

after her decease it is my last Will & Testament that the whole
Estate Real & personal be Equally divided among my children
Henry Hargott Junr Elizabeth Cheney, Peter Hargott, Rachel
Pellum, Rebecca Brown, Joseph Hargott, Mary Craig, Sarah
Helms, Daniel Hargott, Agnes Leary. Lastly I nominate
appoint & constitute this my last Will & Testament in the hand
of my beloved Sons Henry Hargott Junr & Joseph Hargott Esqrs
to this my last Will & Testament. In Witness whereof I the
said Henry Hargott Junr have hereunto set my hand & seal this
28th day of March 1809.

Signed sealed & delivered

In presence of us -

William Cheney

Henry Cheney

Henry Hargott

" In the name of God Amen, I Sarah Harper of Merkleburg County
being in a sick & low condition but of sound & perfect mind
& memory blessed be God, Do make & publish this my last Will
& Testament in manner following - That is to say -
First I give & bequeath to my beloved Daughter Mary Brown
during her natural life Eight negroes. Viz Lucy, Frank
Frederick, Reina, Charly, Hager, Sylvia & Prudy and all the household
furniture which includes all the beds & bedding, tables, dishes, cups
& board &c. all which are are now in her possession. Also one Bay
Mare - Also the right to occupy possess & enjoy all the right & privileges
in or into one certain tract of about 200 acres of land that I bought
of Adam Brown & all the above Legacy she is to possess during her
natural life & then to descend to her children as hereafter directed
them. I give & bequeath to my beloved Grand daughter Sarah Harper
Deardon one negro Wench named Bickar one negro girl named
Pegg, one negro boy named Sandy & one negro boy named Stages to
go with them increase or issue from this time & one bed & furniture
and other things now in her possession such as wheels &c. to her &
her heirs forever - Then I give & bequeath to my beloved
Grandson John Brown one certain tract of land containing

Nearly or about 200 acres which I purchased from Adam Brown
 it being the said land that the said Adam Brown had in
 which said tract of land I have by will aliened & set over to
 the said John Brown to his heirs & his assigns forever, subject to
 nevertheless to the above incumbrance of his mother's right of Power
 in & to the same claiming her natural life if she should so long live
 also I give & bequeath to the said John Brown one Negro boy
 named George and one Negro girl named Clarissa to him & his heirs
 and assigns forever together with their issue.

"I give & bequeath to my beloved Grandson Lewis Hamilton
 Brown one Negro boy named Frank, one Negro girl named Anna
 together with their increase from the date hereof subject to the
 right of Power in her mother during her life as above to him
 & his heirs forever.

"I give & bequeath to my beloved Granddaughter Mary Ann
 Brown one Negro girl named Agnes & her issue from the present
 time subject to the right of Power in her mother during life, also
 my riding saddle to her & her heirs forever.

"I give & bequeath to my beloved Granddaughter Dory Mose
 Brown one Negro girl named Sylvia & her issue from this date
 subject to her mother's right of Power during life as above also
 one bed & furniture on which I now lie to her & her heirs forever.

"I give & bequeath unto my beloved Grandson Jefferson
 Brown one Negro man named Frederick & one Negro
 girl named Paddy & their issue from this date, subject to his mother's
 right of Power during life as above to him his heirs & assigns forever.

"I give & bequeath to my beloved Grandson Wm. Alexander
 Coffey one Negro boy named Mark to him his heirs & assigns
 and assigns forever to be delivered to him or his legal guardian
 at my decease or as soon after his time may expire provided
 nevertheless that in case the said William Alexander Coffey dies
 under the age of 21 leaving no legal heirs of his body, then & in
 that case the said Negro boy Mark shall be vested in & be the
 property of my Grandson John Matthews & I devise to him &
 his heirs & assigns forever.

"I give & bequeath that at the death of my said daughter

nevertheless to the above incumbrance of his mother's right of Dower
in & to the same claiming her natural life of the & above to except it
also I give & bequeath to the said John Brown one Negro boy
named George and one Negro Girl named Clarissa to him & his heirs
and assigns forever together with their issue.

"Item, I give & bequeath to my beloved Grandson Lewis Hamden
Brown one Negro boy named Frank, one Negro Girl named Anna
together with their increase from the date hereof subject to the
right of Dower in his mother during her life as above to him
& his heirs forever —

"Item, I give & bequeath to my beloved Granddaughter Keziah
Brown one Negro Girl named Hagar & her issue from the present
time subject to the right of Dower in her mother during life, also
my riding saddle to her & her heirs forever.

"Item, I give & bequeath to my beloved Granddaughter Dory Murch
Brown one Negro Girl named Sylvia & her issue from this date
subject to her mother's right of Dower during life as above also
one bed & furniture on which I now lie to her & her heirs forever —

"Item, I give & bequeath unto my beloved Grandson Jefferson
Brown one Negro man named Frederick & one Negro
Girl named Paddy & their issue from this date, subject to his mother's
right of Dower during life as above to him his heirs & assigns forever.

"Item, I give & bequeath to my beloved Grandson Wm. Alonzo
Coxsby one Negro boy named Mark to him his to him his heirs
and assigns forever to be delivered to him or his legal guardian
at my death or as soon after his time may expire provided
nevertheless that in case the said William Alonzo Cocksby dies
under the age of 21 leaving no legal heirs of his body, then & in
that case the said Negro boy Mark shall be vested in & be the
property of my Grandson John Matthews & his heirs & assigns forever —

"Item, It is my will & pleasure that at the death of my said daughter
Mary Brown that all my Estate not otherwise willed by my Last
& Charles & all the household furniture &c. shall be sold & the net
amount thereof after all my just debts are paid shall be equally

divided amongst my said six grand children Viz Sally, John, Susan, Henry, Denny & Jefferson all children to my said daughter Mary Porters and; to them or their heirs or to the survivors of them their heirs for ever -

Lastly I hereby make & ordain my worthy friends John Davidson Junr. & John Howard Executors of this my last will & Testament In witness whereof I the said Sarah Harper have to this my last will & Testament set my hand & seal this 17th day of June 1804. Signed sealed published & declared by the said Sarah Harper the Testator as her last will & Testament in the presence of us who were present at the signing & sealing thereof

John Davidson

John Davidson

Robert Davidson

Sarah Harper

" In the name of God Amen. I Hugh Henson of N. Carolina Northampton County being in a sick & low condition, bearing in mind the mortality of my body, I recommend my soul to God who gave it & my body to the dust from where it came, As to my worldly estate that I have been blessed with, I give & bequeath in the manner & form as here mentioned. I give to my beloved wife Elizabeth the third of my moveable property household furniture & stock to be directed by the judgment of men. I give to my beloved daughter Mary Simmeral her & her heirs forever my tract of Land I now live on, for the only use of her during her natural life & then to her heirs forever for their only use likewise my negroes Moses his wife Bessy & Ike & Hel.

Item, I Give to my Grandson Hugh Henson one negro girl named Linder for his only use. — All bonds notes after my funeral charges is paid & funeral charges is discharged, one third to my wife & the remainder to my daughter Mary Simmeral — my wife Elizabeth to have her living of my plantation during her widowhood & Linder to wait upon her till her grandson is of age — Likewise I appoint my trusty friend Wills or Ferguson & Thomas Boyd to execute this my last will & Testament. Given under my hand & seal the 19th day of June in the year of our Lord 1805