

Thirty one shillings sterling to be paid out of my estate I then I give to my beloved daughter Jeremiah Parker one hundred acres of land on Graham Swamp being a part of the land whereon I now live and the feathers of an old bird. I then I give to my loving wife Susanna Parker the rest of the aforesaid tract of land lying up the mill branch with the improvements as also my house cattle and hogs sheep and household goods with all and every appurtenance to me belonging after my estate being paid I also constitute my wife Susanna Parker and my daughter Jeremiah Parker joint executrix of this my last will and testament in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this second day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy nine. Sealed, Signed, published and declared in presence of us. Thos. Cheshire. Jesse Brock.

Williamth Parker

State of N^c Carolina } April Term 1780.
Duplin County }

There was the within will proved in open Court in due form of law by the oath of Thomas Cheshire and ordered to be recorded.

Test. W. Dickson C. C.

In the name of God Amen I James Parrall of the State of North Carolina and County of Duplin being of sound mind and memory do make this my last will and testament in manner following First I give and bequeath to my wife Anne Parrall during her natural life or her full right of dower, three hundred and twenty acres of land patented by Rur. Coates which I purchased from David Widdowson, to include my dwelling house and likewise forty three acres of pine woods lying in front of the plantation which I purchased of John Guinn patented by Joseph Guinn - I also

give and bequeath to my said wife Anne one negro man named Jack one negro woman named Betty and one negro girl named Cady my riding chair harness and horse to be of the colour of my horse and all my household and "Kitchen" furniture to her and her heirs forever. Next I give and bequeath all the lands that I possess in the County and also in the State of Tennessee unto my six sons viz. Edward, James, Jeremiah, Jo, Dabson, Hugh, and William Parrall to be equally divided between them. Next I give and bequeath to my son Edward Parrall one hundred dollars which is to be considered his full share of my personal estate together with three negro men horse and other things which I have given him by deed of gift to him and his heirs forever. Next I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary W^c Parrall the following negroes Sal big Sam little Sam and Sal also sixty dollars in money which is to be considered as his share of my estate together with some other property given her that is not named to her and her heirs forever. Next I give and bequeath to my son James Parrall my negro woman Nancy and my negro boy Arthur one mare one bed and one hundred and fifty dollars in money to him and his heirs forever. Next I give and bequeath to my son in law James W^c Parrall the three following negroes Selmy Bob and Bil one bed and some other articles already received. Next I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Parrall my negro boy ~~all~~ and negro girl Cate one hundred and fifty dollars in money and one feather bed and furniture. Next I give and bequeath to my seven youngest children (to wit) Anne, Jeremiah, ~~Jo~~ James, Jo, Dabson, Hugh, Truby and William Parrall the twenty one following negroes: - W^c Samir, Charles, old Slow Penny young Coker Charlotte

Hagar Ben mums Daniel old Phillis Beck Warrall
young Daniel Sedra Jacob Henry selford young
Phillis Rose Florence and Simon to be equally
divided between them as they arrive at lawful
age or marriage. Next I give and leave to my
daughters Lucy Jane and Fanny Parnall
one hundred dollar each to be raised out of
my estate by my Executors next my will and
desire is in order that all my debts and
funeral charges be paid that my Executors do
sell all my stock of every kind plantation tools
and what provisions can be spared at six
months credit and the — — — arising from
such sale to be equally divided amongst all my
children. Lastly I constitute and appoint my sons
Edward Parnall and James Parnall and my
friends James Hall and Thomas Maltin Executors
of this my last will and testament hereby making
all former wills by me made in witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26th
of September 1812. Signed Sealed and Declared to be
the last will and testament of James Parnall in
presence of S. Graham, Chas Parnall, Henry Johnson.

James Parnall Test

State of N^o Carolina }
Duplin County } January Term 1813.
The within will of James Parnall deceased was laid
before the Court and proved in due form of law by
the oath of Edward Parnall his son and Henry Johnson
two of the subscribing witnesses thereto and at
the same time Edward Parnall and James Parnall
James Hall and Thomas Maltin the Executors named
in the said will came before the Court and
qualified as such according to law. Ordered that
letters issue accordingly.

Test. Wm. Dickson C.C.

In the name of God amen. — I Joseph D Parnall
of the County of Duplin in the State of North
Carolina being of sound and disposing mind and
memory do make and ordain that to be my
last will and testament in manner and form
as follows. First I commend my soul to Almighty
God who gave it me and my body to a
decent grave Second I give and bequeath to my
sister Fanny Parnall my Land in Duplin County
on the following condition viz. if she marries
and has a living child to live and live here
forever, and if she don't marry and have a child
the Land at her death (till which time she is
to enjoy it) to be sold by my Executors in such
way as he may think best, and the money arising
from the sale of the same, to be divided equally
between my Brothers and sisters living after named
Third, I wish my Executors to dispose off (on such
credit as he may think best) the balance of my
property of every kind (my notes excepted) and the
money arising from such sale to be equally divided
between my brothers Jeremiah Parnall Hugh Parnall
and William D Parnall and my sister Ann
Oliver and Lucy S. Parnall and they to enjoy
the same then their and assigns forever and should
my sister Fanny Parnall die without a child or
children they to enjoy the proceeds of my Land
in Duplin then and their heirs and assigns
forever Fourth & Last I nominate and appoint my
brother Jeremiah Parnall Executor to and of this
my last will and testament and for the trouble
which he may be at in executing it I give to him
ten shillings and assigns forever. In testimony whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and seal this
2nd day of April 1827. Signed Sealed and published
by the Testator, as his last will and testament.
Before us. (2 witnesses before signed) Euse Parnall, Singleton
Huggins
Jo. D. Parnall Test