

I do will and bequeath my little estate in manner & form followeth
To Wit- I give to my three Sons William Hay, Joseph Hay and
George Hay all my property that I am now posess of except
Two small Heifers to be equally divided amongst them to them
their Heirs and assigns forever after my just debts is paid I give
to Jacob Sanders one Feather Bed now in his possession if he will
take it in the law of half a Bed Willed to my daughter at my death
by her father if not let the Bed be sold and he have half the money
I give to my two grand Daughters Polly & Elizabeth Sanders a half
per yearling apiece to them their Heirs and assigns forever and
lastly I constitute and appoint my sons William Hay Joseph Hay
and George Hay my whole and sole Executors to this my last Will
and Testament this day and date above written in presence of

us.
Test John P. Collins & Clarissa Barber
I.B. Old Sarah to be free

Mary ^{her} Hay ^{mark}

N^c Carolina

Jones County Court November Term 1813.

Then was the within Will duly proved in open Court by the oath of the
subscribing Witnesses and ordered to be recorded - at same time Will.
Hay qualifia as Recr. thereto agreeable to Law - Ordered that Letters Testa-
mentary issue accordingly

In the name of God amen, I Edward Frank of the
County of Jones and State of North Carolina Planter being sick of body
but in perfect mind and disposing memory, calling to mind the mortality
of my body, and that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and
declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as follows
To wit First and principally I recommend and bequeath my soul to the
hands of almighty God who gave it, and my body to the dust from whence
I came to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner at the
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discretion of my surviving friends as Touching my worldly Estate with which it has been the will of God to Endow me with in this life, I Give Promise and dispose of after my decease, as followeth Vizt

Item. my will and desire is, that all the Estate I now possess of every description both real and personal remain in the care and possession of my Executors herein after named until the Land I bought of James C Bryan and Edward S. Frank be paid for and that the profits arising from my Plantations, and labour of my Negroes be applied to making that payment except so much as will be necessary for the support of the family and schooling my young Children, Also the profits arising from my stock and debts due me after paying my funeral Expence and other necessary and just demands after the before mentioned debt be fully paid or satisfied, to said James C Bryan and Edward S. Franks

Item. I lend to my beloved wife Elizabeth Frank Five negroes namely, Will, Jo, Lucy Fard and Amy, and their increase during her natural life

Item. I also lend to my beloved wife the use of my land and Plantation whereon I now live containing by estimation Three Hundred Acres and all the appurtenances thereunto belonging during her natural life likewise I lend to my beloved wife ap^{pr} Eight Cows and Calves, Ten Sows and Pigs, Eight head of Sheep with the increase thereof in consideration of raising and Educating my young Children.

Item. I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Elizabeth Frank all my Household and Kitchen Furniture and Plantation Tools.

Item. I have Given to my daughter Elnor Jiles dec^d on her life time of my Estate the full of her Legacy.

Item. I give and bequeath to my son Elijah Frank the land and Plantation whereon John Frank formerly lived which I bought of James C Bryan & Edward S. Frank containing by estimation Two Hundred and Twenty seven acres also one half the Land I bought of Job Leary Tract containing by estimation Two Hundred Acres to him his Heirs and assigns forever, also One Negro Man named Squire, One Horse called Fox, Three Cows & calves and the Hogs I bought of Thomas Battle.

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Item. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Gilpha Frank
Two Negroes namely George and Mehaly she and her increase, also
Two cows and calves to she her heirs and assigns forever.

Item. I give and bequeath to my son John Martin Frank One Negro
boy called Joe, Three Cows & Calves, & Three Sows and Pigs when he
arrives at the age of Twenty One Years.

Item. I also give and bequeath to my son John M. Frank the Land and
Plantations whereon I now live after the death of his mother and I give
and bequeath to him one half of the Two Hundred Acre tract of Land
I bought of Job Leary to him his heirs & assigns forever.

Item. I give and bequeath to my daughter Barbary Frank Two Negro
boys Hardy and Isaac and Two ~~large~~ ^{small} Calves to her her heirs and assigns
for ever.

Item. I give and bequeath to my Grandson Edward Stanley Frank Five,
one Horse Bridle and Saddle with twenty five Dollars when he arrives at
the age of Twenty One Years.

Item. I lend to my Wife Three Horses, called Packset, Mated & Pink
during her Natural Life.

Item. My will and desire is, that the Five Negroes and the other personal
Estate lent to my wife for life, also all parts of my Estate not otherwise dis-
posed of by this my last Will and Testament be equally divided among
all my Children that are now living namely Polly Battle Elijah Frank,
Hannah Brock Gilpha Frank, John M. Frank & Barbary Frank to them
their heirs and assigns for ever.

Lastly I constitute and appoint my Wife Elizabeth
Frank Executrix and my son Elijah Frank Executor of this my last
Will and Testament In witness whereof I have unto set my hand and
affix my seal the sixth day of August in the Year of our Lord One Thousand
Eight Hundred and Thirteen
Edward Frank Seal

Witness sealed pronounced
in presence of
J. R. L. day

Further my will and desire is, That if my son John Martin Franks should die before he arrives to the age of Twenty one years, that the rest of my Children that are now living shall heir his legacy to be Equally divided among them, and also if either of my daughters should die before they arrive to the age of Twenty one years or marry that the rest of my Children that survives shall heir all their or her Legacy to be Equally divided among them, This I make while in perfect mind and disposing memory to constitute part of this my last will and Testament, In Testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal the 10th day of September Anno Dom. 1813.

Edw.^a Franks Seal

Signed Sealed & in presents of

Joseph T. Rhodes

Ambrose Whittedge

N. Carolina Jones County Court.

The last will & Testament of Edward Franks was duly proved in open Court by Amos Whittedge and ordered to be recorded at same time the Exet. therein named Qualified as such agreeable to Law - ordered that Letters Testamentary issue accordingly

State of North Carolina

Jones County. In the Name God amen.

I Joseph Kincoy of the County of State of North Carolina Blacksmith being in good health of body and perfect memory of mind do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following to Wit Viz. as Touching such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to Bless me with I Will and bequeath in manner and form following. Imprimis I Will & bequeath to my beloved wife Melpenah Kincoy One Feather Bed & the Stead with the other Furniture belonging thereto, also Also another Bed and Furniture that hath no stead, one Table, one Chest, one Case and Bottle, one old wooling wheel, one washing Tub, one Tub for holding Flour, one for Sope, and one for patting, Meat, one Water pail & two piggins, one pare of cotton cards, One small pewter Dish & half Gallon Basin, one candle stick, one set of Cups & Saucers, & Three Tea pots -