

land my bond calls for, and lastly I do hereby make & appoint my wife Ann Ellison and my son in law Matthew Ward full and sole Executor of this my last will and Testament and declaring this to be my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand. Test Isaac Hornig June Ellison.

June ^{his} ^{mark} Ellison
 State of N^c Carolina } July Term 1804.
 Duplin County } Thus was the within will of June Ellison proved in Court in due form of law by the oath of Isaac Hornigay one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be Recorded and at October Term 1804. Matthew Ward one of the Executors named in the said will came before the Court and Qualified as an Executor to the said will according to law. — Ordered that Letters issue accordingly.
 Test W^m Pickens C.C.

1 State of N^c Carolina } In the name of God Amen.
 Duplin County } I James Evans of the State and County aforesaid being weak and in a low State of health but of sound mind and memory and calling to mind the Mortality of my body and that it ordained of God once for man to die. Have ordained this my last will and Testament in manner and form as followeth viz: 1st I recommend my soul to God who gave it — and my body to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner by my Executors who I shall hereafter nominate and appoint. 2^d It is my will that all my just debts be first paid out of my movable Estate. — 3^d I give to my well beloved wife Elizabeth during her natural life, my house and all that part of my Plantation from the second bottom above my Orchard down the swamp to Mr. Mapells line — Beginning at a gum a corner of a four hundred acre survey. Being her own and James Mapells corner that stands partly west of the Plantation thence a corner to strike the head of the second bottom (aforesaid) in the field and from thence to a pine in the head of a small branch West of Fanny Gallions House — it being her corner and Evans corner — Thence the various courses of Fanny Gallions

lines George Rouse line & Thomas Garrison line to Mapells line — Thence Mapells line to his corner. Formerly Mellersons Map and said Evans corner thence to the beginning the gum all which land I give to her my said wife during her natural life time — And she should again marry after my decease — Thence in that case it is my will that the lower half of said land & plantation be laid off to my son James Evans — and it is my will and desire that, that after the decease of my said wife — Elizabeth — that the whole described land aforesaid devolve to my said son James Evans as his full share of all my Lands more or less. 4th I give and bequeath to my son William Benton Evans all that part of my land lying South of my Plantation — and joining to the above described Lands. — Beginning at Wags and his own corner at a spruce pine in the head of a small branch called Tarikhin branch. — Thence a long way line to Lewis Hodgman's line and John Robinson line to a white Oak — Thence a straight line to Mapells line the Mr. Cartwells branch near Carrs ford — Thence Mapells line to Millers old corner — Thence a straight line to Wags corner — Thence beginning all which land I give and bequeath to my said son William Benton Evans as his full share of all my Lands more or less. 5th I give and bequeath to my son David Evans all that part of my land and part of my Plantation lying above and joining the other two described tracts or parcels of land. Beginning at the gum aforesaid Mapells & Evans corner running thence to the head of the second bottom above the orchard in the field. Thence to the head of the small branch near Fannys field a pine Fannys & Evans corner — Thence I give line to Mr. Mapells and along Mapells line to said Evans own line to a gum — The Beginning. All which land I give and bequeath to my said son David Evans his full share of all my lands more or less. 6th I give to my well beloved son Benjamin Evans Ten Shillings to be paid out of my Estate by my Executors. 7th I give to my well beloved daughter Rebecca Evans Ten Shillings to be paid out of my estate by my Executors. 8th I give to my well beloved daughter Margaret Mapell Ten Shillings to be paid by my Executors. 9th I give to my well

Beloved Son William B. Evans Ten Shillings to be paid out of my Estate by Executors. 10th I give to my well beloved Son David Evans Ten Shillings to be paid out of my Estate by my Executors. - 11th I give to my well beloved Son James Evans Ten Shillings to be paid by my Executors out of my Estate. 12th I give to my well beloved Daughter Elizabeth Evans Ten Shillings to be paid by my Executors. 13th I lend to my well beloved wife Elizabeth during her natural life my Negro Wench Cathu which after her decease shall devolve to her heirs. - 14th It is my will that all the residue and remainder of my Estate both real and personal be and remain in the hands of my said wife Elizabeth for and during her widowhood - for to enable her the better to raise and school my children - Butler care my said wife should marry again after my decease then in that case my whole Estate shall devolve to the management of my Executors to be divided between my children aforesaid share and share alike - after dividing and giving of to my said wife Elizabeth in full her child's share ^{portion} of my Negro wench Cathu. 15th It is also my will and desire that after my decease - if any of my children should marry or settle to themselves, that my Executors with the consent of my said wife if they think proper and it can be spared from the support of the family they give of us part of their share of the Estate as they may think proper. 16th And I hereby constitute and appoint my Trustee and worthy friend Charles Hooks & James Dickson Junior - my Executors to this my last will and Testament - hereby revoking and disannulling all former or other Wills by me made previous to the present date hereof. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this sixth day of December 1801. Signed, Sealed, & delivered in the presence of us.

