

Farmed, Will Oley, and Jacob to him and his heirs for Ever;
 Item I give unto my son John Simmons two tract of Land, viz.,
 One lying in Jones County known by the name of Hosal place and the
 other on the North west side of the great Branch joining the Land of
 Daniel A Simmon and also I give unto him four Negroes namely George
 Luke Clo & David hammer they and their increase to him and his heirs for Ever;
 Item I give unto my son Abraham Simmon all the Lands that has been
 been will to his mother after her death a widow hood also one other tract
 of land lying on Brooks Swamp called dog point all my heirs having
 lands on the so west branch to the privilege and use of the dog point
 comes also four Negroes namely Todd Cherry and Little Parcas and will
 them and their increases to him and his heirs for Ever; Item the Lands
 have not given away to my wife or her heirs at the disposal of
 my executors there names here after mentioned are apt paying
 my just debts the balance to be divided among my children equally
 I appoint my well beloved friends Gran & Azley and Peter Hargett
 to be my executors to this my last will and testament as witness
 Whereof I named here were unto set my hand and seal the day and
 year first above written sign sealed in the presence of us who
 was present at the time

Witness John Jackson

John Grady

Daniel Simmon's seal

Jones County

State of North Carolina, March Term 1828
 You was the of our young wife of Daniel Simmon dec'd proved in
 open Court in our favor of Law by the oath of John Jackson one
 the Subscribing witnesses and ordered to be recorded - At the same time
 Peter Hargett one of the executors therein named Qualifying as testator
 said that after Testimentary issue to him

In G. Bryand

State of North Carolina; This day before witness being in sound
 And memory thanks be to god knowing that is on a Spurtee for all
 to die I do make this will as follows; I give & Bequeath unto my
 daughter Anney Penruill One Bed an furniture and bed chad and bedding
 Sheets and Counterpan Two pillows and one bolster to her heirs and
 Spigs for Ever; Item I give Jerry Hobbs my Grand son one Bed and
 Furniture and one Cover three Sheets and two Counterpan to him his heirs and
 Spigs for Ever; Item I give and Bequeath to my Grand son Daniel
 Hobbs, One Bed chad and bed and other sheets and two Counterpan
 One Bed Quilt to him his heirs & Spigs for Ever; (over)

Now I give and Bequeath to Dig Griffin Two hirs ten Dollars then
then his and Spouse for ever; Then I give and Bequeath to Elsey Miller
Two children ten dollars to them here hirs and Spouse for ever; Then I
Wish all off my hirs of my property after my debts is paid off
Wishes to you to Mary Durham to her hirs and Spouse for ever
For witness my hand and seal this the 18 October 1896

B. Harrison

Philip ^{his son} Moore

Shaddock Nolle 73 prob. Jan 2 1897.

In the Name of God Amen I this day being of sound
Mind and Memory and knowing that all persons have to die and
My will is what I want this life that my Body to be decently
Buried — Give to my Son Luis Kinsey to him and his hirs
and Spouse one little blade and bradley. I also Give and bequeath
to my two Sons Luis Kinsey & Owens blood to that Cow I have
on hand at my Death to them and their hirs and Spouse for ever
I also give and Bequeath to my Daughter Sarah M Humphrey
one horse hanting its masonry furniture can saw that
have about the house Also two guns and Bands of my Stock one
pair of smoothing planes to her hirs and Spouse for ever —
I also wish all the property that I have raised made or bought up
in any way since my husband death Andrew Cox (Cox) except what
I have above willed away or say else due or demand that are
Due me the property to hold and the Money arising from such Sale
and debts due me to be equally Divided Between my children namely
Luis Kinsey. Owen D. Cox. Sary. M. Humphrey and Anna Middleton
after all my just debts and funeral expenses are paid for it to be equally
divided Between them four I now do ordain this my Last Will and Testament
All testaments before I have here unto set my hand and sign My last
will the 15th of May in the year of our Lord 1896; I also have my
Son Owen D. Cox as my Executor to the my last will and Testament
sign said in the presence of Sary & Elsey Miller. Elsey Miller

O. B. Lewis qualified

State of North Carolina Jones County Court held Sum 1896
This was the within last will & Testament of Elsey Miller duly proved
In open Court by the subscribing witnesses ordered to be recorded
at same time Owen D. Cox duly Deafice Testator thereto named
and acknowledged by J. H. Bryan,