

4th I give and bequeath to my son Silas the sum of sixty dollars.

5th I allow one thousand dollars of my estate be left in the hands of my executors so long as my two daughters herein named shall remain single to be put at interest and the interest arising therefrom to be equally divided between my said two daughters annually, and if either of them should marry then only one half of the above sum to remain at interest and the interest to be paid to the single one as above. And all the rest of my property not herein bequeathed I allow to be sold and the money arising therefrom I allow to be equally divided amongst all my children.

And I do hereby constitute and appoint my two sons James and Joseph Young executors of this my last will and testament and I do hereby utterly revoke and make void all former wills by me made and ratify this and only this as my last will and testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this 2nd day of November 1822.

Test.

A. Houston
D.C. Houston

William Young seal

Will of Archibald McLarty

In the name of God, Amen. I, Archibald McLarty, being in a low state health but of perfect mind and memory, blessed be God-and calling to mind my mortality do make constitute and ordain this instrument of writing as my last will and testament in manner and form following after committing my body to the dust to be buried in a decent and Christian manner at the discretion of my executors and my soul to God who gave it, in full and sure expectation of my body being raised again at the last day and untited to my soul again.

First-It is my will that all my lawful debts be paid out of my estate

Secondly-It is my will and I do devise that my three daughters, viz- Elizabeth, Jean and Nancy when they come to need it get as much as of my estate in as nearly the same kind of property as can well be ascertained as my daughters Peggy and Polly got of my estate each of the aforementioned daughters to be equal with the two latter.

Thirdly-It is my will that my beloved wife, Agnes, be possessed of all my estate real and personal during her natural life for the purpose of raising supporting and schooling my family and paying taxes and other contingent expenses that may accrue.

Fourthly-It is my will that my lands at the death of my beloved wife Agnes be equally divided between my two sons, Alexander and John Semianer, which lands I devise to them and their heirs forever with them performing to my son William White as hereafter mentioned in the fifth article of this will.

Fifthly-it is my will that my son William White be put to a trade as soon as it is thought fit by my executors, himself to have his choice of a trade and my two sons Alexander and John Semianer is to make said William

White equal to themselves in estate including his trade.

Sixthly-I appoint, constitute and ordain my beloved wife, Agnes and my son Alexander executors of this my last will and testament to act in counsel with my trusty friends John Morrison and John McClellan and I hereby make void all other wills by me heretofore made and establish this and no other to be my last will and testament this 6th day of December, in the year of our Lord, 1814.

In the presence of

Alexander McLarty
John White
John McClellan

Archibald McLarty seal

Probated Jan. Sess. 1815

Will of James Hadley

In the name of God, Amen. I James Hadley of the State of North Carolina and County of Cabarrus calling to mind the mortality of my body and that it is apointed for all men once to Die, do make this my last will and testament in the following manner recommending my soul to God that gave it and my body to the dust from whence it came and as for my property I do order in the first place all my lawful debts be paid as is hereafter directed and secondly to my wife, Jane Hadley, I bequeath the House wherein my son, Wm. Hadley, now live with thirty-nine acres of land whereon said house now stands, joining the lands of Wm. Scott and Thomas White, during the term of her widowhood, together with the household and kitchen furniture.

Thirdly to my son Wm. Hadly I bequeath one dollar.

Fourthly to daughter, Isabel Robinson I bequeath one dollar.

Fifthly to my daughter Patty I do bequeath one bed and furniture to be had and kept out of the aforesaid household furniture bequeathed to my wif

Sixthly to my son John Hadly I do bequeath all my farming tools and implements together with the said house and thirty-nine acres of land at the expiration of his mothers widowhood. And as for my now present dwelling house with forty acres of land adjoining the lands of Thos. White, Jas. White, Alexr. White and the lands of Stephen Hadlys heirs-said house and forty acres I do allow to be sold and the money arising from the sale thereof to be to discharging of my debts and in case that the money arising from said sale be not sufficient to pay my debts, I do allow as much of other property to be sold as my executors hereafter named shall think most advisable.

And I do apoint and nominate my two friends, Wm. Newel and Jas. White as executors of this my last will and testament hereby renouncing all former wills made or done by me. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 23rd day of January 1823.

In the presence of

Thomas White
Robt. Ferguson

James Hadly seal