Catherine Bristons Will

In the Name of God Amen I Catherine Bristow of Northampton County State of North Carolina being in a low state of health but in sound Mind & Memory do make this my last Will and Testament in Manner & follows (viz) Imprimis I give my Body to be buried in a Christian like form at the direction of my Executor. Item after my Funeral Expenses are Lost Debts are Paid I give to my beloved Mother Lucy Negro Name Hannah & Hannah and all the rest of my Property that have Possess during her life and after her death I give the said Negro Hannah & Hannah to my beloved Son Randolph Bristow to him and his Heirs forever & also the Feather Beds & furniture and Loom Geese and also all my moveable Property I give to my beloved Son Randolph Bristow at the death of my Mother to him and his Heirs forever. I give to my beloved Brother Warner Bristow all my Stock at the Death of my Mother and I do constitute & appoint Lemuel Daughtry & Warner Bristow my Executors to this my last Will and Testament & which I have hereunto set my hand & affix my seal this twenty third day of July Eighteen hundred & three.

Signed Sealed &
Delivered In Presence

(Seal)

Northampton County Sept September Court 1808
Then the above Will was proved in Court by the Oath of Lemuel Daughtry and at the same time Warner Bristow qualified as Executor to the above Will according to Law Ordered

Recorded

Peter Mormoons Will

In the Name of God Northampton County & State of North Carolina I Peter Mormoon being sick & weak but of perfect Health Love & Memory of Mind do this twenty second day of June in the Year of our Lord Eighteen hundred & three Make Publish & declare this to be my last Will & Testament in Manner & form following, that is to say First of all I give and bequeath unto my two dear Relations Martin & my Land to be divided between them as follows and that to Robert and the other two Thirds to Martin and further I lend my dear Martin to pay to my dear Jemima the sum of one hundred and sixty six Dollars sixty six cents in lieu of her share of the said Land. Item I give and bequeath unto my dear Wife Jemima Mormoon one good Feather Bed & furniture. Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth Mormoon one good Feather Bed & furniture. Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Keziah Mormoon one good Feather Bed & furniture. I do lend to my dear Wife Jemima Mormoon my land and Plantation where I now live and also all my moveable Estate during her Natural life or Widowhood, Provided my Wife and dear Children my two Daughters Elizabeth and Keziah should have a Desire with their Mother and Brother Martin, as long as they live single lives, And after my dear Wife should marry a Marriage I give all the rest of my moveable Estate to my dear Martin Mormoon, because the rest of my Children are married and left and have given them

Their Portions of my Estate