

Let my son executors to execute and perform all things according to the intent and meaning hereinafter contained

Signed in presence of

John Hopkin

Bethany ^{his} Wifes

Sarah ^{my} Wifes

Henry Cook

Given at New Spun 1800

by Bethany Wifes Sarah Wifes

In the name of God amen. Whereas
J. Coxson Esq. Son of Chatham County and State
of North Carolina, being very low and weak of body
but in perfect mind and memory and desiring to make
his last will and testament for all that he do. I therefore come
my self to him that made it and my body to the
earth to be buried at the discretion of my executors and
as touching my worldly Goods I will and bequeath
them as follows. I will to my son Robert Esq.
all my Land whereon I now live to him his Heirs &
but he is to pay my debts. Also that my beloved
Wife is to have her life time in it in Peace and
quietness; And my son George is to have the piece of
ground called his to live as long as his Mother doth
live; And as to my moveable property I will that
it be equally divided between my three sons, Henry
George and Richard: And will to my son John
and Abathus to each five Shillings and to my son
William's five Shillings each lawful money this
to be divided after the death of my Wife at Ann, but
for her to keep all in her possession as long as she live

I also appoint my son Robert and Brother Francis
Esq. Executors to this my last Will and Testament
At witness my Hand and Seal this 2nd Day of June 1800

The undersigned my dear intestine before signed

Signed sealed and delivered Abathus Esq.

in the presence of

Henry Esq.

Henry Esq.

Esq.

James ^{his} Esq.

Wife Esq.

Given at New Spun 1800

by Mrs. Esq.

State of North Carolina Chatham County Dec 4th 1800

The last Will and Testament of Daniel Brown of this
County State of North Carolina. I am weak in body but in perfect
mind and memory I strength of mind. To my beloved
Wife Lucy I leave the use of the Land during her life
if she remains a Widow without any restriction to sell
Land; likewise my Household Furniture I leave and bequeath
to my Lucy the use of it her life time without a binding
it or making away with it. William Henry I leave give
one cow at Lucy's decease Lucy is to have the use of
Stock of Cattle Hogs and Horses for life time or inalienable
at the old woman's death or marriage. And Daniel
Brown to have a cow at the old woman's death or
marriage. And Negro slave Peter may live with which
of the children he please his life time after my decease
And at Lucy's death or marriage all my personal

135 Estate to be equally shared between my unmarried
Children besides what I have been mentioned, as the
Children that is married has got their equal parts already
and this my last Will and Testament. Given under
my Hand & Seal the date above written.

Test
John Boyd - Daniel Brown Secy

ever say the above Will ought not to
have been recorded.

In the name of God amen. March 27th 1807
I Joseph Brantley of Chatham County North Carolina
being sick in Body but of perfect mind & memory do make
and declare this to be my last Will and Testament 1807
I give to my Grandson Joseph Dwyer one Negro Boy
named Isaac also one little cow he by the Family
also one Horse and saddle to him and his heirs for-
ever. I give to my Daughter Martha Ruby and her
son William and her three daughters. Three negroes
to wit Bridget, Fance & Lukey, also two Horses and the
stock there to be equally divided amongst my daugh-
ter and her four Children, also one Tract of Land
adjoining Benjamin Williams containing one half acre
also five cows & calves, also my stock of Hogs, all to
be equally divided amongst the above, Martha, her
son and three daughters - My Will and desire is
that the rest of my Negroes to wit, Ned, Lion and
Ripe be sold, also the remainder of stock of Horses
and Cattle be sold, also my Wagon, Smiths tools
& Household Furniture & Farming tools be sold