

In the Name of God. Amen. I Levi Sholan of the State of North Carolina and County of Duplin being of my sick and weak body and of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God willing and minding the Mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and testament that is to say principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul into the hands of a mighty God that give it ~~to me~~ and my body I Recommend to the Earth to be buried in a decent Christian Burial at the discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Mighty power of God and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me with in this mortal life.

I give and devise and dispose of the same in the following Manner and form first of all I make and appoint my loving sons Isham and Ephraim Shollans my true Executors to this my last will and testament. It is my will and desire that my whole Estate should be sold to the highest bidder in 'Months Credit to be given first I give to my beloved son Ephraim Sholan One hundred and Seventy Dollars which Collected, all my just debts to be paid. I also give to my beloved son Isham Sholan Seventy Dollars and after this an Equal Division to both please helim my three Heirs and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and disannul and have other former Testaments Wills Legacies bequeaths and Exceeds by me in any wise before nows Willed and bequeath fortifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal September 10th 1872

Signed Sealed published pronounced by the said Levi Sholan as his last will testament in the presence of us who in his presence and in the of each other we have hereunto Subscribed our names

N. Murray
James Murray Jr

Levi Sholan (Seal)
Wm

Duplin County N. C. Term 1872

This was the certain Will proven in open Court by the oath of it, Murray & James Murray the Subscribing Witnesses and at the same time I saw Sholan Seal signed as Executor & said Will signed by Person called

me of In the Name of God Amen August the first in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty two I James Snell of Duplin County being very sick and weak in body but in perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God thus giving to mind the Mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for me once to die make and ordain this my last will and testament that is to say principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul into the hands of God that give it and for my body I Recommend to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like and decent manner at the discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Mighty Power of God touching my worldly Estate wherewith it hath been pleased God to bless me in this life I give devise and dispose of the same in the Manner and form first I Impriam I give and bequeath to my well beloved wife Elizabeth Snell my negro boy named Ned to her and her Heirs and my Horses and Mares and my Cattle and my Tools and my bed and furniture and all the rest of my Household goods and furniture that I have had here in my possession to her and her Heirs. Item I give the Child that my wife is now big with my negro boy named Ben of the Child his title and Corner of age and of the Child both die before it comes of age I give the said Negro to my well beloved brother Roger Snell for ever more. I give to the Child as my wife is now big with one thousand and fifty acres of Land lying on the East side of the Six runs Swamp below Abraham Hennis joining to Abraham Hennis Land. Item I give to my well beloved Brother Roger Snell my Negro fellow Sam and all the rest of my Estate that is now in my Mother's hands to him and his after her decease and I likewise constitute make and ordain Roger Snell and George Bell my only and sole Executors of this my last will and testament and I do hereby