

January Terms 1858

Jonas Rhymes Will

State of North Carolina
Lincoln County

In the name of God Amen I Jonas Rhymes of the above County & State being of sound mind and memory and considering the certainty of Death and the uncertainty of the time thereof to the end that I may be the better prepared to leave this world. when it may please god to call me hence have now determined to direct what disposition shall be made of my property after my decease and after mentally considering the circumstances and condition of all those among whom as my heirs at Law or the objects of my gratitude or affection in my judgment. my Estate shall be distributed, I do make publish and declare this to be my last will & testament hereby Revoking all others null & void My Will is first that after my decease. my body shall be decently buried without ostentation or unnecessary Expenses and that my Funeral charges and Just debts shall be paid by my Executor herein named, — I give and devise unto my wife Anney the Possession of my Dwelling house & Kitchen during her natural life and after her death. My Will is that all my Daughters that may remain single & unmarried to retain the possⁿ. of the dwelling house & Kitchen so long as they remain unmarried. though I have sold me Land to my son Jonas Rhine but with the reserve of the

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Witness
Logan W. Goran. Just
James White

Jonas Rhine (Seal)