

In the Name of God I Amek I Joseph Waters of
Carroll County and State of North Carolina being sick and
weak in body but of a sound mind and memory; and
Calling to Mind the Mortality of my body and for the better
Settling of my Temporal Affairs looking and circumstaining all
Other Wills or Wills hitherto made by me I do constitute and
Arrange this my last Will and Testament in the following Manner
and form:— Item I Give all my last debts to be paid by the
prospects of my Estate.— Item I Give unto my beloved wife
Rebecca Waters one Hundred acres of Land including the Plantation
whereon I now live, one Negroe Woman named Nelly, Two Leather
beds and furniture, to her and her heirs forever.— Item I Give
unto my Daughter Savannah Helly one Hitter and half Dozen
Pintles plates, and one bacon to her and her heirs forever.— Item
I Give unto my Daughter Chloe Waters one feather bed and
furniture to her and her heirs forever.— Item I Give unto
my Nine Children Priscilla Hartin, Zeph, Waters, James Waters
Judd, Broado, Isiah Waters, Benjamin Waters, Elijah Waters, Judith
Waters and Abby Colverith one Shilling a piece to them and
their heirs forever.— Item I Give the balance of my property
to be equally divided ~~among~~^{between} my nine Consanguine Children
Pearson Waters, Anna Waters and Ford Waters, and Lastly I nominate
and Appoint my beloved wife, Rebecca Waters and Isaac
Helly to execute this my last will and testament. In witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal
this Twenty-eth day of September one Thousand Seven Hundred
and Ninety seven.

Signed sealed and acknowledged in presence of Joseph & Waters
Griffin Gunn (Seal) Mark
William Gunn
John ~~Waters~~ Resworth (Seal)
Mark

Carroll County
The Execution of this Will was only found in this Court by the Calls of
Griffin Gunn and John Resworth. No Motion seemed to be necessary
to bring it to a full and clear Court. Not qualified till Afternoon Oct

In the Name of God Amek this 15th day of June in the
year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety Seven I
James Randolph Esq^r of the County of Carroll and State of North
Carolina being sick and weak in body but of sound mind and
memory Thank be given to Almighty God for his calling to Mind
the Mortality of my body and uncertainty of this life to make and
Arrange this my last Will and Testament in the following manner
and form:— And first I bequeath my soul into the Hands of Almighty
God who gave it and my body to the earth to be decently buried
in a Christian Manner; and as for such Mortal Goods as it hath
pleased God to bless me with in this life, I dispose of them in
the following Manner — I promise I give and bequeath to
my son John Randolph the land and plantation whereon I
now live containing one Hundred and forty one acres, where
he arrives to the age of Twenty one years, to him and his heirs
and assigns forever. And if he die without issue, then I leave the
land to Nivedro, also five hundred Virginia Money.—
Item I Give and bequeath to my son Nivedro Randolph my bed which
I lie on, also five hundred Virginia Money, to him his heirs and
assigns forever.— Item I Give and bequeath to my daughter Rebecca Randolph
feather bed and furniture, Called her bed, and one half of the furniture
belonging to the House and one bed to her and her heirs forever.—
Item I Give to my beloved wife Mary Randolph all the residue
of my estate during her widowhood, but to be remembered
that should my wife marry, that then the estate hereby left to
her shall be equally divided between my son John Randolph and my son
Nivedro — It is my wish and desire that if after my death
my wife die before my young children come to age that
Robert my son should take his brother John and raise him
and that William should take Nivedro and raise him to age
Lastly I constitute Arrain and Appoint my beloved son James
Randolph and my son in law, William Dugay Executor of this my last
Will and Testament; and I as fully wrote and made this
all other Will or Wills hitherto by me made ratifying and
Confirming this only to be my last Will and Testament.

Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
affixed my seal the day and year first above written —
Signed Sealed published & his Seal
pronounced and declared
as the last Will and Testament
of James Randolph in presence
of us Deacons of us —

Rev Murphy (Curate)

Wm Gordon Curate

John Carter
mark

Caswell County

The Execution of this Will was done, done in Open Court
by the Deacons of Rockdale Murphy and William Gordon two Subscribing
Witnesses and on Motion Discreet to be recorded at the same time
James Randolph and William Lee Qualifiers Executors —

T. E. Murphy Esq.

Inventory of the Estate of Nathaniel Brans Curand
in Caswell County North Carolina —

One No. Vested, which Bottles and Pots, one Chest of Drawers
one Music frame, one french Dictionary, one Book in Mariana

Grant Jun. 20th
A.D. 1797

Caswell County

This Inventory was duly returned to Court by the said
and on Motion Discreet to be recorded —

