

In the name of God, amen.

I Polly Capps being at this time extremely ill, but perfect in mind and memory, do ordain & constitute this my last Will & testament - I then I give and bequeath unto my cousin William (better called William) Miller twelve dollars - Secondly - I give unto my brother Dennis Capps five Dollars Thirdly I give all the residue of my estate unto my sister Frances Capps after discharging all my just debts & Lastly I appoint ordain & constitute Caleb White executor to this my last Will & testament - Given under my hand & seal August 12th 1830
 John R. Bright Polly Capps
 Solomon Bright Secrat
 Lepe B. Bright

State of North Carolina, Brunswick Co. Feb'y Term 1831
 This last Will & testament of Polly Capps was exhibited & proved in open Court by the oath of Solomon Bright subscribing witness Thirteenth & ordered recorded - When the executor thence came into open Court & qualified in due form of Law &c

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Last Will & testament of Joel Capps Secrat Exhibited & proved May Term 1831.

In the name of God, amen. I Joel Capps being in perfect mind and memory, thanks to my God for the favor, do make this my last will and testament viz as manned & form following I give and bequeath my body to be buried in a decent manner by my God my soul I resign to my God who gave it -

To my wife Elizabeth Capps I the testator lend during her natural life or widowhood all my worldly possessions consisting of every thing I possess (after my debts are payed) both personal & moveable property - I then I give and bequeath unto Caleb Capps my beloved son all the western part of my plantation from the main road down as far as my cleared

Land reaches or a branch dividing my high Land from the woodland - To my beloved son Joel Capps I give and bequeath all the eastern side of my plantation as far as it reaches - Caleb Capps to have liberty to feed on the marsh his cattle & horses in case he the said Caleb will do his duty by keeping up an equal part of said fence - The remainder of my land which is woodland, I give and bequeath to my sons Caleb and Joel Capps for the use of the Plantations and their heirs forever (for fear of dispute it may or must be equally divided).

I then I give and bequeath unto Newton Capps one negro boy named Frances to him and his heirs forever after his mothers death. To my three sons Caleb, Joel & Newton Capps I give and bequeath one bed & furniture each - all the rest of my property out of doors or in doors I give to my beloved daughter Elizabeth Capps I leave and ordain this my last Will and testament to be executed by my executor my wife Elizabeth Capps - In testimony of the above being my last Will & testament we the undersigned are witnesses Decr 10th 1827.

Test
 George H. Devenish
 William Capps
 Stevan Williams Secrat

Joel Capps

North Carolina, Brunswick Co. May T. 1831
 This last Will & testament of Joel Capps was exhibited & proved in open Court by oath of Stevan Williams subscribing witness Thirteenth named Qualifed in due form of Law &c

J. H. H. H. H. H.

Recorded Jan'y 26th 1832 by
 J. G. Hall