

In the Name of God Amen. I Rachel Hackney of Nash County being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say Imprimis: I give unto my daughter Sarah Pope one negro boy named Harry, two pewter dishes and two pewter plates. Item: I Lend unto my daughter Purity Meals one negro girl named ~~Ada~~ during her life at her death the said negro and her increase if any to be equally divided amongst said Purity Meals children. I likewise give unto the said Purity Meals one pewter dish and two pewter plates. Item: I Lend unto my daughter Unity Parker one negro girl named Book during her life and at her death the said negro with her increase to be equally divided amongst said Unity Parker's children. I likewise give unto said Unity Parker one pewter dish and two Pewter plates.

Item: I Lend unto my daughter Penney Adkins one negro girl named Doll during her life and at her death the said negro with her increase if any to be equally divided amongst said Penney Adkins children. I likewise give unto said Penney Adkins one pewter dish two pewter plates and one woman saddle. Item: I give unto my grandson Benjamin Pope one feather bed and bedstead and two sheets.

Item: I give unto my grand daughter Nanney Meals one feather bed, bedstead and one sheet.

Item: I give unto grand son Cain Parker one dutch oven.

Item: I give unto my grandson Jennons Hackney one feather bed, two sheets one pair of iron wedges, one ax and one claw hammer.

Item: I give unto my granddaughter Rachel Adkins one cow and two yearlings.

Item: I give unto my grand daughter Betsy Hackney one hoifer.

Item: I give unto my granddaughter Penney Hackney one cow.

Item: I leave all the remainder of my estate to be equally divided amongst my four daughters Sarah Pope, Purity Meals, Unity Parker and Penney Adkins.

Item: I do hereby constitute and appoint Forsworthy Meals to execute this my last will and testament. As witness my hand and seal this 23 day of

January. 1788.

Signed, sealed and delivered in

presence of
Jesse Johnson.
Christopher ~~any~~.

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Rachel Hackney (Seal)

Nash County the foregoing will was duly proven by the oath of Jesse Johnson a subscribing witness thereto which is ordered to be recorded.

Attest. Wm Hall, C.C.

and is registered in obedience to the above order.

Attest, Wm Hall, C.C.

In the Name of God Amen. I Elizabeth Mason of the county of Nash and the State of North Carolina being in perfect health sound mind and memory do hereby make ordain and publish this my last will and c. in manner and form following. viz:

After all my just debts and funeral expenses are paid my will and desire is that all my stock of every kind all my money in hand all my notes and account and to the end all my estate of whatever nature or kind be equally divided betwixt my sons Mark Foster William and Abner Mason and I do hereby constitute Foster Mason, William Mason and Abner Mason executors to this my will at the same time revoking all others wills heretofore by me made in evidence of which I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day of March 1811.

signed, sealed and acknowledged
in presence of

Peter Arrington

her
Elizabeth x Mason (Seal)
mark.

Nash County, November term 1812

The foregoing will was duly proven in open court by the oath of Peter Arrington, and witness thereto and on motion recorded.

Wm Hall, C.C.C.

and is recorded in obedience to the above order.

Wm Hall, C.C.C.