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Final, at the discretion of my exec hereafter to be named, nothing doubting but I shall receive the same, and as touching such worldly estate which with it hath pleased almighty God to bless me with in this life. I give, devise & dispose of the same in the following manner & form
I give & bequeath unto my son Seth Symmes, one acre & one large pond horn to him and his heirs forever. And also my crop that is now planted on his part of the plantation -

I give & bequeath unto my son John Symmes the sum of Five dollars to be paid him out of my estate by my exec at his arriving to twenty one years, and I'm small pond horn to him & his heirs forever.

I give & bequeath unto my two daughters Melony Dray and daniel Symmes all the residue of my estate within doors & out to be sold & paid the proceeds after paying all my just debts to be equally divided between my daughter aforesaid, share & share alike to them & their heirs forever.

Lastly of all I nominate, make and appoint Seth Bell my whole & sole executor to this my last will & testament entirely disannulling and revoking all other hitherto by me made in anywise, ratifying, confirming & acknowledging this to be my last & true will in writing whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 19th day of May

Anno Domini 1823.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged
in presence of
Abel & Symmes
Sally & Symmes
mark

Mourning
Seth Symmes
mark

Camden County Court August Term 1823.
This was exhibited in open Court & proved to be the last will & testament of Mourning Symmes dec'd by the oath of Sally Symmes of subscribing witness thereto in due form of law. and Seth Bell one an executor therein named & qualified as executor thereto, by taking the oath prescribed by law. Ordered to be Recorded.

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W. S. Lewis Clerk

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Lastly.

In the name of God Amen! I Asa Cartwright of Camden County and State N. Carolina being sick in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory [Aspirate Soul] do this 5th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand, eight hundred & twenty three, make and publish this my last Will & Testament in manner following - that is to say -

I give & bequeath unto my sister Nancy Cartwright the part of the plantation I now live on to include the house beginning at the main road Eiden Cartwright's line, thence a straight course to the back line in the Swamp for her part to bind on the Island road to her & her heirs forever.

I give & bequeath unto my nephew Asa Gibson the Southern part of said plantation adjoining Brittain Jones and other to him & his heirs forever, also one State mustet.

I give & bequeath unto Andalina Melinda and Alexander Gibson all of my lands lying on the great Island to be sold when Alexander Gibson arriving to the age of sixteen years old and the money to be equally divided between them - The said Island to be rented out until that period for the support of said children to them & their heirs forever.

It is my desire that all my movable property in doors and out of every kind and crop now growing to be sold, and all of my just debts paid out of the money arising from said sale. If there should be any balance remaining after paying my just debts first to be equally divided between my sister Nancy Cartwright and Jacob Gibson to them & their heirs forever.

I hereby make and ordain my worthy friend Stephen Mercer executor of this my last will & Testament in witness whereof I the said Asa Cartwright have to this my last will & Testament set my hand & seal this day & year above written.

Signed, sealed and declared
in presence of us who were
present at the time of signing
& sealing thereof
Asa Cartwright
mark

Wilson B Webster - Justice of the Peace.
State of North Carolina. Camden County. November 5. 1823.
This last will & testament of Asa Cartwright dec'd was exhibited & proved in open Court by the oath of Wilson B Webster one of the subscribing witnesses thereto. The executor therein named refusing to qualify. Ordered that the Will be Recorded.

Test. W. S. Lewis. Clerk