

Sold and the Money shall be equally divided between my four daughters The Dusk I will to Julia Bartlett

Thertuntly I do hereby ratify and confirm this to be my last Will and Testament and I do rescind and make void all former wills and Testaments.

In Witness whereof I do hereunto set my hand and Seal this the Seventh day of February 1829

Signed Sealed and delivered

by the Stephen White
in presence of the

Warren Brooks

Sam^l Dowd

John P. Smith

Stephen White

Sealed
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The foregoing last will & Testament of Stephen White was duly exhibited in open Court at November Session 1829 and was proved by the Oaths of Warren Brooks & John P. Smith subscribing witnesses thereto and was ordered to be recorded whereupon John & White & Hiram White the Executors mentioned in said Will appeared in open Court and were duly qualified as such

In the Name of God amen I Thomas Cole of the County of Chatham and State of North Carolina being in a low State of health but perfect in mind and memory thank, the Good calling into mind the Mortality of my own body. Knowing that it appointed for all men once to die, do make & ordain this my last Will and Testament that I do hereby principally and first I give I give & Recommend my soul into hands of Almighty God that gave it, and my to the earth to be buried in decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors hoping to Rejoin the same in the Resurrection of the dead — As to my worldly Estate wherein it hath been pleased God to bless me with. I give devise and dispose of in the following manner

First I loan unto my beloved wife Nancy both one feather bed & a new
 one blue painted chest on wheels, one cupboard three sitting chairs, and a
 much of the kitchen furniture as the my said wife should think proper to keep
 one black maid, two cows & calves, one saw & pigs, and Grubbs he has two windows
 has one plough and plough fur, one black axe, two negro slaves by the
 name of Abram & Duffey or rather Dagny one spinning wheel & cards the
 following tract of land & plantation beginning at a creek running a
 North Course above on the East side of my Orchard hence continuing
 on the same below my pasture, that is called my lot to which my son
 Benjamin tened last year, thence to a creek, thence to a
 his line to the bubble Road thence with said Road to a place called
 creek, thence down the said creek to the beginning also as much for
 her one year Provision as Sarah both & Dear Nedy should think
 to be just & right all the aforementioned property except her year
 Provision loaned to my said wife her life time or Widowhood
 Secondly it my will for all the balance of my land and every part and
 parcel of my other property, that I have not loaned to my said wife
 to be sold and of the amount from her ^{late} husband my just debts to be
 paid the balance to be equally divided between all my Children
 Namely Liza, Mary Lydia, Mary, William, Eli & Benjamin
 to them and their heirs forever. Also it is my will after the
 death or Marriage of my ^{wife} that a parcel of said property
 together with the land as maybe be at that time to be sold
 and equally divided between all my afore named Children to them
 and their heirs forever. And I do hereby constitute and appoint
 my worthy friend Sarah both Executor of this my last will
 and Testament hereby recording all with herity and making
 me my friends witness of this and thence both be the same to be
 my hand and affixed my seal this 16th of April 1829

Signed sealed and handed & delivered
 by the last will & Testament of
 the Testator in presence of
 Isaac Harty
 Joseph Dollen

Signed & sealed
 Thomas both
 November Term 1829
 a testimony of the Court of the
 County of Washington
 before me
 John C. Smith

17th
State of North Carolina Chatham County. In the Name of
God Amen I John C. Warden of the County And Able of Mind and
being weak in Body but of perfect Mind and Memory which
I thank the Lord for his Mercy And kindness the Certainty of
death I have to Make this My last Will and Testament Touch-
ing All my Estate. I Give to My Son John C. Warden One hundred Acres
of Land in the State of North Carolina Adjoining William Little's Land Also
I have given to My Son William Warden One hundred Acres of
Land More or less in Randolph County on the Water of
Brush Creek Adjoining the Lands of Bragg Also I have
given to My Daughter Lucy and Miles each her Consent one
hundred Acres of Land More or less adjoining Mr. L. Nix's Land
Also I have given to My Son Beatty Warden Two hundred Acres of Land
on the east side of Lick Creek Joining Joining the Land
of Miller Jean that is all of My estate I own or intend for them
of My above mentioned Sons and daughters Also I leave unto My
beloved Wife Rebecca Warden the Plantation whereon I now live
during her Natural life time And after her death to My Son
Stephen Warden This I Give the whole of My Land Containing
Two hundred and fourteen Acres More or less Adjoining the Lands
of Lick Warden & Miller Jean Also I give and bequeath unto My
beloved Daughters viz Mary Stewart Thelma Leaven Elizabeth
Simmons Sarah David & Anne Warden One cow Each Also
I give and bequeath to My grand daughter Luenda Scott One
cow As that is all I intend for her Also I leave unto My beloved
wife Rebecca Warden during her Natural life time all of My
house hold and kitchen furniture and all the Balance
of My Stock and Cash And all My Tools and after
her death the house hold Furniture and

Stock and to be equally divided Among My above men-
tioned Daughters After all My last debts are paid I Give
John and James Warden Son to receive what I have
I have left to them in Common Money of the State lastly
I Nominate and appoint My son Stephen Warden and
My wife Rebecca Warden Ex^{ors} and Ex^{ors} to this My last
Will and Testament whereunto I have set My hand and seal
this 17th day of September One thousand eight hundred
and twenty Nine

John Warden
Signed sealed and delivered
In the presence of My
Francis Thacker
Thompson Larned

Proved In witness whereof I have signed my name
to be recorded whereupon Stephen Warden & Rebecca Warden
appeared in open Court and were duly qualified
In the name of God Amen I William Stewart being of sound
mind & memory do hereby make & publish this my last Will and
Testament in the following manner To wit
I Give the first I do hereby confer in the gift of property that my
Children have had of me before this date
I have bequeathed I give to Mary C. Kelly bands and her married
Hem the third I give to her and her husband Mr. B. Stewart & W.
Stewart third of John Stewart's land all of Tennessee fifty dollars
each I give to John Wiley William Williams the third
& Abey Davis George Stewart's four youngest children twenty dollars
each I give to Tompkins Partain two cows & I give the lot that is
at Old Mill Partain to his daughter she and under the care of her
grand Mother and I give twenty dollars to each of Tompkins Partain Boys
that was born before 1827 or rather to my Executors to have them both