

52) John Blacks Will

In the name of Amen - I John Black of the County of Moore and State of North Carolina being of sound and Perfect mind and memory do make this my last will and Testament bequeath my soul to God and my body To the faith I will &c I do bequeath to my beloved wife Effy Black one hundred acres of land including where I now live together with all the house hold and kitchen Furniture farming utensils and the of the stock that she now claims and after her death the land given To my dearly beloved son Duncan Black and all the Farming utensils that will be found at her death also I bequeath to my son John B. Black one hundred acres of land in the mill fork together with what stock is named to him also I bequeath to my son Daniel B. Black one hundred acres of land not far from the first Mentioned hundred together with what stock is named To him also I bequeath to my beloved Daughter Margaret Black all the stock of cattle sheep that she now claims as hers also I bequeath to my beloved Daughter Mary Black all the stock of cattle and sheep that she now claims as hers also I bequeath to my beloved Daughter Elizabeth Black all the stock of cattle and sheep that she now claims as hers and also for the Houses to be left for the use of the Family until the debts will be paid and still continue To the use of the family while they stay together also I bequeath my part of the property bequeath to my mother viz Hugh Black deceased during her life to be Equally Divided Between my heirs also I bequeath my part of the negroes bequeath by Hugh Black to his widow Effy Black as her Life Estate to be divided as the above Equally Between all my heirs also if the girls or any of them should remain unmarried for them or her to be supported out of the Land I improve my Executors to collect all the moneys Due me by notes and accounts so I conclude by appointing my worthy friends Effy Black and John B. Black my Executors March 27. 1855-

Effy and John B. Black Executors

Attest
Saml. McKeithen
John Paterson
John Black

John Black (Seal)

Moore County Court August Term 1853
This will was duly proven in open Court by the oath of Daniel M. Keithen and John Paterson two of the subscribers Witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded
Recorded in book B. pages 52, and 53. Ab. hung 6th

Nicholas Watts Will

State of North Carolina
Moore County

I Nicholas Watts of the County and State aforesaid do make and make this my last will and Testament To wit after paying all my Just Debts I bequeath all the balance of my Estate in manner and form as follows -

Item 1st Richard Tomlinson Jacob Tyson and Martin Lee having received as much of my Estate as I design for them and my three Daughters Elizabeth Tomlinson and Mary Tyson and Ann Lee -

Item 2nd I give to Aaron Tyson my two inches a pad of land and mills with other improvements a parcel surveyed and the plat hereunto annexed said plat made by John W. Remstead also Saul, Burke, Mariah, and Lucrecia -

Item 3rd I give to James Goodwin Tomlinson all the land and With the improvements that I am in possession of south of the road leading from my house to Aaron Tysons before as to said survey boundary both in Randolph County and Moore -

Item 4th I give to my grand Daughter Amelia Tyson all the land that I am in possession of north of the aforementioned road in the County of Randolph I also give to my grand son James G. Tomlinson and my grand Daughter