

Joshua Allison Will

State of North Carolina Haywood County

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of Haywood County N.C.

being of sound mind and memory but diseased in body and not knowing how soon my earthly existence may cease do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking and withdrawing all former wills and testaments by me made first I direct that my executor hereinafter named procure for my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my friends

3rd that he pay all my just debts out of the money coming into his as part or parcel of my estate

4th I will and bequeath to my daughter Nancy Parton the sum of ten dollars

5th I will and bequeath to my son Daniel Allison the sum of one dollar

6th I will and bequeath to my youngest daughter Octava the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150)

7th I will and bequeath to my wife Nancy C. Allison all my state of Hago cattle sheep and geese I also will to her my old mare or if she be dead or sold I wish her to look to have an other of equal value I also will to my wife Nancy all my house hold and kitchen furniture except one bed linen after mentioned

8th I will to my son Hezekiah Allison the bed and coverlet left to him by his mother

9th I will that my executor sell the land where on I now live at public sale to the highest bidder on a credit of twelve months the purchaser giving bond with good security for the payment

10th I will and devise that after different legacies herein before mentioned shall have been paid together with all my just debts whomsoever owing then the remainder arising from the sale of the Land be equally divided between my sons Jacob ~~William~~ Asaph William and Hezekiah and daughter Octava and wife Nancy C. Allison share and share alike

I will that share of money left my daughter Octava be retained by my executor and loaned out by him or used by her in such way that Octava shall receive

the compound interest thereon and by him paid out for her Education or other necessary expenses incurred in her raising

I do hereby constitute and appoint my friend James Parks my executor to execute this my last will and testament in witness whereof I Joshua Allison the Testator have set my hand and seal this twenty sixth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty nine

signed and sealed in presence of Joshua Allison and at his request have subscribed our names

attest
J. R. Lathrop
J. M. Lathrop

Testified W. M. Hudford