

159) In the name of God Amen, I, Edw. J. Jarmann of the County of Jones and State of N. Carolina, being in good health but knowing it is appointed for all men and to die do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament as follows to (witness)

Item 1st I recommend my soul to Almighty God who gave it me and my body to be buried in a Christian like manner at the discretion of my Executors.
2nd I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Sarah Jarmann two of my Choicest her Choicest, two of my Calves and Calves her Choicest, two Sows & Pigs, ten head of Sheep, ten head of Horses, all of my dunghill fowls, two Ploughs, two working hoes, two bullock hoes, two Axes, two Feather beds and Furniture her Choicest, two Tables, her Choicest, six sitting Chairs her Choicest, two cane seat chairs, and set of Tea Cups and Saucers, six Silver table spoons, six Silver Tea spoons, my Side Board, two Chests her Choicest, one pair of Anvils, Tongs and Shovel two Pots her Choicest, one Griddle, one Gridiron, one Soot, and all of my wearing Apparatuses, one Cart her Choicest, and the gear thereunto belonging, two pair of Iron Traces, one large Bible and what of my other Books she may wish to have, Also what of my wooden ware she may desire and set of knives and forks, one Tea pot her Choicest, Also provision for one year for my said wife and my daughter Salome, Also the State heretofore given her and the Negroes heretofore lent her, with Cotton wool and flax, also one linen wheel, two wooden wheels and two pair of Cards —

3rd I lend unto my Beloved Wife during her natural life all the lands I purchased from my Brother Amos Jarmann lying in Duplin and Jones County with the buildings thereunto attached (excepting my Girl Hannah and Girl thereunto belonging), which I reserve for the use and benefit of my son John Jarmann provided my said son John will give or cause to have given each and every year during my said wife's life time his farm of Cotton free from tax, But when my said son John refuses to give or causes to have given his Mother's farm of Cotton as heretofore directed that then and in that case the said wife have and give standing on the land first to my Wife to annue to my said wife as the other property lent I also lend unto my Wife during her natural life the following Negroes Sondow and Soudow her Wife, Sabia and Mary her wife, Amos and Mary his wife, Clary and Sarah —

4th (Living all right to approve or except as inserted) I give and bequeath unto my three grand Children some and Daughters of my son J. H. Jarmann and. Executors of what I have heretofore given their Father the following Negroes Shepherd Amos, one Girl named Eliza and one named James, and one Cotton gin standing in the gin house where my son J. H. Jarmann died, — Now the proviso comes in that if neither of my before mentioned Grand Children should arrive to mature age, that then and in that case the above mentioned property in this Clause to revert to my other son and Daughters, share and share alike but my will and desire is that which ever of my said Grand Children should arrive to mature age that then and in that case the above mentioned property in this Clause to belong to them with another proviso that when as I was Adm. in the Estate of J. H. Jarmann and expended apart of said estate to inclose a building my said son had commenced contrary to law may should my said Grand Children when arriving to mature age or any person in their stead as Executors obtain judgment against my Estate for the said sum expended contrary to law —

that then and in that case any of the above mentioned Negroes in (160)
this clause to be sold and the above expenses to be paid from the pro-
ceeds thereof and the residue of the sale of said Slaves if any to be equally
divided as this clause directs

5th I leave unto my beloved Daughter Salome Sarmans during her Nat-
ural life the following Negroes David (Calcutt's Son) Saunders, York
Sot - (Calcutt's Son) Caroline, Amos Son of Sondon and Penelope the
reason why I have lent the above property to my Daughter is her un-
healthy situation but should my said Daughter have lawful Issue and
they arrive to maturity age that After the death of my said Daughter the
property lent her to be equally divided among the lawful heirs of her body
Also and Feather bed and Furniture and and Chut - And I do by this
virtue of this present, best all power in my Son John Sarmans to take
the above mentioned Negroes in his possession and hire them out to the best
advantage as Guardian and apply the proceeds thereof as far as necessary
for the support - and wife maintenance of his sister or the lawful heirs of her
body as the case may be and in every instant to carry the above loan or be-
quest in operation agreeable to my request.

6th I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth Sarmans ex-
clusive of what I have heretofore given her the following Negroes, Alphon, Jack, Daniel,
James, Amos Son of Mary, and Stephens to her and heirs and assigns for ever -

7th I give and bequeath unto my Son John Sarmans exclusive of what
I have heretofore given him all the land I purchased of James B. Shins and
Abner W. Killebrew and also after the death of my Wife all the land I purch-
ased of my Brother Amos Sarmans lying in Jones County Also and Negro
man named Sot and Woman named Nancy, and her Child Lucinda and Girl
named Betta and a boy named Isaiah to him his heirs and assigns forever

8th My Wife and I desire further is that after the death of my Wife the
Negroes I have lent her with their increase to be divided in the following
manner (viz) my three Grand Children Sons and Daughters of - F. H. Sarmans
and to take or receive any third of the same but under the same rules and
restrictions as in the 11th clause of this my last will and Testament -

and the other two thirds to be divided equally between my Daughter Salome
Sarmans Elizabeth Sarmans and my Son John Sarmans But my Daughter
Salome shall be under the same rules regulations restrictions as laid down
in the 5th clause of this my last will and Testament - And should any of
the Negroes lent my wife have Children that then and in that case in

order to prevent expense on my Wife my Son John Sarmans and Son-in-law
Sobe L. Sarmans pay to my Wife each year for each Child so born the sum of
ten Dollars each which said Child or Children may arrive to six years of age

9th My wife and I desire further is that all the rest of my property both
Real and personal be sold at the discretion of my Executor, with the debts
due and my Just debts to be paid and the residue if any, to be divided as
follows (viz) that the lawful Issues of my Daughter Elizabeth to have ^{one} third and
the other two thirds to be divided between my Grand Children Sons and Daughters of
F. H. Sarmans and my Son John Sarmans and my Daughter Salome Sarmans my
Daughter Salome's part to be under the same rules regulations and restrictions
as laid down in the 5th clause of this my last will and Testament -

I Constitute Menialle And Appoint And do by these presents constitute
Menialle And Appoint my son John Sarmant And my Cousin Job L
Sarmant Executors to this my last will and Testament Resolving all former
wills heretofore made by me this 5th day of February 1841

Emanuel Sarmant Seal

State of N. Carolina Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions for the County of Jones
Jones County 3rd Term was the Executions of the last Will and Testament
of Emanuel Sarmant deceased for probate & upon the oaths of William Huggins
& Nathan Sarmant & others it was proved to the satisfaction of the Court to be
his will in due form of law and thereupon John Sarmant & Job L. Sarmant the
Executors therein named was duly Qualifyed as Executors of the last will and
Testament of the said Emanuel Sarmant deceased & the said last Will and Testament
was ordered to be Registered

Wm. Huggins Secy