

In the name of God amen. I John Harris
of Chatham County and State of North Carolina being of
sound mind and perfect memory, do this 29th day of March
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & four
make and publish this my last Will and Testament in
an open assembly that is to say. Item. That all my debts and
funeral charges may be punctually and specially paid
by my executors, whom I shall hereafter appoint. —
Item. That my most ungrateful Wife Peter Harris may
have one third part of the Land I may have rights to
at the time of my decease during her natural life and ten
pounds in storage. As to her and such other things as
widows are entitled to have she took with her when she
departed from me, and the Negro which she brought I had
fourteen years in possession. Item to the Child she brought
which she says Brantly Jones is the Father of for Susan
and it is none of mine. Though I don't know what she names
it. Though I have heard Thomas. Item. I give five pounds, if
it should ever make a man mean enough to call for it. —
Item. I give and bequeath all the remainder of my estate
both real and personal, to be equally divided in three shares
that is to say to my Brother William Harris and my
Sister Susan Dark, widow of William Dark and
a Sarah Wife of John Harris. Item. Also the Dower
Land at my Wife's death deced. my Brother Sisters
above mentioned in the manner in the rest of my estate.
And I hereby make and ordain my Brother William
above mentioned, John Harris & Sarah Dark my lawful
executors of this my last Will and Testament

In witness whereof I the said John Headen have to this my
last will and Testament set my hand and seal the day
and year above written.

John Headen

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Signe & Seal in

presence of

Abigail Webb

Beniah Wilson

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I revoke every instrument of this kind if any should
offer for record making.

In the name of God Amen I Angulus Henderson
of Chatham County and State of North Carolina being of
sound and perfect mind and memory. Witness be to all this
six day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and four make and publish my last will
and Testament in manner following. That is to say. First
I gave and bequeath Francis Clark one Negro Girl Hannah
and if the said Negro Girl Hannah live to have a child
it is to be for Mary Henderson daughter to the said Francis
Clark. And also I gave to my son Theophilus Henderson
the Negro Girl. Also I gave to my son John Henderson
the manner plantation where I now live on the corner of
the land beginning at the mouth of the School House
Spring Branch, running up the said Branch to the
back line. Thence West to John Fells Spring Branch.
thence across the said Branch to Brooks Creek thence
down the said Creek to the first station. also one Negro
Wench Luce and Child Humphrey. Also I give unto
Abigail Henderson all of my land west of John Fells