

Richard Cooper, David Cooper; Qualifies.

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State of N^c Carolina } October Term 1787.

Duplin County } There was the within Will proved in
open Court in due form of Law by the Oath of Richard
Cooper and David Cooper. And at the same time Richard
Cooper one of the Executors named in the said will,
came before the court and Qualified as an Executor
to the said Will; Ordains that letters issue accordingly.

Test W^m Dickson C.C.

State of N^c Carolina, Duplin County. To all whom these
presents May come Greetings; Know ye; that I Ephraim
Garrison Being Seized of a deadly disease and knowing
how frail I am But being in perfect mind and
memory as I ever was in my life. Through the hope that
I Have of a glorious Resurrection through my Lord and
Savior Jesus Christ. Do give my soul to god that gave
it and my body to The grave to be Buried at the discre-
tion of my Executors. Whom I shall hereafter constitute and
appoint. as also I give and Bequeath alony Worldly Goods &
Estate in the following manner. and First I order all my
just debts to be paid By my Executors. Item. I give and
Bequeath to my loving Child Polly Garrison fifty acres of
Land Being the piece which my mother now live upon
and one cow and calf. Except the child now in the womb
of my wife. Should be a boy which if it live and is a man
child then the aforementioned piece of land shall be my
sons David Garrison, Item. I give and Bequeath to my
son David Garrison one hundred acres of land bought of
Philis Roue and one cow and calf with its increase. Except
the aforementioned child in my wifes womb should be a
boy then the afore said hundred acres of Land to be my
son Thomas Garrisons. Item I give and Bequeath to my
son Thomas Garrison one hundred acres of Land Being
the Plantation which I now live upon and one Cow
& calf with their increase. With the former exception being
made Concerning the aforementioned Child in the womb which

it should be a Boy the within mentioned hundred
 Acres of Land, which I now live on, to belong to
 that Child and its name to be called Ephram
 Garrison. Item I give and bequeath to my loving
 Wife Jemmy Garrison all and singular my household
 furniture and plantation tools and the Remainder of
 my stock of Hogs Cattle and sheep and horses, Except
 one Cow and calf. Which I give and bequeath to
 my trusty friend Elizabeth Stuckland. And now I
 constitute and appoint my Loving wife Jemmy Garrison
 and my trusty friend William Carr, and my friend
 and Brother Thomas Garrison As executors to this
 my last Will disanulling all others made heretofore.
 In Witness thereof I have hereunto set my Hand & Seal.
 This 27 Day of November 1792. Signed and sealed In presence
 of. Me. W^m McCame. Joseph Merrill.

Ephram Garrison (Seal)

State of N^c Carolina } January Term 1793.

Duplin County } There was the within Will proved
 in open Court in due form of Law by the Oath of
 Joseph Merrill one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto.
 Ordered the said Will be Recorded. And at the same time
 John Garrison the Executor named in the said Will
 and Thomas Garrison one of the Executors named in the
 said Will came before the Court and Decalified according
 to Law. Ordered that letters issue accordingly.

Test W^m Dickson C.C.

In the name of God amen. I John Jones of the
 State of N^c Carolina Duplin County being weak in
 body but of sound and perfect mind and memory
 blessed be Almighty God for the same do make and
 publish this my last will and testament in manner
 and form following viz: first I give and bequeath unto
 my beloved wife Elizabeth Jones one bed and furniture and
 also all my household furniture that I do now possess
 and one cow and calf and one steer or heifer and horse
 valued at ten dollars and also my home and plantation