Test & Jno Hunter & Hogan Hunter, James Frederick.

James Evans Seal.

State of 7th Carolina } April Term 1802.

Duplin County } There was the within will proved in open Court in due form of Law by the oath of John Hunter & Hogan Hunter two of the subscribing witnesses thereto. And at the same time Charles Hooks and James Dickson the Executors

named in the said will came before the Court and qualified as such according to Law. And that letters issue accordingly. Test W^m Dickson C.C.

In the name of God amen December the twenty seventh day one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine. I Michel Egell of the County of Duplin being of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God for the same and calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner following. principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul to God that gave it and for my body I recommend it to the earth to be buried in a Christian like manner at the direction of my Executors and touching my worldly Estate I leave to my wife Sarah all my worldly Estate in during her life time or widowhood for the support of my child to be made my if no other way after her death or widow hood I give and bequeath all that remains after my wife Sarah Egell death or widowhood then to be equally divided between my right and Benjamin Egell and Reubin Egell and William Egell and Jacob Valley and George Egell and Nancy Egell and Phiney Egell and Elizabeth Sutton and Faniel Egell all after paying my just debts due and demands. Revoking all other Wills and Testaments in witness whereof I have thereto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written signed sealed published and delivered by the testator to be his last will and Testament in the presence of us: Jacob Mathis William Mathis. And further I appoint and leave Reubin Egell and William Egell as Executors of this My last will and Testament.

Michel ^{Jun} Egell Seal.

State of 7th Carolina } July Term 1800.

Duplin County } There was the within will proved in open Court by the oath of Jacob Mathis and William Mathis the subscribing witnesses thereto; and at the same time Reubin Egell and William Egell the Executors named in the said will came before the Court and qualified as such.

Beloved Son William B. Evans Ten Shillings to be paid out of my Estate by Executors. 10th I give to my well beloved Son David Evans Ten Shillings to be paid out of my Estate by my Executors. - 11th I give to my well beloved Son James Evans Ten Shillings to be paid by my Executors out of my Estate. 12th I give to my well beloved daughter Elizabeth Evans Ten Shillings to be paid by my Executors. 13th I bid to my well beloved wife Elizabeth during her natural life my Negro Wench Esther which after her decease shall belong to her heirs. - 14th It is my will that all the residue and remainder of my Estate both real and personal be and remain in the hands of my said wife Elizabeth for and during her widowhood - for to Enable her the better to raise and school my Children - But in case my said wife should marry again after my decease then in that case my whole Estate shall devolve to the management of my Executors to be divided between my Children aforesaid share and share alike - after dividing and giving of to my said wife Elizabeth in full her Childs share Exclusion of my Negro wench Esther. 15th It is also my will and desire that after my decease - if any of my Children should marry or settle to themselves, that my Executors with the consent of my said wife if they think proper and it can be spared from the support of the family they give of in part of their share of the Estate as they may think proper. 16th And I hereby constitute and appoint my Trustee and worthy friend Charles Hooks & James Dickson Junior - my Executors to this my last will and Testament - hereby revoking and disannulling all former or other Wills by me made previous to the present date hereof. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this sixth day of December 1801. Signed, Sealed, & delivered in the presence of us.

James Evans Seal
 Jm & Jas Hunter & Logan Hunter, James Frederick.

State of N^c Carolina } April Term 1802.
 Duplin County } There was the within will proved in open Court in due form of Law by the oath of John Hunter & Logan Hunter two of the subscribing witnesses thereto. And at the same time Charles Hooks and James Dickson the Executors

named in the said will came before the court and qualified as such according to Law. And that letters were accordingly
 Jm W^m Dickson C.C.

In the name of God Amen December the twenty seventh day one thousand seven hundred and ninety three. I Michel Egell of the County of Duplin being of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God for the same and calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner following. principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul to God that gave it and for my body I recommend it to the earth to be buried in a Christian like manner at the direction of my Executors and touching my worldly Estate I leave to my wife Sarah all my worldly Estate in during her life time or widowhood for the support of my children to be made my if no other way after her death or widow hood I give and bequeath all that remains after my wife Sarah Egell death or widowhood then to be equally divided between my right and Benjamin Egell and Ruben Egell and William Egell and Jacob Valley and George Egell and Nancy Egell and Henry Egell and Elizabeth Sutton and Fehick Egell all after paying my just debts due and demanded. Revoking all other Wills and Testaments in witness whereof I have this unto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written signed sealed published and delivered by the testator to be his last will and Testament in the presence of us: Jacob Matthias William Matthias. And further I appoint and leave Ruben Egell and William Egell as Executors of this My last will and Testament.

Michel ^{his} Egell Seal
 State of N^c Carolina } July Term 1800.
 Duplin County } There was the within Will proved in open Court by the oath of Jacob Matthias and William Matthias the subscribing witnesses thereto; and at the same time Ruben Egell and William Egell the Executors named in the said will came before the Court and qualified as such.