

dollars in cash which she has already rec^d, to her, and her heirs forever.
6th. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Comfort Hutch, my negro girl Sarah, to her, and her heirs forever.
7th. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Elizabeth George, three hundred dollars, which she has already received, to her and her heirs forever.
and I hereby make and ordain my beloved wife Esther Hutch and my son David Hutch, Executors of this my last will and Testament.
In witness whereof I the said John Hutch, have to this my last will and Testament set my hand and seal the day and year above written
Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the said John Hutch the Testator, as his last will and Testament, in the presence of us who were present at the time of signing and sealing thereof.
Nich^s N. Nixon
Jo^s by Pickett

John Hutch. Seal
mark,

New Hanover County } County Court March Term 1828.

The execution of the within will was proved by the oaths of Nicholas N. Nixon and ordered to be filed. At the same time, David Hutch qualified as Executor thereto.

Witness
Thos^s H. Davis. Ck.

In the name of God Amen. I, Isabella Fontaine being of sound mind and in the perfect exercise of all my mental faculties, and being desirous to make a disposition of my property, do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and Testament, hereby revoking and annulling all other, such wills as I may have at any time heretofore made.
Impressis. I give and bequeath to my friend Mrs Sarah Duncan, the wife of Andrew Duncan, my own chain and writing desk, which she will be pleased to accept as a testimonial of my esteem and as a mark of my gratitude for the kindness she has shown to me.
In the second place, I give and bequeath to her, Mary Abbe de Ree, the wife of Dr. James de Ree, all my pictures, prints and paintings as a slight mark of my regard to her.
In the next place, It is my will and desire, that my Executor should sell and dispose of all my property of every description, and collect and receive all debts which may in any manner, and shape be due and owing to me and dispose of the same in the best manner hereinafter directed.

It is further, my will and earnest desire, that my faithful and affectionate slave Mary, be manumitted and set free according to the forms of law, as soon after my decease as practicable, as a reward for her uncommon zeal and fidelity, in my service: If however, it should be found impossible to have the said slave Mary, regularly manumitted, then I make it my particular, and urgent request to my Executor, to allow her all the freedom and indulgence consistent with the laws of the State, and to protect and treat the said Mary, rather as a humble friend than as a slave. I also will and direct, that all my wearing apparel be given to said Mary, and that the sum of thirty dollars, should so much remain after the settlement of my affairs, and the payment of all my just debts and funeral charges, be given to her, &c. I hereby constitute and appoint my friend Dr James T. Lee Executor to this my last Will and Testament, desiring and authorizing him to retain as his own property, as a grateful return for his continual kindness to me, whatever may remain of my estate after the payment of the above legacies, and the discharge of my debts and funeral expenses. The Witnesses whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this fifth day of October, in the year 1827.

Signed, sealed, published and }
declared in presence of }
Isabella Fountain. (Seal)
Jos. A. Hill }

New Hanover County } County Court. June Term 1828.
The execution of the above Will was proved
in due form of law by Joseph A. Hill subscribing witness and ordered
to be filed -
Witness
Thos. H. Davis. Clk.

State of North Carolina }
New Hanover County }
In the name of God Amen.
Know ye, that I Noah Fountain of the County and State
above written, being weak, in body, but in my senses and sound
memory, thanks be to God for the same, and considering the incertainties of this mortal life, do make this my last Will and Testament in a manner, as follows -
First. I give my soul to God that gave it me, and my body to the dust, to be buried by my friends and executors in a Christian like manner -
My desire and request is for as much of my property to be sold as will satisfy my debts, and the rest if any (except my gun) to go to my beloved wife Kimmie Fountain -