

Lawful heirs to them and their heirs forever and I do further constitute and appoint my worthy friends Joseph S. Bellows & Lemuel Rogers Executors to this my last will and testament ratifying and confirming this to be my last will and Testament Disannulling all other former wills whatever Intestamentary whereof I have been unto set my hand and seal this twenty ninth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty five

John Manning
Seal Harrell Seal

(Signed) Lewis ^{his} Purvis ^{Seal}
mark

State of North Carolina Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions
Martin County 3 September Sessions 1826

This will of Lewis Purvis Senr was produced in open Court and proven in due form of Law and on motion it was ordered to be
Recorded

Attest Henry B. Hunter CLK
by Benj F. Wade DCK

In the name of God amen. I John Purvis do ordain this to be my last will and testament.

Item 1st I lend all my Estate both real and personal of every ^{kind and} description what soever unto my wife Samuels during the term of her natural life.

Item 2nd after the death of my wife I give all the Estate both real and personal of every kind and description hereby lent unto my said wife unto Henry Wade and his heirs and assigns forever.

Signed by me this the eleventh day of September 1826

(Signed) John ^{his} Griffin
Henry ^{mark} Cooper
Mason Haer

State of North Carolina Court Pleas and Quarter Sessions
Martin County 3 September Sessions 1826

This paper writing purporting to be the last will and Testament of John Purvis was produced in open Court and proven according to Law and on motion was ordered to be recorded

Attest Henry B. Hunter CLK
by Benj F. Wade DCK

In the name of God amen I James Reddick of the County of Martin in the State of North Carolina being in common health and sound disposing mind and memory and calling to mind the mortality of mankind and knowing it is appointed for all men to die do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner & form following first I recommend my soul into the hands of the Almighty by God that gave it and my body to be buried in a decent Christian like manner at the discretion of my heirs. my will and desire is that all my just debts and funeral charges be paid out of my Estate.

Item I give and bequeath unto my well beloved Daughter Nancy S. Reddick all my Estate real and personal and for her to have a good education to her and her heirs forever. and if my Daughter Nancy dies leaving no heirs of her body for all my property to go to them I shall now mention.

Item I give and bequeath to my sister Ann Duggan and two of the heirs of John Duggan Senr (viz) James Duggan and Elizabeth M. Duggan my Negr woman Rose and her increase if James Duggan or Elizabeth should die leaving no heir lawfully begotten of their body for the surviving one to have all of both dies not being married for James Duggan to have the above named Negr and increase to her and her heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my sister Peggy Reddick my Negr boy Noah and half of the tract of land known by the name of Hares horn neck provided that she will not marry that Lynch if she should marry D. Lynch for my heirs to take the Negr Boy and let him be divided between my sister Ann Duggan and my sister Marina Reddick and the land to return back and be divided with my other lands between them I shall hereafter mention ~~and bequeath~~

Item I give and bequeath to my sister Marina Reddick my Negr Boy Pleasant to her and her heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my Brother in Law Humphrey Smithwick my Negr man Harry and him to pay his Brother Joel Smithwick and his Brother John Smithwick one hundred Dollars each. and for them to have my Negr man Jim between them all

my will and desire is that all my lands be Equally divided between Ann Duggan Peggy Reddick, Marina Reddick & James Duggan & Elizabeth Duggan but James and Elizabeth to have one lot between them if James or Elizabeth Duggan one of them die the surviving one to have the land if both die leaving no heirs lawfully begotten of their body for the land and all the Rest of my property between them to go

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back to Susan Duggan, Marina Reddick, and Peggy Reddick (sister of Peggy) does not marry said Thomas Lynch if she marries Lynch, for all my property that will fall to her by kinship to go back to the above heirs and all my stock, corn, bacon, house hold & kitchen furniture be sold together with all other live property and the sales to be equally divided between all the persons named in this my last will and Testament.

