

of my money and notes after pay my debts  
out of them to my wife  
I am I nominate and appoint my beloved wife  
to be my whole and sole Executor to this my  
last will and testament In Testimony  
hereof I have here unto set my hand  
and sealed this 24th of February 1823

Test S. W. H. Allard Surat

S. Sanderson Deacon

Peter M Gray

Recorded & Examined Feb 19th 1823  
S. W. H. Allard 6.00

The Last Will and Testament of James  
Bray deceased, exhibited May term 1833

In the name of God amen. James Bray of the County  
of Currituck and State of North Carolina being sick  
and weak of body, but of sound disposing mind and memory  
do make and ordain this my last will and testament to  
give unto my wife Mary Bray one negro man named  
Peter to her and her affianced. I lend to my wife Mary  
Bray all my property within doors and without doors  
during her widowhood. I give and bequeath unto  
all my lawful heirs all my Land and Crement and  
property of all kinds whatsoever belongs to me, to be equally  
divided between them. I constitute, make and ordain  
my wife Mary Bray Executor and my brother William  
Bray my Executor to this my Last will and testament  
Rescinding and making void all other wills, wills or  
bequests whatsoever. In testimony whereunto I have  
set my hand and seal the seventeen day of February  
in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and twenty two  
Signed Sealed pronounced and宣读于  
declared by the testator to be his  
Last will and testament in presence of  
Mr. Bray Test Surat  
William Bray Junr  
Recorded this 23<sup>rd</sup> September 1820 N.C. W. H. Allard

The Last Will and Testament of Mr David  
Jones deceased Exhibited Feby 1<sup>st</sup> 1823.

In the name of God amen. I David Jones of the  
County of Currituck in Carolina; weak in body, but  
of sound mind, do make declare and pronounce  
this to be my last will and testament. I command  
my soul to be who created it my body to be buried  
by the side of my former wife.

I bequeath to my wife Mary during her natural life or  
widowhood, negro woman Lucy and her two youngest  
children, Job and Tom, negro woman Rose & child little  
also negro man Simon; and after her death the two  
negro women and their children to be sold, and  
the money equally divided between all my children;  
the negro man Simon I give after the death of my  
wife Mary to my son Joseph, Jacob, give to my  
wife Mary forever, my home lot, Womble's Lair,  
two bed and furniture, Bible, two tables, side board  
looking glass, all the crockery ware and Kitchen furniture  
Twenty two hogs first choice at the plantation called  
Perkins, three barren plots called Sunny, two plots  
house lot, roath of oxen at Lumbey, and negro girl  
Lucy & thirty five barrels of corn.

I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Gribble  
the plantation I now live in; upon Currituck. Also  
and to which she resided after my death it being  
her mother's maiden Land. I also give her negro boy Monk  
one bed and furniture, secretary & book case, all my silver  
spoons and watches & the bedding my wife started  
To Dr. E. L. Gribble give his own note of one hundred and  
eighty dollars or upwards, also all other debts he may  
due me, also all my Medical books and stock of  
medicine, Shop furniture instruments &c.

I give and bequeath to my daughter Bridget Elizabeth  
the Land I bought of the Thompsons ever since I have  
now lived and subject to his wife's Life Estate, also  
my swamp land lying in buckhorn Swamp  
Bkt of William Perkins containing about  
three hundred acres, also the marsh down on  
bills Island, also one bed and furniture, also two  
boy Alexander and girl Phoebe and two hundred  
dollars in notes of hand and I nominate Dr. E.  
Gribble the guardian of said daughter B. Elizabeth