

Item: My will is that the negro woman Pink and all her increase that I lent to my daughter Charity Hedgepeth should stand disposed of as by said Charities will.

Item: I give to my daughter Selah Evans one negro girl named Little Jude and her increase to be held and enjoyed by her and her heirs forever.

Item: I give to my daughter Mary Jones one dollar in cash to her and her heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my three granddaughters Nancy, Patsy, and Mary Jones one negro woman Milbury, one negro by Arch, one negro girl Sylvia and one named Cary and all their future increase to be equally divided amongst them at the death of their mother Mary Jones and if one of the said grand children should die without heirs children or child at the time of her death my will is that if the two surviving ones should heir the above negroes and increase if two of the said children should die with out having children or child at the time of their death my will is the surviving one should heir the above named negroes and their increase to be held and enjoyed by them and their heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my daughter Patience Thomson two negroes by the name of Cliff and Harry and all their increase of the said Cliff to be held and enjoyed by her and her heirs forever.

Item: I give to my daughter Patsy Atkinson Lucys two children namely Byroom and Vilet and all their increase to be held and enjoyed by her and her heirs forever.

Item: I give to my daughter Lucretia Pitman one negro woman named Betty and all her increase one negro boy named Lewis to be held and enjoyed by her and her heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son Jacob Braswell one negro man named Tony one negro girl named Little Bess and her increase to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give to my son William Braswell one negro boy named Pomp one negro woman named Lettuce and all her increase to him and her heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son Brittain Braswell one negro man named Stephen one negro girl named Olive and all her increase to be held and enjoyed by him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son Jesse Braswell all my land and plantation whereon I now live also the land I purchased of Deny Braswell one negro man Bob one negro woman Juda one negro woman Cate by Allen and their increase also Charles and Venis also my still and my cyder cask to be held and enjoyed by him and his heirs forever.

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Item: My two old negroes woman Bess and Rose I wish to be free and to live with my children where the said negro shall think proper.

Item: I give and bequeath to my five grand children Susanna Temperance "hoda, Mary and John Atkinson children of Patsy Atkinson one negro woman named Little Vinis and all her increase to be Equally divided between them after their mothers death.

Item: My will and desire is that after the payment of all my just debts that the residue of my estate should be divided between the following persons Chloa Sellers, Selah Evans, Mary Jones, children to draw one share, Patience Thomson, Patsy Atkinson children (to draw one) share Jacob Braswell William Braswell, Brittain Braswell and Jesse Braswell, Lucretia Pitman. I do hereby constitute and appoint my friends William Boddie and George Boddie executors to this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed and declared in the presents of
us William Braswell
Elixx Jones.

mark his
Benjamin Braswell
his mark.
John Braswell
mark.

his
Jacob Braswell (Seal)
mark.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. WASH COUNTY AUG. Term 1823.

The foregoing was exhibited in open court by George Boddie one of the executors therein named and proven to be the last will and testament of Jacob Braswell Sen. by the oaths of William Braswell and Benj. Braswell two subscribing witnesses thereto and on motion ordered to be recorded.

Attest H G Blount, C.C.C.

and is recorded

Attest H.G. Blount C.C.C.

In the Name of God Amen. I Solomon Edwards of Wash County and State of North Carolina being in sound and perfect mind and memory blessed be God do this the sixteenth day of September in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty do make and publish this my last will and testament in the manner and form following to wit:

I give and bequeath unto my son Edwin Edwards all that tract of land whereon I now live containing 382 acres more or less adjoining the lands of Levi S Underwood, Cordal Hunter, Hines Drake and others to him and his heirs forever. and I hereby make and ordain my son Edwin Edwards executor of this my last will and testament In witness whereof I the said Solomon Edwards have to this my last will and testament set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

his
Solomon x Edwards (Seal)
mark.