

and their heirs forever.

I leave my son Anthony Simmons whom I nominate, and constitute and appoint sole executor of this my last will & testament - hereby revoking all the former wills by me at any time heretofore made in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & thirty

Test before me, Holloway Jurat
Tully ^{his} F. Walker Polly ^{her} Whitthurst ^{mark}

Signed, sealed, published & discharged by the said testator Polly Whitthurst as the last will and testament in presence of us the subscribing witnesses &c

State of North Carolina, Currituck Co. November Term 1830
This Last Will & Testament of Polly Whitthurst was exhibited & proved in open court by the oath of Thomas C. Holloway subscribing witness thereto & ordered recorded - When Anthony Simmons the executor thereto came into court & qualified in due form of Law & ordered that letters testamentary issue &c J. H. Hall

Recorded Jan'y 24th 1832 by J. H. Hall

The Last Will & Testament of Edward Cheel Decd proved at February Term 1831

In the name of God Amen. I Edward Cheel being weak and sick of body, but of sound & disposing mind, memory and calling to mind the uncertainty of human life and that it is appointed for man to die, do make this my last Will & Testament in manner and form following viz
I give and bequeath unto my wife Sarah Cheel my land & all that I possess within doors and without during her natural life or widowhood - I then and after the death or marriage of my Sarah Cheel, I give

and bequeath to my daughter Henrietta C. Cheel my Land and all I possess within doors and without as aforesaid to her & hers forever.

Lastly - I hereby constitute appoint and ordain my trusty friend Abel Jones whole executor to this my last will & testament - signed, sealed, pronounced
I declared in presence of ^{his} Edw C. Cheel
Hosea Ball Jurat ^{mark}

Edw C. Cheel
North Carolina Currituck Co. Feb'y Term 1831

This Last Will & Testament of Edward Cheel was exhibited & proved in open court in due form of Law by the oath of Hosea Ball subscribing witness thereto & ordered recorded - And at the same time Abel Jones the executor thereto came into open court & qualified in due form of Law & ordered that letters testamentary issue J. H. Hall

Recorded Jan'y 24th 1832 by J. H. Hall

The Last Will & Testament of Joseph Bell Decd proved at February Term 1831

In the name of God, Amen, I Joseph Bell of Currituck County, being in a very low state of health, but in my perfect senses and sound disposing mind, thanks be to almighty God am for it, do make, constitute and ordain this my last will & testament in manner form as follows.
I give the use of my land & plantation to my beloved wife Elizabeth Bell during her natural life and after her decease I give and bequeath the aforesaid Land & plantation to Dennis West son of young Willoughby West to him & his heirs forever.
I then I give to my sister Sally Bell Twenty five dollars to be raised out of my estate - I then I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Bell all the remainder of my property after paying my just debts to her and her heirs forever - Lastly I nominate and appoint my trusty friend Jonah Joliff

executors to this my last will & testament revoking
all former wills ^{made} by me - In testis
mony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed my seal this 18th day of December
1830.

Signed, sealed, published and
declared to be the last will
testament of the testator
in presence of us
Jesse Moore Esq
Stephen F. Garrett Esq
J. M. J. G. J. G. J. G.

Joseph ^{his} * Bill ^{mark} 

State of Maryland, Cumberland p. February Term 1831

This Last Will & Testament of Joseph Bill
was exhibited & proved in open Court by
the oath of Stephen Garrett & Jesse Moore
subscribing witnesses thereto & ordered entered
and at the same time Josiah G. J. G. the
executor thereto came into open Court
& qualified in due form of Law & orders
that letters testamentary issue

Recorded Jan'y 24th 1832 J. H. Hall clk
J. G. J. G. J. G.

The Last Will & Testament of Josiah Sorey Esq
Exhibited & proved February Term 1831.

In the name of God Amen. I Josiah Sorey
of the County of Cumberland & State of North
Carolina, being weak in body, but of
sound mind and memory, make and
advise this my last Will & Testament in
manner & form following viz

1st I give to my wife Dinah Sorey two beds,
and furniture one buffet and all therein
two tables and thirteen setting chairs, one
looking glass, one clock, one gig & harness
one Linen wheel and reel one loom &
harness and all the kitchen furniture
and one great wheel, two head of horses
one yoke of steers & cart & two chains, one
horse cart & harness four cows & yearlings
first choice, all the hogs which is fed

at the place called Banks and also the
gang which is fed at home, Eight head
of sheep and eighty barrels of corn &
Eighteen hundred weight of Pork, also
one negro woman named Nancy and
old Daniel, one woman named Pleasant
also little Daniel to her and her heirs forever
also one negro girl named Eloya to her & her
and her heirs forever

2nd I lend the Plantation whereon I now
live to my wife Dinah during her life time

3rd I give to my brother Dennis Sorey one
negro man viz & the blacksmith tools
one boy named Lewis also one boy named
Jack and the Plantation now in his
possession which I bought from Wm
Holt to him & his heirs forever also one
mule

4th I give Mariah Gibson one negro
girl named Linnen, one bed & furniture
one Linen wheel

5th I give the plantation and land whereon
I now live at the death of my wife Dinah
Sorey to my three stepsons Early Dudge
Pitkin Dudge & Carter Bradley to them
and their heirs forever

6th I leave the residue of my estate not given
away to be sold and after paying my
just debts, the remainders if any, to be
equally divided between my wife and
my brother Dennis Sorey

7th I appoint my brother Dennis Sorey my
whole & sole executor to this my last will
& testament - revoking and disannulling
all other wills by me made - In witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed my seal this December 26th 1830

apigned acknowledged toat ^{his} Josiah Sorey ^{mark} 

Signed & then given in
State of Maryland, Cumberland p. Feb'y Term 1831
This last will & Testament of Josiah Sorey was exhibited
& proved in open Court by the oath of Josiah Sorey & others
standing & subscribing witnesses thereto & ordered recorded
where the executor thereto came into open Court & qualified
in due form of Law & orders that letters testamentary
issue

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