

And the deponent further saith that the said William Hudson the testator aforesaid did at the time of subscribing his name as aforesaid declare the said paper writing so subscribed by him and exhibited to be his last will and testament and this deponent did thereupon subscribe his name at the end of said will as an attesting witness thereto and at the request and in the presence of said testator and the deponent further saith that at the said time when the said testator subscribed his name to the said last will as aforesaid, and at the time of the deponent's subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid the said William Hudson was of sound mind and memory of full age to execute a will and was not under any restraint, to the knowledge information or belief of the deponent and further these deponents say not generally known and

Midway, Va.
November 18th

Subscribed this the 20th day of
(October 1855) before me

C. C. Wade
Judge of Probate

Ezekiel Hardister's Will

North Carolina Montgomery County this the 13th day of March 1852
In the name of God... I Ezekiel J. Hardister of the County and State aforesaid being of perfect mind and memory be it God do this day make and publish my last will and testament in the manner following that is to say that I will that my mother Peggy Hardister have enough of my property to answer any of her necessities to be given her by the Executors of this will and if I Ezekiel J. Hardister should never return back from the Army to which I have now bound to go I secondly will and bequeath that all the remaining part of my property be given to Ezekiel J. Hardister son of the said Ezekiel J. Hardister and I hereby appoint my loving and affectionate friends Wm. H. Thayer and Abraham B. Little as Executors of this my last will and testament from under my hand and seal the day and year before above written in the presence of

Ezekiel J. Hardister

Montgomery County in the Probate Court

I further subscribe to be the last will and testament of Ezekiel J. Hardister as exhibited before me the undersigned Judge of Probate for said County of Montgomery and Wm. H. Thayer and Abraham B. Little as the executors thereof by the said Ezekiel J. Hardister of the said County and in execution of the said will and testament I have signed these presents and the deponent further saith that the said testator at the time when he subscribed his name to the said last will and testament was of full age to execute a will and was not under any restraint, to the knowledge information or belief of the deponent and further these deponents say not generally known and

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John Harrow's Will

January 1852. I John Harrow being in bad health and not knowing when I may be called hence, I make this my last will and testament after paying all my just debts I give my body to the Lord from whence it came and my soul to God. And to my beloved wife I leave all my real and personal property during her natural life to use and dispose of as she thinks best and after her death to be equally divided between my 3 children my daughter Abigail Taylor and my son Ralph Harrow and my son Robert Harrow by choosing & disinterested men to take it off and draw for it or sell it and divide the money as they may think best by choosing a disinterested man to manage it for them.