

maintenance I likewise ^{for my} ~~for my~~ a good time a comfortable main-
 tainance I likewise ^{for my} ~~for my~~ such creatures as I ha-
 ve allowed for her & that the ^{farm} ~~farm~~ ^{family} ~~family~~ ^{leaves} ~~leaves~~ time & implements
 of husbandry be equally divided between him & his brother Allen
 As I have neglected to mention in its proper place I allow the
 remaindering dividend or one third part my ready money &
 out standing debts not yet disposed to be given to my wife Nancy
 & that she shares equally with my two sons as directed above
 in that case. And I do heartily nominate & appoint my respected
 friend Joseph Steel Secy & my son James Alexander & it is my
 request of them to act as my executors of ~~this~~ my last will
 & testament & that they abide by the instructions given as above
 Publishing & declaring this & no other to be my last will & ratifying
 & confirming the same as such I have hereunto set my hand & seal
 this nineteenth day of April the 18th 1868 signed & sealed in the
 presence of
 Thomas Meddy Jarat Allen Alexander
 David Black

In the Name of God, Amen.
 I Moses Allen of Fredell County & State of North Carolina being on
 this the fifteenth day of January in the year eighteen hundred
 & one of sound mind & memory yet mindful of that mortality comen
 to all men do make & declare this as my last will & testament in maner
 following. First to Martha Allen my beloved wife I give & bequeath the
 use of my plantation on which I now live during her life also my
 horse & my mare with three milk cows & one two year old co
 & also the cattle her self also my stock of hogs & all my

Household furniture of every description & farming utensils with all my
 grain maid or growing I thirty pounds out of the price of my stock to be sold
 on my decease To my son W^m Allen I give & bequeath ten shillings To my
 son Jas^s Allen I give & bequeath ten shillings to my daughter Nancy
 I give & bequeath fifty pounds out of the price of my stock & plantation now
 sold to Martha Allen my daughter I give & bequeath fifty pounds out of
 the price of my stock of & plantation to Polly Harris my daughter I give & bequeath
 ten shillings to Ruth Crannor my daughter I give & bequeath ten shillings to
 my daughter Rebecca Allen I give & bequeath twenty pounds out of the price
 of my plantation To Joel Dabnap I give & bequeath thirty pounds out of the price
 of my plantation to be kept at Interest & paid to him when he comes of age my
 stock not here mitted I allow to be sold at my decease, my plantation I allow
 to be sold by my executors at the decease of my wife on such credits as they may
 think best I do hereby constitute & appoint William Barely Senr & Michael
 King Senr Executors of this my last will & testament hereby authorizing my
 said executors on the sale of my plantation to convey the same to the
 purchaser or Purchasers in fee simple in as full & ample manner as
 I now can further I do pronounce & declare this to be my last
 will & testament to the date above written Signed sealed & published in
 presence of

James M. Coy. Sharpe

James King

Heres. Allen *Test*

January 15th 1861 It is further my will that the remainder of the price
 of my plantation to fall to Nancy Allen my daughter & this bequeath
 I allow to be considered as a codicil or part annexed to my will
 before written Signed & sealed in presence of.

Jas. M. Coy. Sharpe

James King Junr

Heres. Allen *Test*