

In the name of God Amen. I John Sivy of the County of Duplin and State of North Carolina, planter being of sound and perfect mind and memory calling to mind the mortality of the Body the shortness of life and certainty of death and being desirous to have my affairs settled, do make and ordain this to be my last will and Testament. This 3^d day of October one Thousand seven Hundred and ninety two First I commend my soul to God who gave it me and my Body to the dust to be buried decently at the discretion of my Executors hereafter to be named. My worldly Goods I dispose of in the following manner. I give and bequeath unto my loving and well beloved wife Leah Sivy one negro boy called Lunk together with all my stock of every kind Household Goods and plantation Tools of every kind. I also lend unto my said wife Leah one negro boy called Isaac and one negro girl called Lucy for her use during her natural life and after her decease my will is that the boy (that is to say) Isaac be sold at the discretion of my Executors (he having the liberty to choose a master) and the money arising from such sale. I give to my grandson Dancy Carr the son of Samuel Carr and Mary his wife. And the girl that is to say Lucy I give after my wife decease to my niece Elizabeth Sivy the daughter of Lemuel Sivy (late of Northfork County Virginia deceased) the said Lucy and her Survivors to the said Elizabeth her heirs and assigns for ever. I give and bequeath to my grandson John Brown one Negro girl called Jane and her Survivors to him her heirs and assigns for ever. I give and bequeath to my granddaughter Sarah Harro the daughter of David Brown and Patience his wife both deceased, one negro boy named Harry to her her heirs and assigns for ever. My further will and desire is that my negro woman called Phillis be set free. And in complying with the Law in that ear provided I will that my negro man Anthony and my negro Boy Dancy be sold at the

discretion of my Executors having liberty to choose Masters, and the monies arising from the sale of Anthony. I give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah Parker, and the money arising from the sale of Dancy to be Equally divided between my wife Leah Sivy and my daughter Charity Smith and Mary Carr share and share alike. — All the money that is due to me either by Bond, note or account after the payment of my debt. I give and bequeath to my wife Leah Sivy. — Lastly, I constitute and appoint my wife Leah Executrix and my trusty friends Francis, Oliver, and Nicholas Bowden, Executors to this my last will and Testament. Henry Revoking and disannulling all former or other wills, and declaring this only to be my last will and Testament. Signed, Sealed, Published and declared by the said John Sivy to be his last will and Testament in presence of ^{his} Nicholas ^{mark} Bowden, Samuel Bowden.

John Sivy (Siv.)

State of N^c Carolina } October Term 1792.
Duplin County }

Then was the within will proved in open Court by the oath of Nicholas Bowden and Samuel Bowden two of the subscribing witnesses thereto. And at the same time Nicholas Bowden and Francis Oliver two of Executors named in the said will came before the Court and qualified according to Law. Ordered that Letters issue accordingly. —

Thos. Wm Dickinson C. C.

In the name of God Amen. I Abner Ingram of Duplin County planter am sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory and calling to mind that it is appointed once for all men to die, do Recommend my soul to Almighty God that gave it and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors of this my last will and do dispose of my