

In the name of God Amen. I, James Henry
of the State of North Carolina, of New Hanover County, of New Hanover, being
of weak body, but sound and perfect mind, thanks be to God, do
make this my last Will and Testament, this twenty fifth day of
November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and sixteen, in manner and form following—
First. I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God
who gave it—

Secondly. I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Mary dur-
-ring her natural life all my lands, together, with George,
Frank, Rose and her child Molly; after her death the before
named negroes to be equally divided among my children
my daughters to have a comfortable home as long as they live
single—

after her death I give and bequeath unto my son Charles
Henry all my lands; together, with Isaac, Leonard, Sandy
and Andrew—

I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Catharine, Nancy
and her child Handy—

I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Margaret, Mary Ann
and her increase—

I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Mary, Winnifred, Monday,

I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Sand, Rebecca and Bill—

I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Flora, Isaac Junior, and Monique,

I give and bequeath unto John Lamb, two hundred dollars to be
paid by my son Charles and his mother—

I again give and bequeath unto my loving wife Mary, all my
stock, of every kind to use and dispose of as she thinks proper—

I do lastly constitute and appoint my trusty friends Robert Humphrey
and Daniel Kerr sole executors of this my last Will and Testame-
-ent— In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
this day and year first, above written—

Robert Henry } James Henry Seal
William Henry }
Jesse Lee }

New Hanover County } County Court February Term 1817
The within will was exhibited in open
Court and proved by Robert Henry and William Henry two of
the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded—
Witness
Thos^d H. Davis. Ck