Witnesses whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 9th day of October 1807.

Lem. Burwell (Seal)

Northampton County ss December Court 1807

Then the above Will of Lem. Burwell was brought into Court & proved on oath by Sam. Parker & William Bramblett who prove the hand writing of the testator & thereupon Lewis Cotten qualified as Executor thereon to be recorded.

Teste: R. H. Bevan Clk

Sarah Bedingfield's Will

In the Name of God Amen, I Sarah Bedingfield of the State of North Carolina & County of Northampton being weak in body but of sound mind & memory blessed be God do this 9th day of July in the Year of Our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred & 1814 make publish this my last Will & Testament in manner following that is to say

Imprimis, my Will is that all my just debts with my funeral Expenses be paid.

Item Providing Nathaniel Bedingfield continue to stay with me while I live, I then give & bequeath unto the said Nath.l Bedingfield Forty Dollars to him & his heirs forever.

Item I lend unto Elizabeth Bedingfield my Feather Bed & furniture with all my Executors shall think proper to take it for the use of my Daughter Lucy Johnson & her Children.

Item I leave to the care of my Executors herein after named all the Remainder of my personal Estate for the use & benefit of my Lucy Johnson, I do hereby authorise them so to retain said Estate in their hands to be disposed of & expended with as may be necessary from time to time for the support & maintenance of my said Daughter Lucy Johnson during her natural life & after her decease I then bequeath unto Grand Son Dudley B. Johnson, my negro Woman named Lucky to him & his heirs forever; And then the balance of any remaining to be equally divided between all my said Daughter Lucy Johnson Children & their heirs to them & their heirs forever & I hereby make & ordain my Friends Richard Whitaker & Samuel Parker Executors of this my last Will & Testament set my hand & seal the day & year above written.

Signed Sealed published & declared by the said Sarah Bedingfield to be her last Will & Testament in the presence of

Elephas Lewis
J. Barnes

her
Sarah Bedingfield (Seal)
Mark

Northampton County ss December Court 1807.

This Will was proved by the oath of Elephas Lewis & the Executors therein named having refused to qualify administration with the will annexed was granted Lucy Johnson she entered into Bond & security & qualified agreeable to Law.

Teste: E. Bayne C.

Joshua Collier Will

In the Name of God Amen, I Joshua Collier of the County of Northampton & Commonwealth of North Carolina being sick & weak but in perfect mind & memory to make & ordain this my last Will & Testament in manner & form following viz.t

Item I lend to my beloved Wife four Negroes first Choice of all I own for the space of Ten Years at which time I wish them negroes to be returned to my Estate, my Will is that my wife Rais Hickson be my Children out of the Labour of the above named four Negroes I also lend to my beloved Wife Sally Collier three negroes Jim Nat Zilla Amy & Patience during her natural life together with my Feather Bed & furniture the Cows Hogs & Corn & Spinning Wheel Four Chairs & the Table Two Pewter Dishes & Basin Four Plates & Pot & Four Forks & Spoons & Sad Saddle & Bridle I also lend to my Wife the Plantation