

State of North Carolina }
 New Hanover County }

In the name of God. Amen.

I Margaret Manning widow of Brunswick County, being
 sick and weak in body, but of perfect mind and memory
 thanks be given unto God. Therefore calling unto mind the mor-
 tality of my body, and knowing that it is appointed for all
 men once to die, do make and ordain this my last will and
 Testament, in manner, and form following.

First. I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God
 who gave it, and my body I commit to the earth to be buried at the
 discretion of my Executor here named.

And as to such worldly goods as it hath pleased God to bless me
 with, I give and bequeath in manner and form following.

First. My will is that all my just debts and funeral expenses
 shall be first paid. Then I give and bequeath unto my mother,
 for her life, one negro wench named Dinah, and after my
 mother's death, the said negro to be given to my brother, and the
 heirs of his body, but should my brother die without issue, then
 the said negro Dinah to become the sole property of Elizabeth Gibson
 I also give and bequeath unto the said Elizabeth Gibson one negro
 girl named Phillis, and should the said Elizabeth Gibson die
 before she come of age, the negro named Phillis to become the
 property of Elizabeth Barnes.

I also desire that my clothes and linen be divided between my
 mother and sister Smith.

I also give unto Mrs. Lazenby a half dozen of burnt china plates.

I also give unto Mrs. Lazenby a pair of set buckles, and my wedding
 ring to be given unto Mrs. Lazenby.

I also give unto Mary Wotton, one pair of gold buttons.

My will is that all the remainder of my things be sold at vendue,
 &c. I do hereby nominate and appoint my cousin John Lazenby
 to be my sole executor of this my last will and testament, and
 I do hereby revoke and make void all former wills and Codicils
 by me made, declaring this to be my last will and Testament,
 in witness whereof I have set my hand and seal, and seal this
 23rd day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven
 hundred and seventy nine.

Signed, sealed and declared by
 the testator to be her last will
 and Testament in the presence of us

John Lazenby
 Peter Harris

Margt Manning (Seal)

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New Hanover, County

The within last Will and Testament of Margaret Marning was exhibited in Court and proved by the oath of John Berger a subscribing witness thereto, who swore that he saw the testator sign, seal, publish and declare the same to be and contain her last Will and Testament, and that he believes the Testator was of sound disposing mind and memory at the same time. Also that Peter, Harris signed at the same time as a concurring evidence thereto.

Thos. McClaine. C. C.

In the name of God Amen. This eighth day of Sept^r in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy nine I Peter McBlammy of the County of New Hanover, and State of North Carolina, being weak, in body, but of perfect mind, memory and understanding, do make my will in manner following.

First. I recommend my soul to Almighty who give it.

Secondly. I will that all my just debts and funeral charges be paid by Executors hereafter mentioned.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my dearly beloved wife Mary Ann McBlammy, one third of all my lands during her natural life, one third of all my cattle and sheep, all my hogs, my horse called Tobey, mare Fly, one half of all my household furniture and plantation tools, my negroes Judy and her child Hamond Harry ^{forever} and John during her widowhood.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my two daughters Serena and Amelia McBlammy, and the one my wife is now pregnant with if a daughter, all the remainder of my estate real and personal to be equally divided by lot, at the eldest arriving at age or day of marriage; if a boy my wife is now pregnant with, then I give and bequeath unto him all my lands with ^{equal} part of my moveable estate with my daughters, but if my wife should be chance to have more than one, then if daughters, I will that all my estate exclusive of legacy left to my ^{wife} should be equally divided amongst them by ballot, as above, but if sons, the sons to have all the lands except what is allotted to my wife, with equal part of the moveable estate. It is my desire that the Schooner sold by Campbell and myself now laying at New River, should be sent round and delivered to Oliver's Tobacco Co., according to our agreement without waiting for a proof of the will. I likewise desire that my salt works in Co. with Campbell may be carried on to comply with our agreement to Oliver's Tobacco, and afterwards to be carried on at the discretion of my Executors. I likewise desire that my wife Mary Ann McBlammy have one

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Thos. McClaine. C. C.

In the name of God Amen. This eight day of Sept^r in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy nine I Peter M'Clammy of the County of New Hanover, and State of North Carolina, being weak, in body, but of perfect mind, memory and understanding, do make my will in manner following.

First. I recommend my soul to Almighty God who gave it.

Secondly. I will that all my just debts and funeral charges be paid by Executors hereafter mentioned.

Third. I give and bequeath unto my dearly beloved wife Mary Ann M'Clammy, one third of all my lands during her natural life, one third of all my cattle and sheep, all my hogs, my horse called Toby, mare Fly, one half of all my household furniture and plantation tools, my negroes Judy and her child Hamond Harry ^{James} and John during her widowhood.

Fourth. I give and bequeath unto my two daughters Serena and Amelia M'Clammy, and the one my wife is now pregnant with if a daughter, all the remainder of my estate real and personal to be equally divided by lot, at the eldest arriving at age or day of marriage; if a boy my wife is now pregnant with, then I give and bequeath unto him all my lands with ^{equal} part of my moveable estate with my daughters, but if my wife should be changed to be more than one, then if daughters, I will that all my estate except ^{one} third of legacy left to my ^{wife} should be equally divided amongst them by ballot as above, but if sons, the sons to have all the lands except what is allotted to my wife, with equal part of the moveable estate. It is my desire that the Schooner, sold by Campbell and myself now laying at New River, should be sent round and delivered to Oliver's Hobbs & Co, according to our agreement without waiting for a proof of the will. I likewise desire that my oath works in C. with Campbell may be carried on to comply with our agreement for Oliver's Hobbs, and afterwards to be carried on at the discretion of my Executors. I likewise desire that my wife Mary Ann M'Clammy have and