

Given Under by the Court of James Gordon & Phillis Horsey to
Ordered to be Recorded

Whence administration with the Well appointed War
Council to Isaac Horsey & Phillis Horsey who Entered into
Bond and Qualification

This the 1st day of May 1766

FILE # 0499

In the Name of God Amen I Prudence Stewart of the County of
Quebec being by the Blessing of God of Sound Mind and Memory
but considering the Uncertainty of Life and that it is appointed
unto all One to die do hereby make and publish this my Last Will
and Testament in manner & form following viz. My Body I Commit
to the dust from whence it was taken & my Soul to God who Gave it
and as to my worldly Goods I Dispose of them in the following
Manner that is to say I Order & Bequeath All my just Debts to be
promptly fairly paid off & the Remains I make the following Bequeath
- Bequeath 1st I Will and Bequeath to my Son Robert Stewart an
Negro Girl named Ruth & One Chest of Drawers 2 I Will & Bequeath
To my Son John Stewart One half part of Three volumes of Scots
family Bible the Other half part to my Son Robert 3 I Will &
Bequeath to my Daughter Susan Eliza One Negro Girl named
Constitutional that she pay to the Heirs of my Son James Stewart
Out of the sum of five Hundred & five Dollars Likewise One Negro
Woman named Jane & One boy her child named Andy the boy
& Andy I Give out & Accompanied to my said daughter for her
Taken Care of Supporting & a Negro Woman in her Old age. Also
Also one volume of Scots family Bible on the New Testament.
4th I Will & Bequeath to my Daughter Ephraim Correll One horse by
Choice of all I may the proceeds of & Likewise the 2^d volume of
Scots family Bible on the New Testament.
5th I Will & Bequeath to my Grand Daughter Sarah Hammon
One Negro Girl named Jane & One Copper cupboard.
6th I Will & Bequeath to my other four Grand children children
of my daughter Judith & Adams to each of them five
Dollars
7th I Will & Bequeath to my Grandsons Sundry Washington
Correll & Sundry Stewart Also Equally Likewise

The proceeds of one sale of One Hundred Dollars on Joseph Child
of the 1st of Well and Bequeath to my three Grandsons Robert Stuart Stuart
son to ~~James Stuart~~ Stuart & James Adderson Stuart, son to John
Stewart to each of them fifty Dollars to be paid Out of the sales of
my property

10th I Order & Direct that all my property not ~~there~~ ^{here} before disposed
of be sold at public sale and the amount together with three
Hundred Dollars One on William Garrison of two Hundred Dollars & One of
Twenty Eight Dollars One on Judith Smith & one Hundred &
Twenty Six Dollars be all equally divided amongst my Children
The Children of my son James to have amongst them an Equal share
with my other Children But the Children of my Daughter Judith
Widow are Excepted & forbade any part Other than what I have
before named to them

11th I Order & Direct that my Negro Woman Pove have priviledge to take
with her her own Spinning Wheel her Churn & Bed.

12th And Lastly I constitute appoint & name my sons Robert Stuart
& John Stuart & my son in Law David Correll to be the
faithful Executors of this my last Will & Testament. In
Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed
my Seal this 15th of May A.D. 1810

Signed & acknowledged in

presence of

Prudence Stuart

Marckie Lurat

Daniel Albright

And further Upon more mature deliberation I will & bequeath to my Daughter
Jane Forbis my Bed & ^{whole} Furniture in Witness Whereof I have hereunto
set my hand & Affixed my Seal this 16th of June A.D. 1810

Done in presence of

Wesbie Lurat

Prudence Stuart

State of North Carolina, **May Term 1821**
Gordons County

The Execution of the Within Will was proven in Open Court
by the Oath of William Gausler One of the Subscribing Witnesses. Ordained to be
Recorded. - Then Came in John Stuart & David Correll Two of the Executors
Appointed in Said Will & Qualified as such - Test - Geo Hanner Cee

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& John Stuart & my Son in Law David Correll to be the
faithful Executors of this my last Will & Testament. In
Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed
my Seal this 15th of May A.D. 1819

Signed & acknowledged in

Prudence Stuart

presence of

Marble Lural

Daniel Albright

And further Upon more mature deliberations I will & bequeath to my Daughter
Jane Forbis my Bed & ^{whole} furniture in which I have hereto
set my hand & Affixed my Seal this 16th of June A.D. 1819

Done in presence of

Marble Lural

Prudence Stuart

State of North Carolina, May Term 1821
Gulford County

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