

Ezekiel Morgan of the County of New Hanover, and State
of North Carolina, being very ill and near the point of death
and attended by John Thwin, Samuel Bunting and Daniel
Morgan, who observing the said Ezekiel Morgan to be in his
proper senses, Samuel Bunting asked him the said Ezekiel
which plantation was for his son Aaron (who is youngest son)
he answered, this here, meaning the place where he lay, with
all the land belonging to it; he was then asked where his
wife Elizabeth should stay, he answered here; he was then asked
how long, he answered, so long as she lives if a widow and
behaved herself; he was then asked by the afore said Samuel
Bunting, which plantation he intended for his son James, he
answered that on the North West; he was also asked what
was to be done with the rest of his lands, he answered to be
equally divided; he was again asked among whom, he answered
my children; he was asked, if among the whole, he answered
yes; he was then asked what he intended for his wife Elizabeth
Morgan, he answered two negroes Bet and Lou, the question
was repeated, he answered Lou and Bet; and being asked
what he would have done with the remainder of his moveable
estate, negroes, horses, cattle and hogs, he answered, divided
equally among my children; and in about half an hour, or
thereabouts he expired, about eleven o'clock, this nineteenth day
of November, and in the year of our Lord one thousand seven
hundred and eighty three.

Sworn to before me Tho^s Jones. J. P. }
on the twentieth day of November, 1783 }
by Daniel Morgan

New Hanover County }
April Term 1784 }

Daniel Morgan came into Court,
and made oath, that the above probate by him made before
Tho^s Jones esquire, was by eleven o'clock, the next day after the
death of the said Ezekiel Morgan.

Tho^s Bloodworth. J. P.