

do make and and ordain this to be my last will and testament in the manner and form as follows - First I recommend my soul to God that give it me and that my body have decent burial at the discretion of my executor hereafter mentioned - Secondly I will that as much of my property that can be best spared from the use of my family, be sold to pay my debts, and the remaining part of property of every nature and kind whatsoever to remain in the possession of my beloved wife Hannah Webb the use of her support with her children during her natural life or widowhood with the crop now planted on the plantation and in case of her marriage or there should appear to be useless wast of the property then and in such case the Executor herein mentioned may have equal division of the property between my beloved wife Hannah Webb and his two children Sally Webb and John W. Webb, and in order to put the within will into execution, I appoint my friend John Grib Executor to this my last will and testament, do witness my hand and seal at Duplin this second day of May in the year of our Lord and in 1816

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of us the above Hannah Webb intended before signed John T. Peachy, David Carr.

Samuel^{his} Webb (Real mark)

State of N^C Carolinas
Duplin County

July Term 1816

The within will was duly proved in open Court by the oath of Timothy Peachy and David Carr the subscribing witnesses thereto. And at the same time John Green the executor named in said will came before the Court and qualified as such according to law ordered that letters were accordingly

Let Mr. Jackson Cl

November the 1st Day 1775

I. Abelson Westow being weak and low in spirit the in proper sense at present, do make this my last will and testament. This I do give and bequeath unto my Nephew Ruben Westow, son of Ruben Westow, my plantation with two hundred and fifty acres of land thereunto belonging to be received at the age of twenty-one years. This I do leave John Ingers to have the plantation till the coming of the boy, coming of age to him, then years out free and to clear two acre of land for every year he lives on it afterwards and paying the rest free-finding the time he was on it. This I do give unto John Ingers all the corn there is on the plantation

tation now, and two hundred weight of pork two cows and pigs and a work beast to rise next summer &c. This I do give to my Nephew Bethens Weston daughter of Ruben Weston one feather bed and furniture &c. I do give unto my brother Ruben Weston all my horses and hogs and tools and saddle and two beds &c. Except ~~one~~ I give unto my nephew Lawrence Weston daughter of Ruben Weston & I do give all my sister unto my nephew Josepheth Weston daughter of Ruben Weston &c. Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of us John Sullivan & Benjamin Snipes Delinick P. Outlaw - Abelson^{his} & Weston (Real mark)

In the name of God Amen.

The 22 d day of January in the year of our Lord 1798

I John Wright of Duplin County in the State of North Carolina being aged and infirm and in a low state of bodily health, but of a perfect sound mind and memory thanks be 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 and form following, that is to say. I recommend my soul to God who gave it and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my executor my willed estate to disposed of in the manner following - I bequeath to my beloved wife Rebeckah Wright. I leave the whole plantation whereon I now live (including all my lands from the Oaks near the plum tree upon the hill by the swamp running a direct course from thence up by son David Wright where the road runs formerly in the my sons Thomas Wright him during his natural life which land I do now possess and have not heretofore disposed of with all the improvements and appertainances thereto in any wise belonging and my half of the still and all my negroes except such as are herein given and otherwise bequeathed, with all my stock of every kind whatsover, including all my hives cattle hogs and sheep, to her during her own life. Then I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Rebeckah all my house hold and kitchen furniture of every kind whatsoever to dispose of as she may think proper, and my willed estate also to dispose of as she pleases, which she is to enjoy without interruption - Then to my son Thomas Wright I give and bequeath after the decease of his said mother Rebeckah that part of my land whereon I now live the west side of the avenue, the line to begin at this corner at the trees where the old still formerly stood, and to run thence with the avenue including my