

The preceding will of Masos Hall was exhibited into Court and proven on the solemn affirmation of Joseph West one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto, at the same time Robert Fuller was qualified a Justice thereof, which in motion was ordered to be Certified & Recorded  
 Teste J. Edwards Clerk

Nathaniel Howells Will

In the name of God Amen, I Nathaniel Howells of Northampton County & Province of North Carolina being sick & weak but of sound memory and calling to mind the uncertainty of life have thought fit to settle my business in manner of form as followeth

- Item I give the quarter to my Daughter Manna Howells on side saddle, gusset, and cloak, one table and spinning linen as usual.
- Item I give the quarter to my son Wendenah Howells of Plantations wherein I move in with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging to him his heirs & assigns forever.
- Item I give <sup>to my son</sup> John Howells all the rest of my moveable estate of what ever kind it may consist to be sold for money and the profit for the said John Howells in the hands of my Executors hereafter named, until the said John Howells shall be twenty years of age, & then my Executors to account with him for the same. In case my son John Howells die before he is twenty full twenty years of age, then all his property of estate to fully & absolutely to fall to my daughter Manna Howells.

and into this my last will, be amended and appoint my friends Bryan Daugherty & Robert Fuller my Executors, this twentieth day of June 1742. Signed sealed & delivered in presence of us, Thomas Hunt, Wendenah <sup>Howells</sup> ~~Howells~~ <sup>mark</sup> ~~Howells~~ <sup>mark</sup> Nath: Howells <sup>Howells</sup> ~~Howells~~ <sup>mark</sup>

Northampton County 17 February Court 1742  
 The preceding will of Nath: Howells was exhibited in Court & proven on the oath of John Mann one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, at the same time Bryan Daugherty was qualified a Justice thereof, which in motion was ordered to be Certified & Recorded, Teste J. Edwards Clerk

William Purdy Will

In the name of God a most being of perfect mind & memory thanks be given unto God, I ordain this my last will & testament first of all I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it, not doubting but at the General resurrection shall receive the same again by the power of Almighty God & as touching such worldly estate as I have I do bequeath to me with upon this condition I desire it disposed of in the following manner & form, first that all my just debts be paid,

and secondly & lastly I will bequeath all the remainder of my estate unto my well beloved wife Catherine Purdy, whom I have my whole will & testament before written, and no other to be my last will & testament than this, witness my hand & seal this six and day of November one thousand seven hundred & thirty six Signed sealed pronounced & delivered

in presence of as  
 Wm Purdy & an al  
 John Barney, Joseph Drury, Patrick Clark.

Northampton County 17 February Court 1742  
 The preceding will of Wm Purdy was exhibited into Court and proven on the oath of John Barney, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, at the same time Catherine Barney was qualified a Justice thereof, which in motion was ordered to be Certified & Recorded, Teste J. Edwards Clerk

Samuel Quokneys Will

In the name of God Amen, I Samuel Mackney of Northampton County in the Province of North Carolina being very sick & weak in body, but of perfect mind & memory thanks be to God, yet considering the uncertainty of life & how do make & ordain this my last will & testament (right) I give & recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it, and my body I recommend to the Earth at the discretion of my Executors as to my worldly estate I give & bequeath the same in the following manner & form