

desire that my Daughter Martha Hendrick have in lieu of the two above named (So & Silvia) my negro boy David and my negro woman Rachel to her & her heirs forever, also it is my Will & desire that my Grand daughter Elizabeth Borden have in lieu of the negro boy Jasper willed above my negro woman Sarah to her & her heirs forever and I declare this Will with the attestation to be my last Will, and as witness my hand & seal this 31 May 1810.

Best. Pouches

William G. Berry

John. Perkins Secy

In the name of God Amen. I James Doster resident on Duckhows
Creek Creekland my County State of N. Carolina, being at present in
usual health & of a sound disposing mind (blessed be God) feeling my
Strength much abated Thro' age & calling to mind the decree of
Heaven that it is appointed unto all men once to die, and th^t there
may be no difficulty in disposing of temporalities after my death
I do make & ordain this my last will & Testament in the manner
and form following:— I Give all I do recommend my soul to
God who gave it, and my body to the Earth whence it came to be
buried in a Christian like & decent manner at the discretion of my
Executive herein after named— And as touching such worldly
estate as it hath pleased the Almighty to bless me with, I Give &
dispose of the same as follows:— First I will that all my Just
Debts & funeral expence be paid as soon as can be after my decease—
I Give & bequeath unto my affectionate & beloved wife Sarah all the
land that remains to me after what I have given to my other children
being the plantation on which I now live with all its privileges
& improvements the full & undisturbed possession of which I to be-
have during the term of her natural life I will to my wife—
I command all the farming tools & utensils with all the household and
kitchen furniture also one year provisions for herself & her
mine it only excepted, And further I Give & bequeath unto my wife
appointed six head of cattle with their increase from the present time
tho' being the increase of cattle which were here before our union

Merid, and further I give unto his son head of Hags Bay a haaron
a son & three shares, with three more commonly known by
the name of Lindys heffs--

My will is that my son Andrew continue to live with his mother
& work the plantation untill he comes of age, and to have a support
out of the same. If he is able to work he must work for his own
living but if he is not able to work he must be supported out of
the above mentioned property the whole term of his mothers life
and after his mothers decease my will is that all which may
remain of what I have given to his mother be given to him my
said son Andrew or his heirs for his use & support at the discretion
of my Executors--

It is my will that my cloathing & wearing apparel be equally
divided between my sons Thomas, Jack, William & Obad--

My will is that all the property which may remain, which
is not herein otherwise disposed of with whatever money
may be in hand at the time of my decease be divided without
a sale if can be done agreeably but if not then let it
be sold and out of the money arising from the sale let five
eighths be given to my son Jack & two thirds of the remainder
be given to my son Thomas and the remaining one third to
be equally divided between my son Obad & my daughter Chloe
And lastly I do constitute & appoint
my son Sampson to be sole Executor of this my last will &
testament hereby revoking all former wills by me here-
before made & Ratifying & confirming this to be my last will
& testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand & affixed my seal this 15th day of August in the year
of our Lord 1816--

Witnesses

Thomas Hinckley

John C. Hargreaves

John Pearson

James Doster