T. E. Murphy Esq.

Know all men by these presents that I Martha Dixon of the
County of Caswell and State of North Carolina do nominate, constitute
and appoint my truly friend Nathaniel Williams Esq. to
be my lawfull Attorney to act sue for demands and receive from
any Person or Persons Office or Offices within the United States or
of the United States any Sum or Sums of Money or Certificates on
Any Land or Lands or other real or personal estate of what kind
or Nature soever which I am or may be entituled to as a Widow
and a Legatee of my late Husband Henry Dixon Curand
for Services done and performed in the last American War
in any other manner, and further to do and execute all and
every such acts and things, tending to the recovery of any estate
and Right as aforesaid. Either real or personal and to give
discharge for the same — and further I do hereby give and
grant unto my said Attorney full and whole power and
Authority in my Name, place and place to make and conclude
with any Person or Persons any Agreement whatever touching
the premises with full power and Authority to convey and
transfe the same in as full and ample a Manner as I
myself could do in my own person to the best prober
use and benefit of the said Nathaniel Williams Esq. my
Attorney His Hly Executing Administrato and Affairs
power, and I do and will Ratify whatever my said Attorney
shall or May lawfully do in presence of these presents, in
Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this
fifth day of September 1797 —

Signed Sealed & Delivered
in presence of —

N. Williams (Curate)

Martha X Dixon
mark

Caswell County

The Execution of this letter of Attorney was duly known in
Open Court by Nath. Williams Esq. the Subscribing Witness there
and on Motion Discreet to be recorded —

T. E. Murphy Esq.

January Court 1798

In Inventory of the estate of Robert Harris deceased taken by
 George Harris Esq. in the County of Danville Jan 4th 1798

Eleven Vases, four Head Boxes, Eighteen Head Bottles, Twenty five
 Head Boxes, Nine Head Case, three leather Boxes and Furniture, four
 Tables, five Trunks, one Candel Stand, one Looking Glass, one Dog
 Chair, one Shot Gun, one Umbrella, two Water Jars, one Cr.
 Lad Irons, Two Cotton Whals, one Star whal, Two ft. Chair, six R. Chairs
 One ft. Sliding, one Jack Rail, Twenty four earthen Plates, half
 Dozen Butter Dishes, Three earthen Dishes, one Quicke d^r, half Dozen
 Earthen Bowls, one Dog Cup & Saucers, three Cream Jars, two Tea d^r,
 Two Quicke, one Glass Cann, half Doz. Tumblers, Two Bottles,
 Two Glass Globes, one Coffee Pot, one Saucere, one Crock, latte
 one Doz. Table Spoon, one Doz. Small d^r, five Butter Pots, Two Pudding
 Cakes, one Coffee Mill, three Tea Cannisters, three Mugs, Two tea Dishes
 one White, Three Butter Plates, one Pepper Box, Two Milk Crock^s
 Three Quart Bottles, Two Stone Jugs, one Doz. Knives and Forks, Two
 Canele Sticks, one D. Spoon, three Table Spoons, five Hand Forks
 Two Tortlets, one Saddle, Two Bon Pots, one Dutch Oven, one F. Pan,
 one ft. Dog Iron, one Doz. Shadous Tongs, Three Pails, one Washing
 Tub, one Bell Metal Skillet, Cutting Box, one G. Stone, The History
 of England 16 Vol. by Hume Smotlett, The Prince of Albionia 9 Vol.
 The Laws of North Carolina revised by James Irrell, The
 Laws of Convincue by the late Lord Chief Baron Gilbert,
 Greek Lexicon, The Holy Bible, one ft. Doz. Books, Three Slough
 Hors, three Seas, Nine Hors, one New Ground Slough, Two
 ft. Iron Hors, Two Weighs, Two Sugar Dishes, Two Syphons
 one Box of beads on Joseph Montgomery for £4. 6. one Cello on
 John Copeland £25. 0. 0 on Dr. R. Shanks for £39. 17. 6. one Dr.
 Joseph Hicks £2. 0. 0. one Dr. Isaac Jackson £2. 0. 0. one Dr.
 William Etch £2. 0. 0. one Dr. William Thomas £2. 0. 0. one Dr.
 Jacob Hams £2. 0. 0. one Dr. on Curtis £2. 0. 0. two Dr. on
 Andrew and Robert Ray for £35. 10. 0. one Dr. Dan. Allen £4. 3. 4.

January Court 1798

On an old Bill of Sale for £2. 0. 0. Tobacco sold at Danville
 47/04. One Cwt of Corn the quantity not known

Agnip Harris adm^r

Caville County

This Inventory was duly returned to Court by the Commissioner
 and on Motion Carried to be recorded

Tell
McMurphy C. C.

Account of the Sale of part of the estate of James Randolph Esq.
 On the first day of November 1797 at Justice Month's Court

Pollitt & Abner Robinson to the first lot of Hogs	£4. 0. 0
John Hay to the second lot of Hogs	4. 0. 0
Stone Robinson to the third lot of Hogs	3. 11. 0
Stone Robinson to the fourth lot of Hogs	3. 12. 0
Abner Robinson to the last lot of said Hogs	4. 1. 0
Stone Robinson to one Cow Half	6. 0. 0
Thomas Parker to one Small Steer	9. 10. 0
Thomas Parker one year Steer	9. 1. 0

£41. 0. 0
 James R. Randolph Esq. ^{his} mark ^{and} C. C.
 William ^{his} mark ^{and} C. C.
 Thomas Parker ^{his} mark ^{and} C. C.

Caville County

This Account of sale was duly returned to Court by the
 Commissioner and on Motion Carried to be recorded

Tell
McMurphy C. C.