

having doffed all my house furniture & bedding  
(with the exception of the two unvalued guitars  
as above) & also all the cattle I might have  
any claim to, together with my books & any  
thing else that might be mine on the farm or  
in the house; I also give to my nephew Alexander  
Walker that small tract of land on the waters of  
Middens creek on which I formerly lived per-  
chesd from William & John Black containing  
Twenty three acres & one half - And I appoint  
John Wilson & Alexander Walker to execute  
this my last will, done in the presence of

George Wilson      } Catherine Walker  
William M. Maxwell }      *E. T. S.*

In the name of God amen. I Hugh Walker of  
the County of Huklinsburg & State of N<sup>o</sup> Carolina  
being at this time perfectly sound in mind & memory  
though in a low state of bodily health; Do make  
this my last will & Testament as follows viz  
First. I will & bequeath unto my loving wife Mrs.  
Walker all my Estate real & personal except so  
much as she may deem proper for the purpose of  
paying all my just debt, then the residue to  
remain in her possession during her widowhood  
or natural life for the purpose of being her support  
& raising & educating my children - Second I will  
that Rachel upon her death be divided among  
my children when the age of mature age  
4<sup>th</sup> if my widow should think proper to marry  
then she shall & share alike with my children  
3<sup>rd</sup> I will & allow my wife the sole right to execute

this my last will & testament or to appoint whom soever she pleases to do it, I do sign seal & publish this as my last will & testament in presence of all others - signed before me & published in presence of .. Oct 19<sup>th</sup> 1818.

Robert Jamison } Hugh Walker -   
David McDonald }

Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> 1820. Then the third article of the above Cradle & the remainder of this will confirmed in presence of the subscribing witnesses who were present.

J R Dunlap & Hugh Walker   
D McDonald }

In the name of God amen. I James Wilson of the County of Mecklenburg State of N Carolina being of sound disposing mind & memory & calling to mind the mortality of my body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, Do make & ordain this my last will and testament as follows Viz all my debts to be paid -

First I recommend my soul to God who gave it, & my body to be buried in a decent Christian like manner, bequeath to my worldly estate, I leave & dispose of it in the following manner Viz I give & bequeath to my nephew Revd William Wilson the use of all my lands (except a part known as my new entry which to be disposed of below) during his life time, also my negro fellow named George, my negro woman named Pegg & their children together with all her offspring my bed & I now lie on & furniture my household & kitchen furniture, my other bed excepted. - I give & bequeath to my friend James Wilson son of Revd James Wilson my negro woman named Pegg, my negro girl named Sophie a bed & furniture & that part of my