettled in writing when I have set my hand  
and seal day and date above written  
John Harkins  
Josh Jones

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Subscribing witnesses thereto and admitted of record  
A Harrison Clerk

whereas I have given the worth of my Negroes Mary Sarah to my Daughter Betty & when she inherits Dollars out of his price to be paid to my Daughter Rachel over and above what I have allowed in my will and I also have my Negroes to my son Robert S. at my Decease Signed and sealed this 26th day of May 1844

James Henderson

Geo St Alexander Court

State of North Carolina County of Buncombe April Term 1845  
Buncombe County } The foregoing will was duly proven in open Court by the oaths of Geo St Alexander & Subscribing witnesses thereto and admitted of record  
A. Harrison Clk

The last will and testament of William Jones D. D.

North Carolina Buncombe County,  
March the first the 1st 1845. I William Jones do make and declare this my last will and testament in the first place I resign my self up in the hands of my maker and in the next place I proceed to the distribution of the property which it has pleased God to bless me with in the second place I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Ann my whole plantation with all its appertinances to assist her in raising of a support for herself and my beloved children. That is with her I also have and bequeath to my beloved wife Ann my present crop of Grains of every kind to support on till she has made I also will and bequeath to my beloved wife Ann all my house hold and kitchen furniture of every kind and I also will and bequeath to my beloved wife Ann my small team horse and Oxen also my cows and calves and all my stock hogs and stock of sheep with what Bacon I have on hand all to assist her in supporting herself and my beloved children that is with her I also have and bequeath unto my wife my little stock of Deer and all my working tools I also will and bequeath to my beloved wife Ann one small Negro Girl named Amy the Ballance of my Negroes it is my will that she be sold also I wish the Ballance of my hogs and stock and cattle sold also my weaver

when the perishable property is sold but allowing my son Elias Jones to have it the present year without paying any rent. now all the above specified property I have named and wills to my beloved wife she is to have it her natural life term or enduring her widowhood but if she should marry at any time whatever it is my will that the Land and every other species of property I have left her be sold in the usual way and the money equal divided among all my children living to all alike the names of children Stanwell Joshua Nancy Elias Harriet Charity Sophron William and Sally I also will and bequeath to my son Joshua R Jones all that tract of Land he now lives on also thirty acres at North end of the tract of Land John Harkens now lives on beginning on a Stone James Millers corner and runs with Nevers line and with line of tract he the said Joshua R Jones now lives on and equal distance on each line and so far as well make thirty acres of Land the said Jones is to have at two hundred and fifty dollars in the way of his share in my Estate if there is more coming to the trust he is to have it and it is more he is to pay back to the rest of the legacies out of the Legacies whatever will be right so that all well have an equal portion as the term in the will above states and also I appoint my beloved son Joshua R Jones my lawful Executor to attend to all my business that I leave unattended in witness whereof I have set my hand and seal day and date above written  
John Harkens  
Thos Jones

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