

In the Name of God Amme. I John Neal Esq  
of the County of Duplin and State of North  
Carolina being sick and weak in body but of  
sound mind and memory and calling to mind  
the uncertainty of this life, see that it hath  
pleased Almighty God to appoint a time for all  
men to die do make and ordain this my last  
will and Testament, in manner and form  
following that is to say First I leave and  
bequeath my soul to Almighty God that giveth  
it existence, and my body to be decently interred  
at the discretion of my executors hereafter to be  
named and all my just debts justly discharged.  
Secondly I leave and bequeath to my daughter  
Elizabeth Reed three cows and calves to her  
and her lawfull begottin him. — and to my  
cow in law Andrew Reed I leave two shillings.  
Thirdly I leave and bequeath to my son John  
Neal all my lands one Negro boy named Andrew  
Neal, all the remainder of my stock of horses  
cattle and hogs; all my household and kitchen  
furniture and plantation tools — likewise what  
money I have due ~~me~~ by notes or accounts and  
what crop I have growing to him and his him  
sonne nevrthless for the said negro  
boy Andrew Neal the use of two cows and calves  
to give him milk until he arion at the age of  
min years old. — I do hereby nominate and appoint  
my son John Neal and my friends Andrew M'Intire  
and George Houston Executore of this my last  
will and testament — In witness whereof I have  
hereunto set my hand and seal this 1<sup>st</sup> of June  
in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand  
eight hundred and four signed sealed and delivered  
in the presence of us Edward Houston A M'Intire.

John Neal Test.

State of N<sup>e</sup> Carolina } April Term 1805.  
Duplin County }

The within will was duly proved in Court by the  
oath of Edward Houston and Andrew M'Intire  
the subscribing witnesses thereto and at the  
same time John Neal one of the executors  
named in the said will came before the  
Court and qualified as such according to law.  
Ordered that letters issue accordingly.

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

State of N<sup>e</sup> Carolina } In the name of God Amme.  
Duplin County } I James outlet being in a  
low state of health but in perfect mind and  
memory and knowing that it was appointed for  
all men to die and after death to judgment  
I leave my soul to God and my body to be buried  
at the discretion of my friends and after paying  
my just debts and funeral expences I desire to  
leave the balance of my property in form and  
manner as follows. First I give to son in law  
Jacob William who maried my slavt mary my  
negr maid Linus with the rest of the property  
that I have heretofore given him and twenty  
shillings in money to be paid him by my executors  
Secondly — I give to my son in law Timothy Grady  
who maried my daughter Patience my negr woman  
Rose and her children and the property. he has  
heretofore had and twenty shillings in money to be  
paid by my executors. Thirdly I give to my son in  
law Henry Grady my negr man Bacon with  
what he has heretofore had and twenty shillings in  
money to be paid him by my executors. Fourthly  
I give to my son in law Alexander Grady my  
negr girl Jimmy together with what I have heretofore  
given him. Fifthly I give to my son in law William  
Whitfield my negr girl Atta together with what  
I have heretofore given him. Sixthly I give to my