

Northampton County, June Court 1814. This last Will & Testament of Richard Roman decd. was exhibited into Court and proved by the oaths of Francis Dancy, Howell Butler & Joseph Woodward and the Codicil was proved by the oath of William T. Edwards, whereupon Abraham Tatum one of the Executors in said Will named came into Court & was qualified. Ordered that said Will and Codicil be certified & recorded.

Teste, W. Harrison Esq.

Nathaniel Edwards son's Will. In the name of God, Amen I Nathaniel Edwards son of Northampton County and State of North Carolina being weak in my body but in my perfect senses and memory, knowing that it is appointed for all men to die, make this my last Will and Testament. I constitute my own Nathaniel Edwards to sell a certain parcel of my negroes to discharge a debt due William Amis, namely, Lewis, John, Dick, Hannah, Alfred, Betty, Winney, Matt, Jim, Carr, Betty, they did a. Item I give unto my beloved wife Martha Edwards a negro woman named Pats and a negro girl named Eliza; I give unto my son Nathaniel Edwards a certain negro man named Charles & his boys Willie & Nelson. I give unto my son John Edwards a negro man named Adam and a boy Stephen. I give unto my son Francis Edwards a negro boy named Dary. I give unto my daughter Mary Popson two girls Abel & Rachel. I give unto my daughter Martha Edwards a negro girl Moriah and a boy Holladay. I give unto my daughter Susan Abner Edwards a negro man Jacob & a boy Allen & a woman Lucy. I desire that my tract of land lying on the South side of Trinity Creek to be sold together with my stock household and kitchen furniture for the purpose of discharging my just debts. I hereby make and ordain my worthy friend James Mangor and my son Nathaniel Edwards Executors of this my last Will and Testament in witness whereof I the said Nathaniel Edwards seal with this my last Will and Testament at my hand and seal this third day

day of May, eighteen hundred & fourteen.

Signed sealed & delivered  
in the presence of

Nathl. Edwards Seal

Th. Jagers, Jeremiah Roman, Rebecca Tyner.

Northampton County, June Court 1814. This last Will and Testament of Nathl. Edwards decd. was exhibited into Court & proved by the oaths of Thomas Jagers and Jeremiah Roman, whereupon Nathl. Edwards Jr. one of the Executors therein named was qualified agreeably to Law. Ordered to be certified & recorded.

Teste, W. Harrison Esq.

Benjamin Doles's Will. In the name of God Amen I Benjamin Doles of the County of Southampton being of sound memory and understanding do make in body as constitute this my last Will and Testament. I recommend my soul to the almighty God to take it to himself and my body to the earth there to be decently buried as my executors shall think best. and as to my worldly estate I desire that it may be divided amongst my brothers and sisters namely Sipe Doles, Willis Dole, Elizabeth, Allen and Eum Doles as follows, vizt. Item I give and bequeath one negro woman named Maryann and her increase which was left to me by my grand father Arthur Hollammon who lived in Northampton County North Carolina and also all the rest of the property be of what nature or kind it may be left me by the above mentioned Arthur Hollammon. I also give one boy called named Samson to the above named brothers and sisters, to be equally divided between them and their heirs forever. I also do constitute and appoint my brother Sipe Dole and Willis Dole my whole and sole executors of this my last Will and Testament, and in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand about this first day of November in the year of our Lord 1800.

Signed sealed & delivered as this last Will & Testament in presence of

Benjamin Dole Seal

John Triguire, Willis Hollammon