

Item. Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint Thomas Poynor
my whole and sole executor of this my last will and testament.
In witness whereof I have written, set my hand and seal
this 15th day of June 1813.

Signed sealed pronounced published Thomas + Heath seal
and declared by the testator to be his
last will and Testament in his presence of us

Thomas Poynor
his mark
Edward X Taylor
mark

Recorded & Examined the day of

In the name of God Amen.

I Dancy Ethridge of Currituck
county and state of North Carolina being well in body,
but in my right mind and of a disposing memory think
proper to make this my last will and Testament as follows.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my son William Ethridge
five shillings to be raised out of my estate to him and his
heirs forever. Item. I give land bequeath unto my
daughter Lucy Thornton five shillings to her and her heirs
forever. Item. I leave the use of all my estate both with
doors and without, of every nature and kind, to my well
beloved wife Elizabeth Ethridge, during her widowhood
and at the expiration of her widowhood either by death
or marriage, then all that remains to be sold at publick
auction, and the money to be equally divided between
my four children namely, Joel, Chloe, Franklin, Josiah
Ethridge, to them and their heirs forever, and Lastly
I nominate constitute and appoint my wife Elizabeth
Ethridge and my friend John Sorey my executors of this
my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I have
set my hand and seal this twenty six day of September
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight
hundred and thirteen.

Signed, sealed & delivered

in presence of

Jos. John Hill
Dugay + Sorey

Silvia + Ellis Purat

Recorded & Examined the day of

Dancy + Ethridge seal
mark

(31)
In the name of God Amen.

I John Davis of the county of
Currituck and state of North Carolina, being of sound and disposing
mind and memory, do make and ordain this my last will and
testament in manner and form following, that is to say. First
that all my debts be paid and discharged by my executor herein
after named. I give to my son and to Samuel Dowdy my big
canoe and sail, I give my gun the musket to Isaac Dowdy. I
give and bequeath my house to my wife Anna Davis, likewise
I give ~~all~~ all my land to my wife during her life, and all my
cattle, and furthermore I give her all my property
in doors and out doors, during her life time, and after
my wifes decease, I give it all to be equally divided between
Samuel Dowdy and Isaac Dowdy. Lastly I do make
and constitute my wife and Samuel Dowdy Executrix
of this my last will and Testament dated this 5th day of
October in the year of our Lord 1812.

Test. John Conway

Isaac Merard Trust

Recorded & Examined the day of

John Davis seal

In the name of God Amen.

I John Hill a citizen of the county
of Currituck and state of North Carolina, being in a fair state of
bodily health but of sound mind and disposing memory, do
think it expedient to dispose of my worldly estate as follows.

Item. I lend to my wife Elizabeth Hill during the time of her
marriage or widowhood, the use and possession of a part of the lands
and plantation, wherein I now live, being bounded as follows,
beginning at a ditch on the westward part of the plantation adjoin-
ing the lands belonging to the heirs of John Bowen dec'd, thence
binding on said ditch nearly an east course through the plan-
tation, thence a straight line through the woodland to a water
hole, at the head of a branch, thence northwardly binding on
said said branch to the person, thence westwardly binding on
said person to the mouth of a branch, being the line the line
between the said land and the lands of Dancy Jones, thence up
said branch to a post, being a line post between said lands of
Dancy Jones & the heirs of John Bowen dec'd, thence southward-
ly to the first beginning, containing by estimation forty five
acres, be the same noble or less. Further give and
leave to her and her heirs forever one negro girl named
Rose, one horse and two cows and calves of her own