Now I give and bequeath to my dear Wife Mary Duggan five Shillings & tell
Sally & Constance and appoint William Duggan & Humphrey Smithwick
my sole Executors to this my last will and Testament. Hence, revoking
and disannulling all former wills by me made and ratifying and
confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament in witness
whereof I have set my hand and seal this Eighteenth Day of March in the
year of our Lord 1826. (Signed) James Reddick Junr

Surveyed by John S. Smithwick
N. Noah Keddick

J. P. Toak Reddick
State of N. York County Court of Sessions and Quarter Sessions September Session 1866
Hartford County. The will of James Reddick died was produced in open
Court by Humphrey Smithwick & William Duggan and was duly proved
the oath of John A. Smithwick and Toak Reddick who sworn to the hand
writing of the said James Reddick the Testator and the said Humphrey
Smithwick and William Duggan qualified to execute the same and
on Motion was ordered to be recorded.
Humphrey B. Thayer Clerk

Attest Henry B. Hunter Clerk
by Benj F. Wade D.W.

State of North Carolina & know all men by these presents that I Robert S. Guyther
Marion County being of sound mind and memory do constitute and ordain
this my last will and testament. In the first place I give to my friend Peter
Breed six hundred Dollars the balance of my personal property of what value
or kind soever after paying my just debts I give unto my Brother David &
Guyther and Sister Priscilla Guyther to share their how and apiece equally
to be divided between them, for testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this 28th February 1826

(Signed) Robert S. Guyther

Test Jno S Armistead } (Signed) Robert S Gayther Esq
Agent of Place and Quarter Sessions

Test Int. S. Armstrong? (Signed) Robert S. Gough
State of North Carolina, Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions
Martin County, September Sessions 1826
This will and Testament of Robert S. Gough was produced in open Court by Peter O'Neil Esq. and proven by the oath of John S. Armstrong who swore he saw the Testator sign seal and acknowledge the same to be his last will and Testament and that at the time of so signing and declaring he was of sound disposing mind & memory and on Motion was ordered to be Received
H. J. Hines B. Hunter Clk.

Attest Henry B Hunter Clerk
by Benj. F. Haden D/Ck

In the name of God Amos S. Simon Esq. of Waples County N. York County being of sound and perfect mind and memory do hereby certify to this 22^d day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & twenty three make and seal this my last will & Testament in manner following that is to say: First I give unto my sons Simon S. Esq. & James B. Esq. all my lands & plantations with all the improvements lying on flat lands in the County of Waples to be equally divided between them both, my will and desire is that if my son Simon S. Esq. should return and wish to live on the land my son is that he shall take all the land by giving his brother James B. Esq. the value of his part of the said lands if Simon S. Esq. should wish to sell his part then my will & desire is that both parts of said lands may be sold together & the money then to be equally divided as aforesaid.

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Now I give unto my son Simon I Herrell one Negro man Frank after my Death
to him and his heirs forever

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I give unto my son James B. Correll one Negro woman named Lydia and one
boy white named Randall after my death to him and his heirs forever

Now I give unto my Daughters Sally Courtt one Negro Girl named Deller after
my death to her and her heirs forever
also I give unto my Daughter Sally Courtt the bed and slead and furnellor that
I lie on after my death to her and her heirs forever.

I live on after my death to be sold and the money to be
 given to my wife, Mellen Everett for pigs belonging to a white slave
 I own all my stock of horses cattle sheep & dogs house hold kitchen furniture
 with all my farming tools of every denomination after paying my said debts
 I give to be Equally divided between Simon Everett Sally Everett & James S
 Everett of either of the above named children should die without any lawful
 heirs then my will and desire is that Mary Rebecca wife of Simeon Rebecca Jr come
 in & take an equal part with the above named children in all their legacy
 except the land then of Simon Everett or James S Everett And as to my
 lawful heirs my will and desire is that the one living shall take the other
 & so on until one remains

My well and desire is that the negro and that I have given to Eliza
Felix and Cissy his his life and John Everett and Samuel
Kalen and Wige Amelia have in their part of my property for me —
And I hereby make and ordain my last will and testament in witness
whereof I the said John Everett at this my last Will &
Testament that my last and seal the day and year above
written.

Signed & Seal. R. Reubens

(Signed) James Everett & Co.

State of North Carolina, Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions
Hatteras County, December Sessions 1836

As Simon claims by took the necessary Oaths in open Court,
in due form of Law to qualify him as a Juror to the Last Will
& Testament of Simon Everett. He^{tr}

Wm F. Wade D.D.