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This Indenture Made the Third day of March 1783
Between James Sanders Esq. For Behalf of his fellow Citizens of
The Inferior Court of the County of Caswell and three Successors of the one
Part and William Hunter of the Other Part Witnesseth that the said
James Sanders Esq. By Deed made to an Order of the said County Court
Made the Third day of March 1783 and according to the Direc-
tions of our Genl Assembly in that Case made & provided
doth Put Black and bind unto the said William Hunter
Nathan Woodsfield (an Orphan) Now of the age of Twelve years
Four Months with the said William Hunter to live after the
Manner of an Apprentice and Servant until he attain to the age
of Twenty one year during all which time his said master shall
faithfully serve his lawful Commands every where Gladly Obedy he
shall not at any time absent himself from his said Masters Service
without leave but in all things as a good and faithful Servant
behave Towards his said Master And the said William Hunter
doth Covenant promise and agree to and with the said James
Sanders that he will Teach & Instruct & Cause to be taught & Instruct
the said Nathan Woodsfield to Read Write & Cypher
According to Law and also Instruct him in the Business of a
Planter and that he will constantly feed and Provide for the said
Apprentice Sufficient diet Washing Lodging and Apparel Sufficient
during the Term of said serving for an Apprentice and also all other
things necessary both in sickness and in health I Witness
whereof the Parties to these Presents hath Put exchangeable
Set their hands & Seals the day and year first above Written
Signed sealed & Delivered
in presence of

Haralson & Co

William Hunter

March Court 1783

Entered in Chancery

Edw. L. Loughrey

234 In the Name of God Amen I Samuel Farmer of
the County of Caswell and Province of North Carolina being very
Sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and Memory do hereby
be given unto God and Calling to mind the Mortality of my
body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do
make and Publish this my Last Will and Testament That is to say
Primarily and Last of all I Give and recommend my soul to God
who gave it and my body I recommend unto the Earth to be Buried
in a decent Christian burial at the Discretion of my Executors
Nothing doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive
the same again by the Mighty Power of God and as Touching
that which I do hereby declare wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless
me with in this life I Give Devise and dispose of the same in the
following manner

And I do Give that my funeral Charges with all other
of my Debt, do be honestly & Legally paid Secondly I
Give and bequeath to my beloved wife Cassandrew Farmer
her thirds of the Moveables and the Plantation that I now
Dwell in during her Widowhood. Thirdly I Give and
bequeath to my son Daniel Farmer one Hundred acres
Fourthly I Give and bequeath to my son William Farmer
that Part of my Land lying on the North side of Flat
River with as much as will make it one Hundred acres
Fifthly I Give to him and his Heirs, also Seals Bolt that he
now has and my Rifle Gun. Sixthly I Give and bequeath
to my two sons Stephen Farmer & Nathan Farmer all
the Remainsing Part of my Land with the Old Plantation
to be Equally Divided between them both a due regard
being had the Quantity and Quality thereof & the same
and those Heirs, the Rest of my Effects to be sold in
the Money to be Equally Divided amongst my Daughters
& my two sons Vizt Rachael Widow Mary Widow
Susanne Farmer Ellen Maken Jane Farmer
Stephen Farmer & Nathan Farmer first Having
Susanne Farmer Ellen Maken Jane Farmer

Each a Hunting Saddle, & I do hereby constitute
and appoint my Trusty Friends Cassandra Farmer
Daniel Farmer & Richard Holman my Sole Executors
and Trustees to Manage and Dispose my Estate according
as this my Will is and I do hereby utterly disallow
Rescind & Disannul all and every Other Former
Testaments Wills Legacies bequeaths and Executors by
me in any ways before Named Willed or Bequeathed
Relieving and Discharging this and no Other to be
my Last Will & Testament In Witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand & Affixed my Seal this
Thirtieth day of December A.D. 1779

Signed Sealed & Delivered

in Presence of
Richard Holman (Jurat)

William Dinnis
mark

Jane Holman (Jurat)

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The Execution of this Will was duly
Proved in Open Court by the Oath of Richard Holman & Jane
Holman Subscribing Witnesses thereto and on Motion Orders
to be recorded

Edw. Atterbury

ON the 29th of December in the year of our Lord 1782
William Naley who Deceased on 31st of the said month and year
about Midday Made the following Unfiled Will in the presence of
the under Subscribers, (To Will) first he gave and bequeathed
unto Eleanor Naley one third part of all his Goods and Chattels
Also Five and bequeathed to his son Samuel Naley the
one Hundred Acres of Deeded Land whereon he then lived also
one Hundred Acres of Land lies on the East side of the fore-
mentioned Land that is now in Dispute and undetermined
with Thomas Persons for which the said Samuel Naley
is to Maintain the said Eleanor Naley his Widow and
appointed his son Samuel Naley his Executor of this Will
Together with Eleanor Naley to settle his affairs
also he gave to Jacob Naley his son the Entry of Land
Lying the South side of the Plantation whereon
he then lived lying and being on Both sides of
Flat River and the Remainder of his Goods & Chattels
to be Equally Divided between John Naley Thomas
Naley Samuel Naley Jacob Naley Mary Pryn & the Remainder of the undivided Land
to be sold and Equally Divided amongst the above
mentioned Children & the above Will was Proved
before me One of the Justices of the said County
this 31st day of December 1782

William White (Jurat)
John Ballantyne (Jurat)
mark
James Moseley (Jurat)
mark

March Court 1783

The Above Will was duly Proved in Open Court
by the Oath of W^m White John Ballantyne James
Moseley & ordered to be recorded
The Court qualified