

In the name of God - I Asham Fox
of the County of Franklin State of North
Carolina, being of sound mind, and in the
due exercise of my mental powers, do think
it expedient to make this my last Will
& Testament as follows, to wit,

Item My Will I desire is that my Estate both
Real & Personal remain in one undivided Stock
untill my youngest child shall arrive
at lawful age, during which time it is to
remain to the mutual use of my beloved Wife
Mary Fox, & my children, but intirely Subject
to the Control of my said Wife -

Section 2. As the education of my children is a
consideration of the highest importance, it
is my Will I desire, I do so order & direct,
that in the event of the interest & profits annually
arising from my estate, whether of rents of Land,
hire of negroes, sale of Hogs or other Stock, or Sales
of my Surplus Crop, being found insufficient
to educate my children; that my Executors
herein

Herein mentioned have & over to the same
such portion of my property as they may
deem most expedient, whether lands or other estate,
for the purpose of affecting the education of
my children aforesaid.

Art. 3rd I Will & devise that at the arrival of my
Youngest child Elizabeth to the age of Twenty
one years, or at the death of my beloved
Mary Fox, which ever of those con-
-genies that my first children, that then
the whole of my Estate both Real & Personal
be equally divided by Commissioners to be
appointed by the Court for that Purpose
& an ^{equal} distribution thereof is to be made to my
beloved Wife Mary Fox, my sons Burrows
Fox & Jacob Fox & my daughter Elizabeth
Fox, to them their heirs & assigns forever.

Art. 4th Out of the confidence I have in
my friends Relations Nathaniel Perry
& Bennett Perry, I hereby nominate &

appoint them my executors, and my
beloved Wife Mary Fox, executrix of
this my last Will & Testament - hereby
revoking & disannulling any other Will
by me heretofore made, & declaring this to be
my last Will & Testament.

In Testimony whereof
I have hereunto set my hand & affixed
my seal this Thirtieth day of July
A.D. 1815
Signed & Published &
declared in presence of

W. H. Kelly

Allen Jones