

Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved Mother Miltie Hale all my Estate of all kinds during her natural life & after her decease I give devise & bequeath unto each of my sister Palmer Lockhart & four Children viz John Lockhart, Hart, Samuel Lockhart & Mary Lockhart & Anna Lockhart forty Pounds Virginia Currency to be paid out of my said Estate after the decease of my said Mother to them their heirs & assigns
Item I also give devise & bequeath after the decease of my said Mother to my kin woman Mary Livingston my negro Boy named Sharp & my young black Horse, two Cows & calves four Ewes & Lambs & a peacock & hales two Sow & Pigs two Peacock Pheasants two Bassins one Iron Pot of forty Pounds Virginia Currency to her to her heirs & assigns forever.

Item after the Legacys herein my wife given away be made good I give devise & bequeath all the residue of my said Estate after the decease of my said Mother to my said Brother Richard Hale both Real & Personal to him & his heirs & assigns forever

Hale I do hereby nominate & constitute & ordain my said Brother Richard Hale my whole sole Executor of this my last will and Testament hereby Revoking & making null & void all former wills & testaments by me made & this only to be my last will & testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & upon my seal the day & year herein before Alzotter, signed sealed published & delivered by me } Morris Hale & seal
in testimony to his last will & testament } Morris Hale, David King, Moses Peoir

Northampton County 20 Nov Ct 1766

This will of Morris Hale was proved by the oaths of John Duke & David King at the same time Richard Hale qualifed as Pro. of the sum. on motion ordered to be certified & recorded State Willm Jones CCT

Isaac Dickinson's Will

In the name of God amen, the twenty first day of November in the year of our Lord God 1766, Isaac

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Dickinson of Northampton County in North Carolina being very sick of body but of perfect mind and memory Thanks be given to God therefore calling to mind the Mortality of my body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and ordain this my last Will & Testament, that is to say principally & first of all I recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it & for my body I recommend it to the earth to be buried in a Christian like & decent manner at the discretion of my Executors, nothing doubting but that at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God & notwithstanding such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me with in this life, I give devise & dispose of the same in the following manner and form -

Item 1 I give & bequeath to my wife Priscilla Dickinson the use of all my land & her life, also these negroes, to her own disposal, to dispose of in like manner as she sees fit, Hardy, Tom, Doll, Rose, Cole, Dinah, Bob, Dennis, Hester & old Barn hinc, also my whole Stock horses, cattle, Sheep, Geese, Pigs, all my House hold furniture & all the rest of my Estate -

Item 2 I give & bequeath unto my brother David Dickinson after my wife death a piece of Land, beginning at the mouth of the little Branch running along the Branch to the head thereof right straight to the head line in the tody Porcessor -

Item I give & bequeath to my cousin Isaac Dickinson to Daniel Dickinson all the rest of my Land where or I now live to him & his heirs forever -

Item I give & bequeath unto my cousin James Dickinson two hundred & twenty acres of Land in the Ford Country to him & his heirs forever -

Item I give & bequeath unto my cousin Ann Dickinson

Isaac Dickinson the Negro which I bequeath to him
his heirs forever & this my last Will & Testament I now
do constitute, nominate & appoint Daniel Dickinson
David Dickinson & my wife Priscilla Dickinson my
whole sole Executrix, revoking & cancelling of all for
mer wills by me hitherto made, ratified & confirmed,
this & no other being my last Will & Testament -
Signed sealed & published } Isaac Dickinson & Son
& delivered by the Testator to be my last Will & Testament
in presence of us the Subscribers -

James Wood, Luke Hale -

Northampton County, N. C. Feb. Court 1767 -

This Will of Isaac Dickinson was proved by
James Wood & Luke Hale before us being witness
& Daniel & David Dickinson were qualified as
Executors of the same - Endured to be certified
& Recorded -

Teste -
Willis Jones L. C. C.

John Brightlells Will

North Carolina Northampton County, P
This day Peter Morgan & Matthew Black Verdonall,
appeared before me Henry Lawson one of his majestys
Justices of the peace for the said County both being officers
lawful & being sworn in due form of law on the Holy
Evangelist of Almighty God, I deposd & said that on the 20th
day of December anno Domini 1774, John Brightlell
late of N. C. County departed this life & made & ordain'd
this verbal will in manner & form following, to wit,
Imprimis he gave bequeathed his whole Estate both real & personal
unto his living wife Minnery Brightlell so long as she
remained a widow unless she behaved so as to give reason
to believe that she would leave or make away with the said
estate or married her then & in either such case the said
estate should be equally divided between his wife & four

children vizt Ann Hughtlett, William Brightlell, Minnery
Hughtlett, John Hughtlett & the child that his & wife is now big
with & it was also his will & desire that his & wife should
maintain & raise his children on said the said Estate
& the profits thereof & appointed Green Hill to sell part of
the Estate & to divide the whole among the children in
case his wife Injured or destroyed the said Estate or
married further sayeth not Certified under my hand
this 28th Day of December 1766. Peter Morgan

Henry Dawson

Matthew Black

Northampton County, P. Feb. Court 1767.

Peter Morgan & Matthew Black made oath that this
writing containeth the substance of the said Hughtlett will
the said Hughtlett having made without reducing
it to writing, & desired that the same be certified &
Recorded.

Wm. Jones C. C.

Charles Gregory Will

In the name of God amen. I Charles Gregory of the County of
Northampton in the Province of North Carolina being at present
sick & weak of body but of perfect sound mind & memory do
make to god here for but calling to mind the mortality of
my body do constitute & ordain this my last will & testament
in manner as follows & touching all such temporal
estate as I hath placed almighty God to bestow upon me
I give & dispose thereof in manner of form as followeth.

Item I give & bequeath unto my son Charles Gregory of our
Hillings brook money

Item I give & bequeath unto my daughter Anna Gregory my Negro
girl named Paris.

Item I give & bequeath unto my son Hardy Gregory plantation
whereon Hardy Gregory lies & half the land ^{lives} ~~lives~~ to the plantation

Item I give & bequeath unto my son Arthur Gregory the plantation
whereon I now live & my negro woman Dennis.