

In the name of God Amen
I Charles Stevenson of the County of Jones & State of North Carolina
being weak of body but of sound disposing mind & memory do make
& obtain this my last Will & Testament in manner & to the following
witness - 1894 It is my Will & Desire that all my just Debts & Funeral
Expenses be first paid out of such Part of my personal Estate as is address
thereto particularly devised -

I give & bequeath unto my son Thomas Stevenson his heirs & assigns
forever One Hundred & Eighty acres of Land being part of a Survey
purchased of Isaac Blanchard in Deep Gully & Two Negroes named
Charles & Jem a Feather Bed & Furniture & a Mare called Tiger to him

his heirs & assigns forever
I give & bequeath unto my son Stephen Stevenson his heirs & assigns
forever a Negro Girl called Hannah & in Case my said son
should die without lawful issue it is my Will & desire that the said
Negro Girl Hannah with her increase should go & belong to my son

Thomas his heirs & assigns forever
I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Sally Stevenson a Negro Girl
named Venus all her Mothers Rings, Buckles Silver Sea Shells &
wearing & apparels to her her heirs & assigns forever, but in Case my said
Daughter should die without lawful issue, it is my Will & desire
that the said Negro Girl Venus with her increase should go & belong

to my said son Thomas his heirs & assigns forever
I give & bequeath unto Charles Noble son of Anne Noble Thier
Pound Currency to be raised out of the sales of such Part of my
Estate as is not herein particularly devised & in Case Anne
Noble the Mother of said Charles should think proper to raise the
said Child without any further Expense or Charge against my
Estate in that Case it is my Will & desire that the said Anne Noble
should have the use of the said Thirty Pounds to be applied for
the Maintenance & Support of the said Charles or to purchase
a piece of Land for his use & benefit

I fully I nominate constitute & appoint my Friend Abraham
Horneg & my son Thomas Stevenson to be the Executors of this my
last Will & Testament, confirmed under my Hand & Seal this 15th
Day of October 1894

Signed sealed & acknowledged in his last Will & Testament in presence of us
Charles Stevenson

Samuel Jacobson
In Court State of North Carolina
County of Jones February Term 1895
Then was the foregoing and within last Will and Testament of
Charles Stevenson etc. duly proved in open Court by the oath of William
Crom one of the Justices thereof and ordered for record and Abraham
Horneg one of the Executors therein named declared as such agreeable
to Law Ordered that Letters Testamentary issue accordingly

Attest J. L. Bryan Clk

In the name of God Amen
Timothy Lippert of the County of Jones & State of North Carolina, being
sick in body but of perfect mind & memory do hereby make
mind, the mortality of my body & knowing it is appointed that man
once to die do make & obtain constitute & appoint this my last will &
Testament in manner & to the following (that is to say) I give & first
of all I give & bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God that save
me & my body I leave at the discretion of my Executors whosoever I name
to be divided after a Christian burial nothing doubting but at the General
Resurrection I shall receive the same again - I was touching such worldly
Goods as hath pleased God to send me with I give & bequeath the same
in manner & form following (that is)

I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Fanny Lippert one Negro Boy
named Clinton in Negro woman named Hannah some household
named Credit - to her & her heirs forever - also three feather Beds and
Furniture three Red Steads & all the house hold & Kitchen Furniture
to her & her heirs forever & the said & bequeath unto my beloved wife
Fanny Lippert one Horse called Lipping, one Horse called Wherry pig,
one mare called late six Cows and Calves, one four year old Stear one
Gang of Hogs called the Home Gang of hogs to her & her heirs for ever
also all the meat that is now in my Smoke House, fifty Barrels of
Corn a Quantity of Horse Oats to her & her heirs for ever

Then, I give & bequeath unto my beloved Daughter Wealthy Lippert one
man named July, one Negro Boy named Daniel, one Negro woman named
Bridget, one young mare called Lightfoot to her & her heirs for ever & that
if my beloved Daughter Wealthy should die before full age or marriage
my will is that the above named negroes shall belong to my wife to her
& her heirs forever

Then, I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife all the Farming utensils to her &
her heirs forever

My will is that my beloved wife has the bringing up & rearing of my
beloved Daughter Wealthy until she comes of age or marries & that she
is to be maintained in schooling my said Daughter Wealthy & in consideration
of my wife's maintaining and schooling my said Daughter, my will is that
she may have the use of the above negroes namely July, Daniel & Bridget
My will is also that of them should be properly enough left & vendue
my just debts that my beloved wife should satisfy the remaining part of them
should be any out of her Part of the Dowry & lastly I make & ordain
that I appoint my beloved wife Fanny Lippert, my worthy friend & neighbor
John & my worthy friend James Bryan, Executors & Executors to this my
last will & Testament Qualifying & Qualifications all former wills by me
made & Reduplicating this my only true & last will in substance whereof I have
unto set my Hand & affix my Seal this 13th day of February 1895

Witnessed published & pronounced in the last Will
& Testament of Timothy Lippert in presence of us
Timothy Lippert

James Bryan
State of North Carolina
Jones County Court May Term 1895
Then was the within and foregoing last Will & Testament of Timothy Lippert
duly proved by the affirmation of James Bryan one of the Justices
with me & ordered for record, at the same time Fanny Lippert
the Executrix & James H. Bryan one of the Executors named in the Will
Qualified as such - Ordered that Letters Testamentary issue
Accordingly Attest J. L. Bryan Clk