

In the name of God Amen

I thank Almighty God for His bounty and state of North Carolina
being through the abundance of His goodness of God I
found me in perfect understanding mind and memory blessed
by God do constitute this my last will & Testament first I
bequeath most humbly my soul to God my maker breathing
his most precious acceptance through the all sufficient
merits and mediation of my Compassionate Redeemer Jesus
Christ who gave himself to be an atonement for my sins and
is able to save to the uttermost Amen, I give my body to
God from whence it was taken in full assurance of its resur-
rection from thence at the last day, and as for my burial
I desire it may be made decently done at the discretion of my
Executors here after named who shall not well men-
age it Religiously & prudently, and Touching my worldly Estate
I Order in the following manner, First I desire all my
last debt should be paid, I then desire that my dear
wife Elizabeth should be possessor of the land and plan-
tation whereon and upon which we have our natural life or
widowhood I then I give my horse Ransom to my beloved
wife for ever I then also I give my ten Humpbacked
Two toothed Oxen to her for ever I then I also give my son
Kenneth Ellizell Two Hacks of Bess - I then also I give
and bequeath the bees that remain undivided of to my dear
wife to her for ever I then I desire that all my sheep and
their increase should be equally divided between my
Children, I then I give all my stock of hogs & Cattle to my
beloved wife for ever, also one half of my man for ever
I then I give my dear wife one feather bed and furniture
for ever I then I give unto one bed and furniture to my dear
daughter Elizabeth for ever I then I give also one feather bed
and furniture to my son Kenneth Ellizell for ever I then
I give the residue of all my house hold property to my dear
beloved wife to her for ever after my decease I also make
Choose and appoint my Dear wife Elizabeth Ellizell sole
Exectrix to this my last will & Testament & In witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 28th day
in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred
fifteen signed sealed and delivered in the presence of us
Gordy Ellizell }
Elizabeth Ellizell }
witnesses }
This Instrument of writing
purporting to be the last
will & Testament of Gordy Ellizell was
proven in open Court by Gordy Ellizell and
an attestation ordered to
be recorded Int Feb 7th Town of 6/18

32 Eight hundred and fifteen signed in the presence of us
 witnesses before a Justice,
 Benjamin Rogers
 Samuel Rogers

John W. H. Rogers

deponent hereby
 December Term 1815 } This Instrument of writing purporting
 to be the last will and Testament
 of John W. H. Rogers was proven in open Court by the
 oath of Benjamin Rogers of the subscribing witnesses there to
 and an election ordered to be recorded

Test J. B. Hunter C/le

State of North Carolina Martin County January 17th 1815
 The eld. Certificate that I Henry Cockburn of the State and County
 of on this day being afflicted in body but having my perfect
 senses helped be good for the same do give & bequeath unto
 my son Harmon Cockburn all my stocks of hogs one bed
 stead bed & furniture and all other places wearing hoes and
 my axe & one small pot one Chisel and my shirt and corn
 that was laid up for seven years provision and it is also
 my will that my daughters Eliza & Elizabeth Cockburn
 shall live and serve with my son Harmon Cockburn
 on the provisions then on hand for if they think proper I also
 give & bequeath unto my son Harmon Cockburn one cow
 & calf that is now up and I do give and bequeath unto my
 Daughter Eliza Cockburn one Cow & Calf and one Cow
 & Lamb that is now up - I also give & bequeath unto my
 Daughter Elizabeth Cockburn one bedstead bed & furniture
 one Chisel one Table one Wooden Wheel and one floor wheel
 and it is also my will that my feathers should be Equally
 divided between my son Harmon Cockburn and my
 Daughter Elizabeth Cockburn, I do also wish that my
 goods should be Equally divided between my Daughter
 Eliza & Elizabeth Cockburn and I do also give and bequeath
 unto my Daughter Elizabeth Cockburn one Cow & Calf
 that is now in the woods and I do also give and bequeath
 unto my Daughter Harmona planning one hifer and also
 give and bequeath unto my son Daughter Lanny Lanes one
 hifer and it is also my will and desire that my property
 not mentioned in my will should be Equally divided
 between my son Harmon and my Daughters Eliza & Elizabeth
 Cockburn and the small part of William that I give follows if
 he should demand it to be raised out of the property

= to be divided between them this is my last will and Testament in writing
 signed of I have hereunto placed my seal the day and date above written
 Henry Cockburn
 and I do further appoint my friends Frederick
 Noah Griffin Cockburn to be my Executors to my last will
 and here last my and Testament this fourteenth day of April 1815
 Test. his
 Eliza & Elizabeth
 mark

Martin County } This Instrument of writing purporting to
 December Term 1815 } be the last will and Testament of Henry
 Cockburn was proven in open Court by Benjamin Rogers &
 Abner Hardslip two of the subscribing witnesses and an election
 ordered to be recorded, Test J. B. Hunter C/le

I John Guyther of Plymouth N.C. being sensible of the uncertainty of my life
 and that my Estate may be disposed off agreeable to my wish do hereby
 declare this to be my last will and Testament To say
 1st I give to my son William Guyther my two town Lots in
 Plymouth his one hundred and fifth acre & one hundred & fifth seven
 together with all houses and improvements there on also the following
 Signers viz Harry Graham Ben and Mary
 2nd the balance of my Estate of the paying my just debts I wish
 divided among my wife & the balance of my children
 agreeable to law - I do here by appoint my friends
 David Clark & Reuben Carmel my Executors & also
 Guardians to my children till they arrive of age
 with full & ample power to sell any parts of my
 property which they may deem proper to settle
 my Estate to in all directions & provide for their interest
 In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and seal this 10th day of April 1815.
 John Guyther
 George Nichols
 James Turner

Martin County } This Instrument of writing purporting
 December Term 1815 } to be the last will and Testament
 of John Guyther was proven in open Court by the
 oath of James Turner one of the subscribing witnesses and
 an election ordered to be recorded.
 Test J. B. Hunter C/le