deed.

In The Name of God, Amèn. I Isaac Bass of Nash County and State of North Carolina being sick and weak but of sound Mind and perfect memory do ordain this to be my last will and testament in monner and form, followeth: I lend unto my beloved wife Nancy Bass four negroes called Pomp, Hall, Patience and Phill in during her life all so choice of four head of my horses also twenty head of my choice cattle and also thirty head of my choice hoggs also four feather beds and furniture, and also all my sheep and gees.

I give and bequeath unto my son Jethro Bass one hundred and fifty acres of land more or less beginning at a red Oak on Charles Browns line running to the head of the long meadow and down the various courses of Beasom pen branch to great pe ch tree creek and down the various courses of the said creek to White heads line and down whitehead line to his one line, All so I give and bequeath my sun Jethro Bass two negroes by the name of #all and Phill after his mothers death also I give and bequeath unto my sun Jesse Bass two negroes by the name of York and Moll also I give and bequeath to my grandson Isaaq. Bass sun of Jesse Bass one feather bod and furniture called the Roanoke Dad. also give and bequeath unto my sun Isaac Bass all my beech swamp land and one negro feller named Roger also I give and bequeath to my son John Bass one negro kayxthe name of Patienceafter his mothers death, and also I give and bequeath unto my sun Augustin Bass all the remainder of my lands and plantation after his mothers death am all so I give and bequeath to my son Augustin Bass two negroes one by the name of Bob after my desense and the other by the name of Pemp after his mothers desease and also I give and bequeath unto my son Augustin Bass my mill. Also I give and bequeath unto my granson John Devinport me negre boy by the name of Ceasar. Also I give and bequeath unto my daughter Nise Rogers seventeen pounds Virginia money and that to be all the acres of my estate. and all so I give and bequeath unto my daughter Hisy Rawrence one negro girl by the name of Cate and seventeen pounds virginia money and that to be all they are of my estate, It is my will and desire after my debts is paid that the rest of my estate shall be equally divided between my sons Jethro Bass, Jesse Bass, JohnBass and AugustinBass and further more I appoint my sun Jethre Bass and Jesse Bass holley and solley my executors of this my last will and testament revoking all former wills by me hearto four made and do establish this to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunte set my hand and seal, this the 27th day of December, 1800

John Richardson George Richardson.

Isaac xBass (Seal)

Nach County

FebruaryTerm, 180

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The foregoing will was in open court duly proven by the oath of William Aichardson a subscribing witness thereto and on motion ordered to be recorded.

Attest, Wm Hall, C.C.

and is registered in obedience to the above order.

Attest, Wm Hall, C.C.

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A Will made this 28th day of January 1800. In the name of God amon, I Jeremiah Culpepper of NashCounty being sick and of weak constitution but of sound memory and mind and declare this to be my last will and testament in manner following. I give and bequeath unto my dear and beloving wife Pashions the use of all my lands and possessions durations her natural life or widowhood and then to be equally divided amongst all my children at her death is what I mean that it is to be divided whereunto I have set my hand this 28th day of January 1801 in presents hereof witness hereby

Jordan Bass
John Edwards
Abraham xHedgpeth

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Also I appoint Hedgpeth to settle my accounts and administrator on my estate.

Nash County

February Term, 1801

The foregoing will was in open court duly proven by the oath Jordan

Bass and John Edwards hie subscribing witnesses thereto and an motion to
be ordered to be recorded.

Attest, Wm Hall, C.C.

and is registered in obedience to the above order.

127 Attest, Wm Hall, c.C.

In The Name of God, Amen. I William Vester of Nash County and State of North Carolina being sick and weake but of sound mind and memory do make ordain this to be my last will and testament in manner and form as followeth.

I lend unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Vester one Hundered acres of land concluding on the plantation I know live in during of her natural life or widowhood all so I lend unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Vester all my household and kitchen furniture induring of her life or widowhood and also all my stock and all my working tools induring by her life or widowhood and all so I give unto my two eldest suns Nathan Vester and William Vester the Hundred acres of land I lend to my wife after her death or marriage again.

and all so itis my will and desire that the balance of my lands should be sold to settle my debts.

And also I give unto the rest of my children polley Vester, Elizabeth United Merritt, Green Vester Temperance Vester and Suckey Vester all the household furniture and stock and working tools that I lent to my wife after headeath or merriage again. It is my will and desire of after my debts is paid that my wife should have the rest of the money my land fetches that I left to