

to this my last will and testament and I do make void and revoke all other will or wills made by me heretofore in witness whereof I do set my hand and seal the day and date first above written.

Test.
A.B. Baines
his
James x B. Baines
mark.
William x Whitfield (Seal)
mark.

State of North Carolina, Nash County Court August Term 1826.

The foregoing will and testament of William Whitfield Sen was exhibited in open court and duly proven by the oaths of Absalom B. Baines and James B. Baines subscribing witnesses thereto and on motion ordered to be recorded. and is recorded. Attest H Blount, C.C.C.

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In the Name of God Amen. I Thomas Beckwith Sen, of the County of Nash and State of North Carolina, being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory blessed be God do this 8th day of May in the year of our Lord 1826 make and ordain this to be my last will and testament and as to my worldly estate wherein it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I give and dispose in the following manner to wit:

Imprimis: I give and bequeath unto my grand son Benjamin Beckwith two dollars to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my grandson Zion Beckwith and my granddaughter Nancy Beckwith wife of the aforesaid Zion, two acres to them and their heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my grand daughter Mary Woodard and wife of Solomon Woodard one negro man named Peter to them and their heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my grand son Thomas Wright Beckwith one negro man named Willie to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my grand son Clinton Beckwith one negro man named Gilbert to him and his heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my grand son Dawson Beckwith fifty acres of land lying on the east side of the Tar River Branch known by the name of the Ames Tract joining his own land to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my grand daughter Polly Whitehead five dollars to her and her heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my grand daughter Mahalah Moore five dollars to her and her heirs forever.

Item: It is my desire that the rest and residue of my estate that I have not given away by deed or gift or will be sold and my debts paid and the balance if any I desire that it should be equally divided between Thomas Wright and Clinton Beckwith to them and their heirs forever.

Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my worthy friend William Drake executor to this my last will and testament and I do hereby

revoke disallow and disanull all other wills by me made in witness where I hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above

written. Signed, sealed in presence

of us
his
Zion x Whitley
mark.
Wm H Hale

his
Thomas x Beckwith (Seal)
mark.

State of North Carolina, Nash county court Nov Term 1826

The foregoing last will and testament of Thomas Beckwith was exhibited in open court for probate and was duly proven by the oaths of Zion Whitley and William H Hale Subscribing witnesses thereto and on motion ordered to be recorded. Attest H Blount, C.C.C.

and is recorded in obedience thereto

H Blount, C.C.C.

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11th of October, 1826. In the Name of God Amen. I Sarah Arrington being weak in body but of sound mind, and memory, do ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following viz: I give and bequeath to my son Malcolm Gardner my buffet that is now standing in the house where he now dwells, also my black walnut chest; and all the rest of my property to be equally divided amongst all of my children. I do hereby constitute and appoint John Derring my whole and sole executor to this my last will and testament signed, sealed and acknowledged in presence of us.

her
Jno. Arrington
Arch. Arrington

Sarah x Arrington
(Seal)
mark.

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State of North Carolina, Nash county court November term 1826

The within last will and testament of Sarah Arrington was exhibited in open court and duly proven by the oath of John Arrington a subscribing witness thereto and on motion ordered to be recorded.

Attest H Blount, C.C.C.

and is recorded in obedience thereto.

H Blount, C.C.C.

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In the Name of God Amen. I Redman Bunn of Nash County and State of North Carolina being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following.

Imprimis: I desire my just debts to be paid

Item: I lend unto my loving wife Drucilla Bunn all my lands and plantations whereon I now live containing five hundred and thirty four during her life.

Item: I give and bequeath after my wives death all my lands and plantation which I have lent unto my loving wife during her life unto my nephew Willie Bunn to him his heirs and assigns for ever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto Joel Wall one negro girl named