

10th 1835. In the name of God amen. I
Mary Adams of the State & County aforesaid
in a low state of health, but of sound mind
& memory do will and bequeath in the following
manner. First I appoint my soul to God
Who gave it, my body to be buried in a
decent christian manner, & for the good
things of this life which God hath gave
to me, I bequeath in the following manner.
First I will & bequeath unto my son Samuel
daughter Mary one bed & furniture.
Second. I bequeath to my daughter Sarah (Might)
one black flock, also to my grand daughter
Gracy (Might) one calico flock. And all the
balance of my ^{property} estate I bequeath to my son
Samuel Adams. As evidence thereof I
do appoint my son Samuel, & John Cato Esq
of the same. Mary ^{her} Adams (Real)
Signed, Sealed & delivered in
presence of Mark

John Cato Esq. Sarah Adams Esq. Edward
William Cato.

In the name of God Amen. I Matthias P. Booy
of Lincoln County, being desirous to make his
disposition of his ^{my wife's} estate. That my wife
Kath. shall live at the present dwelling house to
be maintained off the plantation when I now
live. I give her my negro woman Nancy
during her life & what off the plantation & house I may
be together with the corn and tobacco which she
shall be able to produce, also to every other thing

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article now in use about my house that they
wish to keep, a bay mare & case fly. their
own saddle & bridle, also I allow her a reason-
able share of my cup of bread & meat
as will be a sufficient for the support of her
and the stock and family. I leave with her
also two cows, five head of sheep five head of
hogs, her geese & chickens, all this stock her
choice out of my cattle sheep & hogs - all
which goods & chattels together with the negro
woman Nancy, that I have given to my wife at
her death, I direct my executor to be having
after named, to sell of the proceeds to be equally
divided among ^{my three daughters} Polly Sherd, Sally Sherd
& Elizabeth Sherd. The plantation I have
I live, I call two hundred acres, I will
bequeath it to my son Leonard Brooks &
children allowing him to have this life
term in the land & should his wife Sally
out live him I direct her to have her support
off the land for that case at her death
I direct the land to be sold & the money equal-
ly divided among my son & his issue. My
son John, Nathaniel William & David
& Joseph, I have made such divisions with them
as I think they were entitled to.
I give to William a good bed & cloth & two
sheep a cow & his own tools, all other of my
stock & other property not willed I direct my executor
to sell & the money arising from such sale I direct
to be equally divided among all my children & my
wife, her and them each to share alike. And
lastly I appoint George Sherd & Henry Blair my
executors to be my executor to this my last

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with various testaments & I hereby publish, pronounce
 & declare this my last will & testament & do
 hereby revoke disallow & disannul all former
 wills by me made. Given under my hand
 and seal this 10th day of October 1837
 in presence of

Mathias J. Corey
 Mark

Marshall Wilson, Jurat

Forcible Entry Jurat Ex. L. 11

In the name of God amen. I Pauline
 Martin of the County of Lincoln and State
 of Carolina, being very sick & ailing, yet of good
 sound mind & understanding, knowing that
 it is an appointing time for me to die, therefore
 I think proper to make this my last and
 testament. First I give and bequeath my
 soul to the hands of God who gave it & my
 body to the earth to be buried in a christian
 manner, and as touching such worldly estate
 wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me
 in this life, I give & bequeath in the following
 manner & manner. I give & bequeath unto
 Polly Carpenter my dear & beloved friend
 who has the care & charge of me & my be-
 lieved cloth & all my wearing cloth to be the
 Polly Carpenter & also all having thing belong-
 ing to me shall be paid being my intention is
 that the above bequest be fully performed
 finally by these presents. In witness whereof these
 presents I have hereunto set my hand &
 seal this 8th day of June A.D. 1837
 Signed sealed & delivered
 In the presence of Daniel E. Martin

Mark