

State of North Carolina Jones County Sept Term 1788
 This was the foregoing last will & Testament of that
 Blackman Dec. duly proved in Open Court by the oath
 of Tharget one of the subscribing witnesses and ordered to
 be registered at the same time Elisha Blackman one
 of the Executors thereon named qualified agreeable to law
 Ordered that Letters issue accordingly
 Attest
 L. W. Bryant

State of North Carolina Jones County In the name
 of God Amen John Oliver being sick & of sound
 mind and memory to this my hand helped by God for the
 same and his heirs & assigns this my last will and Testament
 I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife
 Anne Oliver one feather Bed & furniture and one horse
 and one mare during her natural life or widowhood also
 I give my beloved wife three Cows & three yearlings during
 her natural life or widowhood and after her decease the
 said Articles Bed & horse & cattle to be equally divided between
 my two youngest sons McDonald & Pison also I give
 and bequeath to my beloved wife all the household furni-
 ture excepting three Beds and furniture and all my
 Plantation Tools during her natural life or widowhood
 also all my Hogs during her life or widowhood
 And I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Anne Oliver
 one feather Bed and furniture and one Cow and one
 Linnin Phoebe

And I also give and bequeath to my son William Oliver one
 feather and furniture called Thomas Bed
 And I also give and bequeath to my son McDonald Oliver
 one feather bed and furniture and one hundred acres of
 land to be equally divided between my sons McDonald
 Oliver and Pison ~~Oliver~~ Oliver in the same maner as left
 And I also give to each of my children which are mar-
 ried and gone from one Shilling to Sarah Lawrence Loring
 Moses Mary Brocken John Oliver Thomas Oliver and James
 Oliver I also appoint and ordain my beloved wife Anne
 Oliver and William Oliver sole Executors of this my last will
 and Testament as witness my hand and seal this 10th day
 of February 1789
 being present } John & O Oliver
 Robert Reynolds
 John P. Brock. Ben. Pickin.

State of North Carolina Jones County Court June Term 1789
 This was the within last will and Testament of John Oliver
 duly proved in Open Court by the oath of John P. Brock
 one of the subscribing witnesses thereto ordered to be recorded
 At the same time William Oliver and Anne Oliver quali-
 fied as Executors Ordered that Letters issue thereon
 Attest
 L. W. Bryant