

Edward Capell's Will

In the name of God Amen I Edward Capell in the County of Northampton and State of North Carolina being in a low state of health but in sound memory thanks be to God first do make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following first after all my just debts is paid I leave my Land and Stables all to be holed out until my Daughter Indy comes to twen'ty years old and then sold and equally divided amongst all my Children Thomas Capell, Ransom Capell, John Capell, Selby Hiss, Henry Capell, Charles Capell, Oppage Capell, Robinson Capell, Lundy Capell, and it is my desire that at my death all my Household furniture and Stock of all kind to be sold and equally divided among all my Children above named and Lastly I appoint my sons Thomas Capell, Ransom Capell, John Capell and James Hiss my sole executors of this my last Will and Testament In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and seal this fourth day of October 1795.

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Sam^l Morum
his
Joshua + Lee
mark
his
James + Capell
mark

Edward Capell
his
mark

Northampton County Jst
December Court 1795.

This will of Edward Capell du^e was proved by the Oaths of Samuel Morum and Joshua Lee whereupon Thomas Capell & Ransom Capell two of the executors therein named was duly qualified, Ordered to be be fulfilled and Recorded.

Witness
C. W. Hayes
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Ezra Underwood's Will

In the name of God Amen I Ezra Underwood living in the County of Northampton County in the State of North Carolina being in a low state of health but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament that is I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form.

First I leave unto my wife Elizabeth Underwood the third part of my Land during her natural life or Widowhood I give and bequeath unto my wife Elizabeth Underwood one share or two bow and half and ten yearlings, eight head of sheep one feather bed and furniture one pewter Dish two pewter basons one pewter plate and soap spoon half dozen earthen plates one skugg one Iron pot one half of my bees one wooden box all my Axes felling hoes and weeding hoes and all my whole crop eight head of ten year old Hogs and two breeding sows called Williams, all the remainder of my Hogs & Hattle and Household stock that I have not given to my wife Elizabeth Underwood I leave unto my mother Sarah Underwood during her natural life — And what is left of my property at my mother's death I give and bequeath unto my nephew Ezekiel Underwood — I give and bequeath unto my nephew Jonathan Underwood my Land and plantation consisting of ten hundred Acres more or less I leave my Hore and Guea to pay off all my actual Debt I give and bequeath to my brother John Underwood all my wearing apparel. I do make and ordain my Brother John Underwood Executor and my wife Elizabeth Underwood Co-executors to this my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and seal this 19th day of August 1795. Ezra Underwood
his
mark
Signed Sealed & Acknowledged
In presence of us
Robert Smith
Elisha Madsen

Northampton County, N.C. December Court 1795

Then this will of Jesse Underwood dec^d was proved by the Oath of Robert Smith & Elisha Wade who upon John Underwood one of the Executors therein named was duly qualified. Ordered to be Certified and Recorded.

Witness E. Haynes Ck

William Folks's Will -

In the name of God Amen I William Folks of the County of Northampton and State of North Carolina being sick and weak but of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following to wit

I give to my wife Martha Folks all my estate both real and personal during her life or widowhood but if she shall marry I then lend her one third of my Land during life and I lend her an equal part with my Children of all my other estate during her life.

I give to each of my Sons Benjamin Folks, Edward Folks, Henry Folks, Robert Folks, Samuel Folks, and Miles Folks twenty pounds Cash to them and their Heirs forever.

I give to my Daughter Mary Folks one feather bed Furniture and one Chest to her and her Heirs forever.

I give to my Daughter Martha Folks one feather bed and Furniture and one Chest to her and her Heirs forever.

After the death or marriage of my wife it is my will that all my estate except my lands be sold and equally divided after paying my just debts between all my Children to them and their Heirs forever.

I leave my Land after my wife's death or marriage to be sold and the money arising from such sale to be equally divided

divided between all my Sons Benjamin Folks, William Folks, Benjamin Folks, Edward Folks, Henry Folks, Robert Folks, Samuel Folks, and Miles Folks, and their Heirs forever.

I nominate and appoint Moses Gilliam, Benjamin Williamson and Benjamin Folks Executors of this my last Will & Testament revoking and annulling all others in any wise heretofore made by me In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this twenty fifth day of August One thousand seven hundred and ninety five

Signed Sealed and acknowledged In the presence of us

John Roberson
Samuel Gilliam

William Folks for Seal mark

Northampton County, N.C.
December Court 1795.

Then this Will of William

Folks dec^d was exhibited in open Court & duly proved on the Oath of John Roberson & Samuel Gilliam the subscribing witnesses thereto.

Whereupon On motion Administration with the Will annexed is granted Martha Folks (the Executor therein named having refused to qualify) who enter into Bond of three thousand pounds with Samuel Gilliam & Benjamin Johnson Sureties for her due & faithful administration Ordered to be Certified and Recorded

Witness E. Haynes Ck