

and appoint my friends John Ingrame Esqr. and Jonathan Thomas Sole executor of this my last will and Testament. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 22nd day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Twenty. Signed, Sealed, pronounced, and declared, by the said William Guy, as his last will and Testament, in the presence of us who in his presence and in presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names. Attest. E. D. Fenigan. James Byrd.

William ^{his}_{mark} Guy (e)

A Codicil.

I William Guy, do also have one other negro woman by the name of Nancy to be sold, and the money to be divided between all my children, not allowing the said negro woman Nancy to be sold out of my family. Attest. E. D. Fenigan. James Byrd.

W^{his}_{mark} Guy (e)

Duplin County } July Term 1820.

There was the within will proved in open Court by the oath of Jas. Byrd and ordered to be recorded.

Jas Pearson Clk.

In the name of God Amen. The fourth day of December in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Nine. I John Gibbs Sen. of the County of Duplin in the state of North Carolina, being of ^{sound} sound mind and memory, but being aged and in low state of bodily health, and believing that my latter end is approaching. have thought the present time the most proper to settle my temporal affairs. do therefore make and ordain this to be my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say. First I will that all my just debts and funeral charges be paid out of my estate and have put property (Kustofen) into the hands of my son Charles Gibbs for that purpose, and if not enough the balance to be raised from the sale of my personal property. Secondly I lend to my wife Sarah Gibbs during her life or widowhood so much of my Plantation whereon I now live as lies within the following boundaries

to wit, Beginning at the Corner of the field that includes the House &c. When the fence joins below the corn crib, thence along the fence Northward to the outside fence thence along the outside fence, Eastward joining Swamp Watkinson line to cowhole swamp, thence down cowhole swamp along the fence Southward to the corner fence, thence with that fence as it now stands, westward to the beginning. Supposed to contain about ~~Sixty~~ or Eighty acre including the House, and part of the Orchard. — Reserving nevertheless to my Son Charles Gibbs the House which he now lives in with the Kitchen and Garden, with one acre Round the House for a yard. I also leave to my said wife Sarah Gibbs during her life or widowhood the following Negroes, to wit, Saffin and Arthur, and Jim and Cash. Also all my Household and Kitchen furniture of every kind, and all my Plantation tools and implements of Husbandry of every kind. Also my horse called Kitty and my mare called Stick, and five head of sheep her choice of my flock. Also two Cows & Calves, her choice of my stock and four sows and their Pigs which Range over Cowhole swamp and one other large white sow with five Pigs, and all the Geese and Poultry on the Plantation. I also will that my said wife Sarah Gibbs shall have laid off, and allotted to her Provision of Corn &c. necessary for herself and family, Sufficient for one year out of my Estate. Also one years forage and Provision for all the stock which I have herein bequeathed her. Item I give to my son John Gibbs one Dollar. Item I give to my son Charles Gibbs one dollar. Item And after my said wife's decease my will is that the four Negroes herein bequeathed to her during her life, to wit, Saffin, Arthur, Jim and Cash shall be equally divided between my three daughters to wit, Susanna Bunn, Langanin Rogers and Jilpha Jernigan to whom share and share alike to them & their heirs. I have heretofore given to my daughter Sarah Bunnett a Negro man named Loney. I have heretofore given to my daughter Mary Bowden a Negro man named Simon. I have heretofore given to my daughter Charity Gibbs, three Negroes to wit, Lucy a girl, Martin a boy and Edney a girl, and a bed and furniture. — As the mare Stick herein bequeathed to my wife is now with foal. If that foal should live I give and bequeath it to my

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