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debts. And I nominate, constitute and appoint my
aunt Mariah Sawyer aforesaid Executrix to this my
last will & testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand & affixed my seal the 14. August 1820.

Signed, sealed, published and
declared by the testatrix as her
last will and testament in presence
of us G. C. Marchant.

Abner Dorbes

Camden County Court. This last will & testament of Sarah
November Term 1820. Dorbes was exhibited in open Court &
proved by the oath of Abner Dorbes one of the subscribing wit-
nesses thereto in due form of Law - and Mariah Sawyer the
Executrix therein named appeared & qualified as Executrix
thereto. Ordered Recorded &c.

Teste. M. S. Lewis. C.R.

In the name of God amen I Francis Wright of the State
of North Carolina & County of Camden being sick in body but
of sound & perfect mind & memory do make this my last will
and testament in manner following -

Item - I give and bequeath unto Caleb Perkins one negro woman Judith
to him & his heirs for ever -

Item - I give & bequeath unto Jesse Berry one bed and furniture to him
and his heirs for ever also one large chest.

Item - I give & bequeath unto Francis Berry one new bed & furniture
one chest & all my wearing apparel, one sword & all the household
all my cotton, saw, flax & spun stuff, two tables & one stand, six
chairs her choice, one small pot shovels, one skillet, one pair of
fire tongs, one creper & Lid, all my cooking & madd one case of
knives and forks - one tin coffee pots one side can with calf
one linen wheel, three pewter basons to his heirs for ever.

Item - I give & bequeath unto Geo W Berry the remainder of my
estate in doors & out doors to him & his heirs for ever.

Lastly - I nominate & appoint my worthy friend Caleb Perkins
my Executor to this my last will & testament in witness
whereof I have set my hand & seal this first day of March

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred twenty in
Signe, Sealed &c in presence
of us Wilson B. Webster
Isaac Gallop

Francis Wright
mark.

Camden County Court. November Term 1820.

This last will & testament of Francis Wright was exhibited
in open Court and proved by the oath of Isaac Gallop one of
the subscribing witnesses thereto in due form of Law - no Exr appearing
to qualify to said will. It was on motion ordered to be recorded.

Teste. M. S. Lewis. C.R.

In the name of God amen! I John Surry weak and low in health
but of sound and perfect mind and memory thanks be to God
for the same - Witnesseth that I do make this my last will and testament
the 29 day of Jan'y in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
twenty in manner and form as follows -

Item. I give & bequeath to my son Demsey Surry my plantation on
the Ridge near Joseph Whites bannock as follows beginning at
the little bridge from thence bending the old patent line to the
main road thence up the said road to Joseph Whites line from
thence along the road between Whites & me to the swamp thence bending
the swamp to the first station to him & his heirs for ever also one
cow & calf & one ewe & lamb -

Secondly. I give and bequeath to my son Evan Surry the plantation wherein
I now live to him and his heirs for ever also one feather bed and
furniture, one cow & calf, one ewe & lamb, one sow & pig.

Item. I give and bequeath to my son Nathan Surry the piece of land that
I bought of Nathan Surry and adjoining lawyers tract of land
to him and his heirs for ever.

Thirdly. I give and bequeath to my three sons all my swamp lands to be
equally divided between them, namely Demsey, Evan & Nathan
to them and their heirs for ever.

Fourthly. I give & bequeath to my son Nathan Surry and four daughters
viz. Polly, Nancy, Sally & Julia my four negroes viz. Abraham
Sarah, Phoebe and Milly to be equally divided between them
at Julia's coming to the age of thirteen years - It is also my
desire that Abraham & Sarah should be hired out until the

time that Julia comes to thirteen years of age for the support of my least children.

Fifthly - I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Anna Lurry one negro girl by the name of Rose to her & her heirs forever - Also I give & bequeath to the child that my wife is now with child with, one feather bed & furniture - Also I give & bequeath to my beloved wife her lawful part of my moveable property after my just debts being paid -

Sixthly I give & bequeath to my five youngest children viz. Nathan, Polly, Nancy & Sally & Julia the remaining part of my moveable property after my wife takes her lawful part to be equally divided between them at Julia coming to thirteen years of age.

Also - Make & appoint my son Demsey Lurry and Egan Lurry Senr & Egan Lurry Junr Executors & Executrix to this my last will & Testament -

Signed, Sealed & delivered in presence of us.

John L. Lurry Seal

Jesse Barnard
Nathan Lurry

Camden County Court - February Term 1827.

The last will & Testament of Jno Lurry dec^d was exhibited in open Court and proved by the oath of Jesse Barnard a subscribing witness thereto in due form of Law. And Demsey Lurry one of the Executors therein named appeared and Qualified as Executor thereto - Ordered that letters Testamentary issue.

Teste. M. S. Lewis Clk

In the name of God Amen I Franky Capts of the County of Camden State of North Carolina being of sound mind & memory blessed be God for the same do this 30 day of January in the year of our Lord 1827 make and publish this my last will & Testament in manner & form following that is to say I give & bequeath unto my friend Samuel Wilkins at whose house I live all my right title and Interest which I have to an undivided tract of land lying in Currituck County, which land formerly belonged to Peter Moss and adjoins the lands of Joseph Dozier Esq^r & the lands which formerly belonged to Richard Dozier & his near Camels creek, and

contains as is supposed about fifty acres - Also all my part right title & Interest which I have unto an undivided tract of land lying in this County (Camden) which tract formerly belonged to Egan Stanley & his near where Philip Stanley lived - also one Pine Stand -

I give and bequeath unto Mrs Lydia Milkins half dozen China cups & saucers -

I give and bequeath unto Edward Wilkins (son of Samuel Wilkins) Drunk -

Signed & Sealed with presence of Franky ^{his} Capts. Seal
Demsey Lurry
Malachi Saville.

State of North Carolina

Camden County

February Term 1827.

This was proved as the last will & Testament of Franky Capts dec^d by the oath of Malachi Saville one of the subscribing witnesses thereto - Ordered to be Recorded

Teste. M. S. Lewis Clk

In the name of God Amen. I Thomas Gordon of Camden County in the State of North Carolina Merchant, being sound of mind and in good bodily health at this present period, but well aware of the uncertainty of this life do make and ordain this my last will and Testament -

1st I give and bequeath to my son Alexander the plantation on Arroun Creek on which I built a store, with all appurtenances thereto belonging also four hundred dollars in good promissory notes.

2^d I give and bequeath to my daughter Eleanor, the sum of one thousand dollars in good promissory notes - also negro girl Betty -

3^d I give and bequeath to my daughter Hester, One thousand dollars in good promissory notes, also negro boy Lindsay -

4th Should the promissory notes and cash remaining after my decease be found insufficient to fulfill these bequests it is my will that the deficiency be made up out of the remaining part of either my personal or real property, as my Executors may consider most beneficial to the concerned -

5th To my dearly beloved wife Fanny Gordon and then children I have