

said Lewis Jackson have to this my last will and testament
set my hand and seal the day and year above written
Lewis Jackson (Seal)

Signed sealed and
acknowledged in the presence of
John Ingram
Penelope ^{Wink} Ingram

State of North Carolina } May Term 1824.
Johnston County } Then was the execution of this
will duly proven in open court by the oaths of John Ingram
and ordered to be recorded

P. Sanders Cllk.

Will of Jeremiah Lee

In the name of God Amen, I Jeremiah Lee of the County of Johnston and State of North Carolina, being in a low state of health but of sound and disposing mind and memory (for which I am thankful to Almighty God) and calling to mind the mortality of mankind and knowing that it is appointed once for all men to die, do make and ordain this my last will and testament in form and manner following (that is to say) principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of God who gave it - as for my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent manner at the discretion of my surviving friends and as touching my worldly estate with which it hath been pleased God to bless me in this life I give and dispose of it in the following manner after my just debts and funeral charges be fully satisfied and paid.

- Item I give and bequeath unto my wife Elizabeth Lee one hundred and forty two dollars in money and one barrel of french brandy to her and her heirs forever.
- Item I send unto my wife Elizabeth Lee the plantation where on I now live with all of its appurtenances and a part of a tract of land called the Flores place that is not given to Isaac Lee in a deed and two pieces of land known by being the land I purchased of the Pinnells and one hundred acres that lies on the North side of the white oak swamp and four negro slaves (namely) Laurence, Fiddie, Chaney and Amos - all my working tools and plantation tools all my cider casks geese cattle hogs that is not bequeathed sheep all my household and kitchen furniture consisting of beds and furniture and other utensils (but those of my children who have a bed and furniture given to them in a legacy is to have them when they come of age or settle themselves that they need them) and all my horse creatures that is not bequeathed and two carts and gear during her lifetime or widowhood.
- Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Winifred Blackman one sow and pigs to gather with what she has heretofore had to her and her heirs forever.
- Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Nancy Ingram one hundred and fifty acres of land lying in the County aforesaid.

on the south side of the Beaver Dam swamp and known by being a tract of land deeded by David Lee to me by land bearing date the seventeenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and fourteen and one parcel more together with what she has heretofore had to her and her heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Esther Allen one negro girl named Tamer one parcel more and one hundred dollars together with what she has heretofore had to her and her heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Hardy Lee one negro boy named Frank and my riding horse together with what he has heretofore had to him and his heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Nichols Lee one negro boy named Daniel one mare and colt and two sows and pigs and one bed and furniture and my shot gun to him and his heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Isaac Lee one negro boy named Timothy one black mare called his mare two sows and pigs and fifty dollars one rifle gun and one bed and furniture to him and his heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Alexander Lee two negro boys namely Isaac and Benjamin one black mare fifty and one hundred dollars one small shot gun and one bed and furniture to him and his heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Henry Lee two negro boys namely Charles and Lurrey the plantation tract of land where on I now live containing about two hundred acres together with all and singular appertinances and all that part of a tract of land called the Hop place contained in a deed from John Lee to me bearing date the twenty fourth day of November one thousand eight hundred and seven that is not given to Isaac Lee in a deed from me to him one tract or parcel of land containing fifty two acres known by being the lands which I purchased of Jesse Evans and wife and others called the Powell land, one other piece or parcel of land containing about forty acres known by being the lands I purchased of Frances Clarke and others and deeded to me by them and others and one tract of land on the north side of white oak swamp containing one hundred acres joining my

plantation one clock that is now in my house and one hundred dollars and one bed and furniture to him and his heirs forever.

And I further will that my two stills and my blacksmith shop remain where they are now situated undisturbed and that all my children above named have the privilege of having their work done in the shops and distilling their own spirits if they can find freedom to do so and that my corn and provisions on hand and tools be left and remain here for the support and benefit of the family and a sufficiency of the cotton for the use of the family until the season for the crop on hand to come in also. And I further will that the residue of my estate that is not above specified be sold and equally divided amongst my children above named & their heirs forever and all the property lent to my wife that may be remaining at the expiration of her life or widowhood (except the shops and stills) to be also sold and divided as above.

And I do hereby constitute and appoint my son Hardy Lee and Barnaby Ingram my executors of this my last will and testament. Ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this first day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty three.

Signed sealed and
published and declared
in the presence of
Edward ^{Lee} Lee Sr
Zachary ^{Lee} Lee
Benjamin Lee

Jeremiah ^{Lee} Lee (seal)

State of North Carolina, May Term 1824
Johnston County. Then was the execution of
this will duly proven in open court by the oaths of Edward
Lee Sr and Zachary Lee and ordered to be recorded
R. Sanders Ck.