

New Hanover County } County Court. February Term 1819.
 The execution of the within will of Phineas
 Pickering was proved in open Court by the oaths of David Jones and
 George Lyde two of the subscribing witnesses and ordered to be filed,
 at the same time Eli L Larkins and William H Halsey qualified as
 Executors.

Witness

Thos H Davis. Clk.

In the name of God Amen. September, 30th, 1819.
 I, Jacob, Powell senior, of New Hanover County in the State of North
 Carolina, being in disposed but of perfect mind and memory, calling
 to mind the shortness of my body and knowing that it is appointed
 unto all men to die, do make and ordain this my last will & Testament,
 that is to say, First. I give and recommend my soul to Almighty God
 and my body to the earth to be buried in a decent manner, and as
 to such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless and in
 this life, I give, demise and dispose of the same as follows.
 I give and bequeath to my sons Thomas Powell, Jacob Powell, Hardy
 Powell, and the heirs of James Powell my youngest son dec^d, the sum
 of one dollar each. And to my daughters Mary Powell, Miriam
 Rattles, Nancy Futch, Rachel Hollows, and Therese Stingfield, the sum
 of one dollar each, to be paid by my executor.
 I give and bequeath to my youngest daughter, Margaret Lee
 one half of the lands that I now have and hold, and to the
 son of my said daughter, Margaret known by the name of Joshua
 Powell Lee, I give the remaining half of my lands, to be divided betwⁿ
 said said Margaret and her son Joshua Powell Lee equally.
 And lastly. I appoint, and ordain my son in law Thomas Lee, Execu-
 -utor of this my last will and Testament, and do revoke all former
 wills. In Witness whereof I said Jacob Powell have hereunto set my
 hand and seal the date above written. } his
 Signed, sealed, published and declared } Jacob + Powell Sen^r
 by the Testator in presence of us } mark
 James Newton
 Isaac Newton Jun^r

New Hanover County } County Court. February Term 1823.
 The execution of the within will of Jacob
 Powell, was proved in open Court by James Newton and Isaac
 Newton subscribing witnesses and ordered to be recorded at same
 time Thomas Lee qualified as Executor.
 Witness

Thos H Davis. Clk.