

William & John - ~~Seventh~~ I will & bequeath to ~~the~~ heirs of Taylor my plantation in the Wetmore head joining William White  
I desire that I purchase to from them ~~that~~ that a horse worth eighty  
Dollars & two heds of hained cattle & two heds of sheep -

Eighth It is my will that ~~two~~ four years ~~the~~ two horses be kept for the  
use of the plantation, I also allow the negroes Sampson & Dick to be  
kept on the plantation for the use thereof until my son William  
comes of age & the residue of my property not herein specially  
bequeathed to be sold at publick locations, & the money  
arising from the same to be equally divided among my wife  
& children - And Lastly I do hereby constatare & appoynt my  
friend William Potts ~~my~~ Chapman ~~to~~ hers to the execution of  
this my last will & testament, And I do hereby revoke all  
other will or wills by me heretofore made, Ratifying this &  
no other to be my last will & testament - In testimony  
whereof I the said James Potts have hereunto set my hand  
Under this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July A.D. 1821.

Signed, Sealed, pronounced & declared by the said  
James Potts to be his last will & testament.

In presence of us  
George Graham }  
William Leigh }

James Potts

In the name of God Amen, I James Peoples of the County of  
Mathilding & State of Pennsylvania being in a weak & failing  
body, but of perfect mind & memory, calling to mind the  
mortality of my body & knowing that it is my duty unto  
all men to die, do make & ordain this my last will &  
& testament, and principally & first of all, I recommend my  
soul into the hands of God who gave it, and my body to be  
buried in a Christian like decent manner, nothing desecrat-  
ing it. & I shall receive the same again by the mighty  
power of God at the general resurrection - This is in witness  
unto the world, Earth as it has, for witness to the fact of my  
my will, signed & witnessed - Done the 10<sup>th</sup> day of July in my

and from thence I give & bequeath to my beloved wife Hannah Peoples all the property that I possess of whatever kind to be disposed of at her pleasure during her natural life & at her death I affix to my beloved son William Peoples one hundred dollars to be paid out of my estate also allow my well beloved Daughter Elizabeth one chest of Drawers & Two Bed & furniture that were her own, - all the remainder I allow to be equally divided between my three youngest children to wit Elizabeth, Jones & Silas also allowing all my just debts to be paid ...  
 And lastly, I do hereby constabularie & appoint my beloved wife Hannah Peoples & my beloved son Rich'd Peoples to be the whole & sole Executrix of this my last will & Testament, & I do hereby utterly revoke & disown all other former wills. Ratifying & confirming this to no other to be my last will & Testament, In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January 1887 -

Subscribed & acknowledged in presence of

Robert Carr { John Peoples

Abraham Martin

In the name of God Amen. I Robert Dotts of the County of Hocklindburg & State of NC aforesaid, being sick & in a low Constitution and perfectly sound in Mind & memory blessed be God, Do this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July in the year of our Lord 1888 and publish this my last will & Testament in manner following that is to say it is my will that all my just & lawful debts be paid in such a manner as will be hereafter mentioned I bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Dotts a negro boy man named Caesar & his child named Charity my negro man named Sam which at her death, I do give to my son John, I also bequeath to my wife Elizabeth Dotts an plantation which I now live on supposed to contain about one hundred & three acres, which land I give her as a part of my will to be distributed at her death.