

The balance after my Just debts is paid to be Equally Divided among my heirs for ever. - Trustably, I give & bequeath unto my son Charles B. Dorley all my interest in the turn pike Road and all my lands on the same. I wish also I give unto my son Charles Dorley a young mare called morgan and small gun to him & his heirs forever. - Trustably, I give and bequeath unto my son Henry J. Dorley all the residue of my lands to him & his heirs forever. Trustably, I give & bequeath unto my wife her life estate only the lands & plantation where and now I dwell. - Trustably, I wish the vessel I have on the stocks to be finished conformable to Contract & my expense and the said vessel to be finished in like manner at the discretion of my Executor & the rest proceeds thereof to be Equally Divided among my heirs for ever, sold & partly Admiration & appoint or named Dorley Justly, William Sommers, John B. Joseph, Richard, Robert & Henry J. Dorley & Charles B. Dorley my Executors of this my will & Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 21st Day of January 1811 -

Ephraim Lany

Thomas Seabrook

Henry Dorley Seal

The Due Execution of this Last will & Testament of Henry Dorley Deceased was Exhibited into Court by the Executors of said in open Court before the oath of Ephraim Lany one of the subscribing Witnesses to the same in due form &c.

Attest R. Foreman Clerk -

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State of N. Carolina In the name of God, amen, Thomas Mason Hyde County Senior of the State & County aforesaid being very weak in body but of perfect mind & memory thanks be given to almighty God, well calling to mind the shortness of my life knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make & ordain this my Last will & Testament first & principally of all, I give & bequeath my soul into the hands of almighty God that gave it and my body I recommend to the earth to be Buried in a Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors & not touching such worldly estate that it hath pleased almighty God to bless me with in this life I devise & dispose of the same in following manner, I give, I give and bequeath unto my son Charles Benjamin & Stephen Mason one fourth part of furniture & a piece of land I give and bequeath unto my daughter Sarah Mason one cow & a gelding. - My will and desire is that all the Residue of my part or residue of my property should be sold at Public Sale and after my debts and Legacies are paid to be Equally Divided between my six children, that is to say, Benjamin, Thomas, William, Charles, Benjamin & Stephen Mason. And Lastly of all I do by these presents constitute & ordain & appoint my lawful friend Jonathan Harris my Executor to this my Last will & Testament not Revoking & Dissolving all other former wills & Testaments by me made & done in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 8th Day of January 1811 -

Signed sealed & pronounced

Thomas Mason Seal

in presence of Robert Swindell } The Due Execution of this Last will & Jonathan Gibbs } Testament of Thomas Mason Deceased was Exhibited into Court by the Executor & proved by the oath of Robert Swindell one of the subscribing witnesses to the same in due form ordered to be recorded.

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