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State of North Carolina Chatham County March the ninth
day Eighteen Hundred & thirty two, I Joseph Kemp being
weak in body but perfect mind & memory do make and
ordain this my last will & Testament in manner and
form as follows. First my body to be buried decently at
the discretion of my Execution hereafter named and
all my just debts I order to be paid give and dispose
the remaining part of my Estate in manner and form
as follows That is to say in primis I leave and bequeath
unto my loving wife Sarah Kemp my flock of sheep
and her bed and furniture and the privilege of the dairy
house and kitchen and furniture and her maintenance
on the land during life or widowhood I leave and be-
queath to my two sons Jase Kemp and John Kemp
my lands to be equally divided between them. If they
cant agree between themselves they must choose men
to divide it between them, and I also leave to my two
sons Jase & John my haggons and gear and a long
farming tool and Bla. Smiths tool I leave to my son
Jase the horse that he now claims and the saddle that
he claims also and his gun and one bed and furniture
and two sows and pigs that he now claims
and I leave and to my daughter Melchut Kemp the
colt that she now claims and her bed and furniture
and chest and two tables & big wheel and a sow
& pigs & the wren that she now claims on the dregoor -
Also I leave & bequeath to my daughter Marget Kemp one
bed & furniture and one chest and her claim of the wren
on the dregoor - And I leave and bequeath to my
son John Kemp one young horse called Dick one bed
and furniture and my rifle gun and his sow & pigs
that he now claims. And I leave and bequeath to
my daughter Zena Kemp one bed & furniture -
And all the balace of my stock horses cattle hogs & sheep
that is not above mentioned I leave to my wife Sarah,
for the use of the family - And my two sons Jase & John
to pay my daughter Melchut twenty dollars and my
daughter Marget thirty dollars and my daughter Zena
fifty dollars when they become of age - And I hereby
appoint my two Brothers Joshua Kemp and Job Kemp

