

In the name of God Amen -

1835

I Frederick Foresee of the County of Jones and State of North Carolina do make and ordain this my last will and Testament - First - I give & bequeath unto my son Augustus Foresee one negro man by name Lewis in addition unto what I have already given him, to him his heirs & assigns forever - I give my son Nathan Foresee all the lands wherein he now lives, west of a line to be made, Beginning at Tomb River where the lake drains into the river, running on the East edge of said lake to a swamp, then crossing the swamp & jumping run in a North direction to a black walnut tree in an old field near a brick yard, then a North Course to the main road where my gate now stands, containing all my lands between this line and Lawson Mollards and Widens M. Tidwells lines and Tomb River - Also all my land on Beavertown, all my lands on Maple Hill, all my lands on the Resolution, & one negro woman named Betty and her son Peter in addition to what I have already given to him his heirs and assigns -

I lend unto my wife Dora Foresee during her natural life all the lands and houses wherein I now live - likewise all my negroes consisting of the following named Jack - Thomas - Mary - Jude - Amaka - Adam - Isaac & Jimmy, and all my furniture and stock of every description, but such a word in of no use to her, then I wish my Executor to sell by private or public sale as he may think proper to pay my debts if any - And after her death I give and bequeath unto my Grand son Frederick Foresee all the property lent to my wife Dora Foresee during her natural life - I also give and bequeath to my Grand son Frederick Foresee one piece of land known by the name of the Colvett tract joining Lemuel H. Simmons & lying on the main road - I also constitute & appoint Nathan Foresee Special Guardian of my Grand son Frederick until he arrive at the age of Twenty five years - And let the said Nathan Foresee to have the control over said property as if it was his own - * I hereby give and bequeath to my son Nathan Foresee one piece of land lying on both sides of the main road between Tomb Bridge and a White Oak joining the lands of George Pollock containing one hundred & twenty acres - I also hereby constitute and appoint my son Nathan Foresee Executor to this my last will & Testament -

Jones County October 11. 1834 -

Witness -

Lemuel H. Simmons

Frederick Foresee

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Daniel Mollard State of North Carolina } Clerk of Pleas & Quarter Sessions
Jones County - } March Term 1835 -

Then was the foregoing last will & Testament of Frederick Foresee brought here into open Court and admitted to probate, which was proved in due form of law by the oath of Lemuel H. Simmons one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded - at some time Nathan Foresee the Executor therein named was qualified as such - ordered that this latter testimony open to him -

These copy from the original filed in open Court
recorded & confirmed -

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