

In the name of god Amen. Being in perfect mind and body
Blessed be god to make this my last will and Testament
In manner and form as follows viz;
My Will and Desire is that my Executor as hereafter mentioned
To pray all my just debts that may come against my estate
Also I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth
the land and plantation wherein I now live during her
life time after her Decease I give and bequeath said land and
plantation to my loving Brother Leburn Hunter to him
and his Heirs and assigns for ever Also I give and bequeath
unto my beloved wife two negroes Peter and Flora and
all the rest of the household furniture that come by her
Intemranging & to her and her heirs and assigns for ever
And also all the rest of my negroes horses cattle hogs
Household furniture and Kitchen furniture and plantation
Tools I lend to my beloved wife Elizabeth During her
natural life time after her Decease I give and bequeath said
property with increase to my beloved Brother Leburn
Hunter to him and his heirs and assigns for ever
I do hereby appoint my loving friends Leburn
Hunter and Samuel Davis Executors to this my last
Will and Testament, Given under my hand and
seal Novr 20th 1807.

Stephen Hunter ^{Seal}

In presents of
Dawkins Wilkinson
Mary Wilkinson

Carteret County}

May Court 1808. This was at Gibney town
1808 exhibited into Court by Leburn Hunter, one of the
executors therein named for probate and was contested
by Mary Jones, and at the present term, a jury being
impannelled & sworn, who after hearing sundry
witnesses, and argument on both sides unanimously
concur and say by their verdict that it contains the
true last Will and Testament of Stephen Hunter
deceased, and Leburn Hunter qualified as
Executor and Letters ordered to issue

Geo Read C.C.

Carteret County No 6 volume, In the name of god amen.
James Harker of the County of Carteret being weak in body but
of sound mind and memory Thanks be given to all mighty God
therefore knowing its once appointed for all men to die I do make
this my last will and Testament first in manner and form fol-
lowing Principally about first of all I recommend my soul into
the hands of God who gave it and my body to be buried in the earth
of the earth in a decent and Christian like manner,
my will is that all my just debts and funeral charges be paid
Item I will to Joseph Youmans fifty acres of Land where on
he now lives joining Jacobiah Harkers land to have and hold in joint
Item I will to Leburn Hunter fifty acres of Land & his Heir for ever
Item I will to Hannah Hunter my manner plantation wherein
I now live to her and her Heirs forever
Item I will to Jane Congdon fifty acres of land joining my manner
plantation to her and her Heirs for ever
Item I will to Cate Mumford one hundred acres of Land to be
lade off to her at the division of my executors
Item I will to Cate Mumfords child who now lives with me fifty
acres Land joining his brothers.
Since that Peter and George should be at liberty after my decease to do for
themselves as they have served me youthful for many years I leave them
in the care of my Executors and do hereby request of the honorable Court of
Carteret to give them for there many services done for me Item I will
to Cate Mumford who now live with me as a servant girl one bed and
the with the furniture that is now in the hands of Betsy Ben. I order
that what I have not already mention that my executors will attend to
as the law may direct. I do hereby acknowledge this to be my last
will and Testament revoking all others I do here, point my friend
Freeman Ellis and George Read my executors. I hereunto sign my
hand and seal this the first day of December the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirteen
Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of
John Brooks Eliza Brooks

James Harker ^{Seal}

Carteret County Court of Pleas & Quarter sessions February term 1814
I certify that this written Paper was then exhibited into Court for probate, and was
contested by Jacobiah Harker, Leburn Hunter, Joseph Youmans, Benjamin Webb &
wife and Sarah Wade, the Heirs at law and next of kin of the Testator
against Benjamin Hartree & Hannah his wife and Jane Ferguson Legatee
& Servitors whereupon the following Issue is made up, whether the
writing produced be the last will & Testament of Joseph Harker,
and the following jury being charged by Joseph Willis Oliver

Cheswicke, Samuel Thomas, James Kidder, James Stanton, John and John
John Marshall, Eligh Whitehurst, Nathan Rollinson, David and
David Bell and Solomon Ward - Said the writing is to be his will
and Testament of James Harker deceased, and Freeman Oliver of the same
therein named qualified as such and Letters issued to him
by order of the Court.

See Read talk.

In the name of God amen, I Thomas Morris of the County of Chester
and State of Carolina, being weak in body and considering the un-
certainty of this life, yet of sound mind and memory, do make and
publish this my last will and testament, in manner and form following,
that is to say, First I recommend my body to be buried
a Christian like manner, and my soul to god who gave it.
Secondly I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Betsy
all my effects and debts active and passive, with all my
and personal estate, Household and Kitchen furniture,
after paying my just debt to be possessed by her during her
life, and after her death to be distributed among my heirs the
I also hereby appoint my beloved wife Betsy Morris my
executrix to this my last will and testament, hereby
canceling all former wills by me made,

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal this 4th day of February in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and fourteen.

Thos Morris *(Signature)*

Signed sealed and delivered
in presence of us who have
hereunto subscribed our names
as witnesses in presence of the testator.

B. Kendall
Jonathan Gooding.

Carteret County Court

May term 1814. This was this instrument which
came into Court and proved by the oath of Bridge Kendall
Comprised in his oath that he saw Jonathan Gooding
sign the same to be the last will and testament of
Thomas Morris deceased and the executors named
therein qualified as such.

Attest B Kendall S. C. 1814

State of N. Carolina

Carteret County } In the name of God amen,
Know all men by these presents that I, Isaac Hill, do, who being
weak in body but of sound mind and memory thinks fit to make
for the same (to this 16th instant) of November in the year of our
Lord one thousand Eight hundred and fourteen (1814) make
and ordain this my last will and Testament, in manner following,
to wit, my will is that all my Plantation estate to be sold
except what I will away to my lawful heirs -

1st I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Betsy Hill,
two miles her choice, my Barbed Horse, my Harness, this
I give as a Loan her natural Life, and then to my daughter
Didams Hill, her Heirs & assigns for ever -

I loan to my wife Betsy Hill - during her life, six negroes
namely - Bailey, Benjamin, Israel, Simon, Rockwell & Davis, and
after her death all these negroes and their increase to go to
my two daughters Pamelia Hill & Didams Hill equally
divided Between the two, to them, their Heirs and assigns forever.

I give my wife Betsy Hill two Rugs & furniture, Two
Sheep & Goats, six Head of cattle, horses, one Pair of Oxen,
Twelve Head of sheep, to her her Heirs & assigns forever, also
one half of my House Hold & Kitchen furniture, to her, her Heirs
and assigns for ever,

I loan to my wife Betsy Hill one third of my Cedar Point Plan-
tation during her natural Life, and then to my son Hatch and
his Heirs, their Heirs and assigns for ever.

3rd Child, I give my son John Hillie the Land and house which
he now has in his possession also a right in my fishing place
during his life and after his death to Hatch & his Heirs, their
Heirs and assigns for ever and Edward Hillie,
with I give to my son William Hillie or his Heirs as he is now
deceased, the Land they live on, and three negroes Elizabeth,
Grace & Catharine, also one yoke of Oxen, to him and his
Heirs and assigns forever,

5. I give my daughter Polly forty Dollars in Cash to her her
Heirs & assigns for ever.

6th I give my son Bostons Hill one house & lot in
the Town of Swansboro and a Slave Girl money, to him his
Heirs and assigns forever.

7th I give my son Hatch Hill one half of my Cedar Point
Plantation, after his mother death, and one third before,
to him, his Heirs and assigns forever, his share of the whole
Plantation, also his part of slaves to his part.

8th I give my Son Isaac Hill his equal part of all my
slaves, to him his Heirs & assigns forever.