

James Salisbury will Continued

According to Valuation and Should either of them die before they arrive of Age or have a Child but heirs or heirs, the other is to share his share and Should both die before they arrive of Age or have an heir or heirs lawfully begotten of the Body, then in that event the same tracts of land and all the improvements, Shall go to my Daughter Nancy E. Hume and I give unto my Son Augustus H. Salisbury, One Negro boy, Hammer and Girl Salba, a Bed & furniture, One small Man, One single barrel Gun, also one third of the Mistress Sam. Mill, with all the privileges as described in the gift of the same to Richard B. Salisbury - I also Give unto my Son Robert H. Salisbury, One Boy Sam & one Girl Denny, One Bed & furniture, One double barrel Gun, one Writing Desk, also one third of the said Sam. Mill, with all the privileges as described in the gift of the same to Richard B. Salisbury.

6th I give unto my Daughter Phyllis E. Salisbury, One Negro Girl named Hannah, one Man Moses and one Woman Eliza, One Bed & furniture, one Harrow, one Burean, One Spring Wagon & Harness, one Bay Horse called Chiver, One Curo, One Cart, one chaise, chaise Horse Cart & Box, all the Croking Tom, one Curo & Cart, one thousand dollars in Bonds, against individuals, Hume, & Fork, and One thousand dollars in Bonds, against individuals.

7th I give unto my daughter Nancy E. Hume and One Negro Man Martha, One Girl Amanda & Emma, One Bed & furniture, One Burean, One Curo & Cart and Four hundred dollars -

8th I give unto my Daughter Mary Louisa Salisbury, One Negro boy Mills, One Boy & Girl Martha, one Bed & furniture, one Burean, one chaise and one hundred & dollars, against individuals.

9th In addition what I have given my Son Robert H. Salisbury, I give unto him One thousand dollars in Bonds, against individuals.

10th Owing to our present difficulties, our debts liable to be taken by the enemy, and Should any of them die before a general division of my estate that I have given off, then and in that event the said Negro or negroes, so dying or being carried off or going off, so that the owners do not get them then the said Negroes, shall be valued and the amount be made good from all my children, share & share alike as I desire each make them equal in the loss.

11th I want my estate to remain together for the present year, and Should my executor think best still longer, but when after this year he may think to the interest of my estate, I want him to sell all of my Chattel property that may be in hand after giving and paying over as before named to my children and the balance of all my estate during which I have and except five acres of land which I reserve in R. B. Salisbury's tract, said five acres I loan to my Sister Sarah Branton during her life time, said two acres to adjoin the Miller's Horse and lot, so as to include the House when Mrs. Martha Johnson now resides, and at the said Mrs. Branton's death said two acres, and to go to said R. B. Salisbury's tract, the balance to be equally divided share & share alike, between all my children after allowing a year for the children that is all.

James Salburg's Will Continued

12th June 1841. I do hereby constitute and appoint my friend Bryan Bennet Executor to this my last Will and Testament also Guardian of my minor heirs - In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal in presence of the 16th January 1841 and, Eight hundred and sixty four
Witness "after attesting a year, support for the children that is
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James Salisbury

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions July Term 1864 } The foregoing paper containing pur-
porting to be the last will and testament of James Salisbury is
is exhibited in open Court to By and Bennett the Exceutors there-
my declared out. offered the same for probate. The decessor contain-
ing of the same was duly sworn to by the oath of J. A. B. Cooper and
Asa Johnson the Subscribing witnesses thereto. Thereupon By and
Bennett the Exceutors therein named came forward and duly
qualified. Ordered by the Court, that the will and the certifi-
cate be recorded. J. M. H. Harnell Clk

Benjamin Leggall's Will

I Benjamin Leggett of the County of Martin State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and memory, knowing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death, do in Order to dispose of the property that God hath blessed me with Revoking all others, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament in manner & form as follows:—

Item 1st It is my wish and desire to be decently buried and that my Executors hereinafter named Superintend the Same—

Item 2nd It is my wish and desire that all of my just debts be paid—and that my Executors Sell the price of land bought of David Burgoines, and also the tract patented by me to pay my indebtedness of any—

Item 3rd After the payment of my just debts, I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Almira Caroline Leggett during her life my Mannor plantation, bulled and bounded as follows: Beginning in a small branch at a corner in Elizabeth Taylor's line, running thence nearly East up a small branch to a Nother small branch, thence along said branch to the run of Turkey Swamp to the lower corner of my old place fence, thence along the fence to upper corner of the plantation thence nearly a west course to the Boring Branch, thence along said Branch to my corner, thence along a line of marked trees to Elizabeth Taylor's corner, thence a straight line to the beginning—and after death I give the said Land to my Son Joseph B. Leggett his heirs and assigns forever

Item 4th I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Almira Caroline Leggett during her life three of my Negroes slaves, Ben, Vice & Louis, also one horse, two Oxen & calves, two Doves & pigs, three cows & lambs, her choice two Bays of horses, one saddle, one Runar, one dozen chairs, one looking glass, one