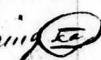


my whole and sole executors to this my last will and Testament to settle all my business according to this my last will and Testament, and the law shall require. As witness my hand & seal the 12th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and seven.

Signed, Sealed & delivered in presence of us

Pereval Dring 

Daniel Stow

mark

Sarah his Brooks Sweet

mark

Recorded & Examined the day of

In the name of God, Amen.

This 17th of August, 1814.

Henry Ballentine of the county of Craven and State of North Carolina, being at this time low in health, but of perfect sense, mind and memory, thanks be to God for the same and calling to mind the certainty of death and that it is appointed for all men to die do make and ordain this my last will and Testament. First I leave the use of my land and plantation to my beloved wife during her widowhood, then to be equally divided between my two sons, Henry and John Gunden Ballentine. Lastly I do appoint my friend John Cat, my whole sole executor of this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this day and year above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered

in presence of

Nicholas Allison

his Ballentine 
mark



Recorded & Examined the day of

May the 21, 1814. ³⁴ KNOW all men by these presents, that I the said Thomas Brown, being in a low state of health, but in my right mind and senses, before my blessed Lord and maker, and in these presents consider the shortness of life and the certainty of death, here agree to make my last will and Testament. Where I leave enough of my property to be sold to pay all my just debts and demands, and the balance I want of my beloved wife Elizabeth Brown to have the use of to live upon and to raise my children, during of her natural life, and then to be equally divided amongst all my children, and also leave my beloved wife Elizabeth Brown wholly and solely executor to this my last will and Testament.

Signed, Sealed & delivered

in the presence of

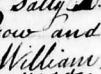
Jst. Zebulon Kemp Sweet
Luke Brown

Thomas x Brown 
mark



Recorded & Examined the day of

In the name of God, Amen.

I Dempsey Casey of North Carolina Craven County, being full in body but sound in mind and memory, praise be God for the same, and being disposed to settle my worldly affairs whilst I have strength and capacity so to do, do make and publish this my last will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time made. First and principally I commit my soul into the care of the blessed God, believing that he will dispose of me to the glory of his name, and my body to be committed to its mother dust, and as touching my worldly estate wherewithal I hath pleased God to instruct me, I dispose of it as followeth, first my will is that all my lawful debts shall be paid. Item. I give and bequeath to my daughter Sally  Casey one bed and furniture, one linen sheet and one cow and calf. Item. My will is that Martin Ross Casey and William Dosey Casey and all my other sons shall be taught to ^{read} well, and ciphered so as to understand the rule of three, and my daughters to read and write.

Item. My will is that Martin Ross Casey and William Dosey Casey, my two sons shall have my house and plantation, with all the land thereon, to be equally divided between them, if either Martin or William dies without any child lawfully begotten of his body, my will is that the surviving one shall have the whole of my lands. Item. My will is that all the profits, that arises from