

as his last will and Testament in the presence  
of us who were present at the time of signing  
and sealing thereof. Dan Hicks Jas Thomson. Sermon  
Hicks.

Elizabeth <sup>in</sup> Kewan <sup>mark</sup> Cal.

Date of N<sup>o</sup> Carolina | January 1<sup>st</sup> 1793.

Duplin County

Here was the witness will proved in open Court  
by the oath of Daniel Hicks one of the subscribing  
witnesses thereto in the name of Last & C. Ordered  
the said will be filed.

Last W<sup>m</sup> Dickson C.C.

Duplin County | October 1<sup>st</sup> 1793

George Moroney one of the Executors of the  
last will and Testament of Elizabeth Kewan deceased  
came before the court and deposed according  
to Law - Ordered that Letters issue accordingly.

Last W<sup>m</sup> Dickson C.C.

In the name of God amen this 19<sup>th</sup> day of November  
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred  
and sixty two. I Henry King of Duplin County and  
Province of North Carolina being of perfect mind and  
Memory and understanding to make and ordain this  
my last will and Testament in manner and form  
following viz: First I recommend my soul to God  
that give it me and for any Body I recommend to  
the Earth to be buried in a Christian like and  
descent manner at the direction of my executors.  
Nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall  
receive the same again by the mighty power of God as  
Touching worldly estate wherewith it hath been pleased  
God to bless me in this life I give and bequeath as  
followeth. Item I give and bequeath to my well beloved  
wife Ann King our Negro man named Dobin and our  
feather bed and furniture and our Rose Bay mare and  
her riding saddle and bridle and three head of sheep  
and my two work horses I leave for the use of the

plantation. Item I give and bequeath to my son  
Henry King our negro boy named Ned with one  
feather bed and furniture and four head of sheep  
and three cows and calves and three head of other  
cattle and my foaming mare colt named Sparkle  
and three sons and pigs to him and his heirs  
for ever and one hundred acres of land lying  
below where I now live on the <sup>Six Rigs</sup> Six Rigs Swamp.  
Item I give and bequeath to my son Henry King the  
first child that my negro woman named Cloe  
has that lives to be two years old with three  
head of sheep and three cows and calves and three head  
of other cattle and three sons and pigs and one  
gray mare and a yearling horse colt and my  
plantation wherein I now live. Item I give and  
bequeath to my daughter Mary King the second child  
that the above named Cloe has to live to be two  
years old with three head of sheep and three cows  
and calves and three head of other cattle and one  
gray mare and one feather bed and furniture  
and three sons and pigs to her and her heirs forever.  
Item I give and bequeath to my son Charles King  
the above named Negro woman Cloe with three head  
of sheep and three cows and calves and three head  
of other cattle and three sons and pigs and one feather  
bed and one shot gun and one bay horse and one  
black mare and a yearling horse. Item my will  
and desire is that the hundred acres of Land that  
I bought of W<sup>m</sup> Alexander McCollum <sup>50 1/2</sup> lying on Bacon  
Ridge swamp to be divided and one gray horse to raise  
money to pay my debts. Item I give and bequeath  
to my well beloved wife Ann King all the rest of my  
stock that is not yet given towards the raising of  
my children and the rest of my house hold goods  
not yet mentioned to be equally divided between my  
four children above named and my well beloved  
wife Ann King. Item and I desire that the part of  
Negro that falls to me after my mother death to

be equally divided between my four children above named, and I likewise constitute make and ordain my well beloved wife Anna King and Michael King and Abraham Harris my only and sole Executrix of this my Last will and Testament accd I so humbly utterly disavow revoke and disallow any other Testament or will by me in any wise before this time named attested and Confirming this to be my Last will and Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and fixed my seal the day and year first above written. Signed, Sealed by the said Henry King as his Last will and Testament in the presence of us the subscribers. John Farborough Sub. John King. James Farborough.

Henry King *Seal*

The 5<sup>th</sup> day of the 12<sup>th</sup> month 1783. Be it Remembred that I Dennis Kennedy of the County of Duplin and State of North Carolina, being in my sound mind and Perfect Memory but being weak and Remembiring the mortality of my Body do make and ordain this my Last will and Testament in manner and form following Imprimis my Books I leave to be equally divided amongst all my children. Item. All my other moveable Estate I leave to be sold out of the Price of which I desire my just debts to be paid over this part of the remainder I give to my beloved wife Rhoda and as much of the other part as my Executor shall think necessary. I leave to be applied to the use of Raining and schooling my younger children. All my Lands I leave to be ruled out until my youngest Child arrives to the age of twenty one years, then this part of the rents of which I give to my wife likewise at which time I desire all my lands may be sold. To my daughter Rachel. I give Twenty Shillings only except her part of the Books the remaining money I leave to be Equally Divided amongst my other children. And my will and desire is that my

aboreward Children be under the care of my Executor to remain with their mother or to be bound out among friends as they shall think best for their Education. Lastly I do nominate appoint and ordain my two friends William Lancaster and John Kennedy Executors to this my Last will and Testament and my wife Executrix. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hands and affixed my seal the day and year above written. Signed, Sealed, Published and delivered in presence of John Moore, Joseph Packer, Absalom Kinney, Dennis Kennedy *Seal*

State of N<sup>o</sup> Carolina } April Court 1784.  
Duplin County }

This was the within will proved in open court in due form of Law by the affirmation of John Moore and Absalom Kinney two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and at the same time William Lancaster and John Kennedy two of the Executors named in the said Will came before the Court and Qualified as Executors to the said will according to Law. Ordered that letters issue accordingly.

Set. Richardson C.C.

North Carolina }

Duplin County } August the 15<sup>th</sup> A.D. one thousand eight hundred and twenty five. In the name of God I Abram Kornegay being of sound mind and memory do this day make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following viz: first I leave to my wife Anna Kornegay all my property during her natural Life or widowhood and after her decease or widowhood, I give to my three oldest daughters one dollar each. I then give to my three sons and youngest daughter the remaining part to be equally divided between them &c. And I hereby make and ordain my worthy friend Henry Kornegay Executor of this my last will and Testament in the presence of us who were present at the time of signing and sealing thereof &c.