

the division, as it would make my wife is stuck the whole
piece of George go to my brother William except one / until
probated I bequeath to my sister Sarah Elizabeth to my
brother a note of thirteen thousand dollars which I have given
Elizabeth Dabbs ~~to my wife~~ Elizabeth Dabbs I will to my sister
Sarah my debts for living I believe are also very bad and
believing as such am quite well my leaving Elizabeth the
various articles I have begun at her house I desire to remain
in the hands of my brother William until she comes
of age - Elizabeth I will to my sister Mary Reed
my half round Table & single chair upon Table cloth & also
my wheel - Elizabeth I will to my nephew Stephen Jenett Taylor for
and my cousin ~~John~~ James Reed to whom which my letter left
in his will to my hand Elizabeth Dabbs during her
life time - Elizabeth I will to my nephew James Dibbles forty
dollars Elizabeth to my cousin Barra Harrison
forty dollars out of what I had the residue of my property
not mentioned in the preceding for my whether Negro or white
I bequeath to my brother William Reed, & it is my will
that my brother William pay all my just debts or so
of that part of my estate that given to him & that
the other legatees be compelled to pay no part thereof
Finally it is my will that my brother William and
Jenett now her my executrix to carry into effect this my
last will & testament by writing signed & hereunto
set my hand & affix my seal this the 1st day of Febry 1825
at Isaac Green John G. Green Mary G. Reed
Hugh G. Kirkpatrick

In the name of God amen Elizabeth Dabbs of the County
of Nashville State of North Carolina being sick & in no
low condition & realising that my latter end may not be
far distant, & having of a sound disposing mind have thought
to make this my last will & testament in the following
manner - I bequeath to my wife Eleanore Dobson all

my lands & other property to be disposed of to my wife by me in that way & manner which herself & my brother may think most to her comfort & advantage & the comfort & advantage of my children this right she is to retain during her life or widowhood, but provided she should marry she is to determine what law she elected to be a child's part, ~~by~~ ⁱⁿ her marriage to manage the residue of my estate to the benefit & comfort of my children; It is to be understood that when each of my children shall arrive at the years which the law calls of age they are to receive a proportional & equal Division of all the moveable property, but the lands are to remain undivided until my youngest child comes of age & then to be equally divided following my sons to retain the land in equal ~~parts~~ ^{shares} to presenting & quality paying to my Daughters in Money a sum equal in value to a proportional part ~~of the land~~. The thing designed is that my Children be equal sharers of my estate, & further let it be understood that if the executors fit more to the advantages of my children I will be my lands now property & purchase other lands of equal value elsewhere & allow them this privilege, provided it does not interfere with the approbation of my wife & that such sale do not take place during the life of my executrix who has a claim of maintenance on the same. I sign here ^{as}

Finally I appoint the Revd. James Green York Robert H. as my Executor to carry into effect this my last will & testament, his brother's widow I nominate John M. hand & affix my seal this the 12th of August in the year 1826 -- signed sealed & delivered ^{in presence of}

 James Green 
Joseph Green

State of South Carolina York district. I John D. C. ...