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6thm, I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary Oliver to have her life in the Plantation wherein I now live, the remainder of my estate within doors and without doors, during her life hereafter, and after to be divided equally between Patience, Susannah and Mary. I hereby make void all other Wills, and appoint this to be my last Will and Testament and to nominate my beloved son Joseph Oliver Executor to this my Will and in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13th day of June 1810.

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John T. Oliver
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Abigail Martin
Elska Lawrence
Isabella Lawrence.

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This last Will and Testament of John Oliver deceased was proved by the oaths of Abigail Martin and Elska Lawrence, whereupon Joseph Oliver the Executor herein named qualified agreeable to Law - ordered to be certified and recorded.

P.W. E. Raynes Esq.

Robert Ellis's Will.

In the name of God amen, I Robert Ellis of Northampton County and State of North Carolina being weak of body but of sound perfect mind and memory do this 27th day of July in the year of our Lord 1810 make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner following. - First, I bind to my living wife Delilah Ellis during her life the land and Plantation wherein I now lie, and bounded as follows beginning at a Willow Oak on Crump's line, thence East to a corner black gum, thence North to a pine at John Thompson's lines, and after the death of my wife I give and bequeath all the above land to my son Elias Ellis to him his heirs and assigns forever.

I give and bequeath to my two sons Thomas and Elias Ellis all

the balance of my land to be equally divided between them their heirs and assigns forever.

I bind to my living wife Delilah Ellis during her life three negroes, Jack, Jemmy and Rachael and after her death I give and bequeath the above three negroes Jack, Jemmy and Rachael with all their increase to all my grand children to be equally divided between the survivors and survivors of them - I give and bequeath to my living wife Delilah Ellis thirty barrels of corn, eight hundred weight of pork, and six bushels of wheat to her, her heirs and assigns forever. I bind to my living wife Delilah Ellis during her life one warel mare two Cows and calves, two Sows and pigs, two ewes and lambs, and all my household and kitchen furniture except one feather bed also my working tools of every kind, and after the death of my wife I give and bequeath all the above property to all my grand children to be equally divided between the survivors or survivors of them.

I give and bequeath to my six grand children one hundred dollars to be equally divided between Sumner, Parfrey Elizabeth, Robert, Sarah, Sumner and Delilah Ellis to them their heirs and assigns forever.

I give and bequeath to my grand son Robert Ellis son of Benjamin Ellis all the ready money I die possessed of, to him his heirs and assigns forever.

I bind to my grand daughter Delilah Ellis during her life one negro girl Parley, and if the said Delilah Ellis should live to have a lawful heir lawfully begotten of her body then my will and desire is that the said Parley with all her increase belong to the said Delilah's child or children, but if the said Delilah should die living not a lawful heir lawfully begotten of her body, then and in that case I give the said Parley with all her increase to my grand son Robert Ellis, son of Benjamin Ellis, to him his heirs and assigns forever.

My Will and desire is that my son Elias Ellis should take my negro boy Charles and keep him until the death of my wife at the price of twenty dollars per year, to be paid annually and if Elias will not keep him at that price

I wish my son Thomas Ellis to take him on the same terms, and after the death of my wife I give the said Negro Charles to all my grand children to be equally divided with Jacob, Journey & Rachael between the survivor or survivors of them.

I give and bequeath all the money that may arise from the hire of my negro Charles until the death of my wife to my four grand children Robert and Samuel, Polly and Benjamin to them their heirs and assigns forever.

I give and bequeath to my two sons Thomas and Elias Ellis all the property that I have not left me & bequeath in this Will of every kind after they have paid one hundred dollars to my six grand children to them their heirs and assigns forever.

I constitute and appoint my two sons Thomas and Elias Ellis Executors to this my last Will and Testament, in witness whereof I have hereunto affix my hand and seal the day and year above written.

Elizah sealed and delivered in presence of *Robert + Ellis* his mark

John Thompson
Benjamin Prince
mark
Edwin Thompson

Northampton County 2nd Set.
December Court 1810

This last Will and Testament of Robert Ellis Esq was proved by the oaths of Benjamin Prince and Edwin Thompson whereupon Thomas Ellis and Elias Ellis the Executors herein named qualified agreeable to Law ordered to be certified and recorded.

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Nancy Wormum's Will.

In the name of God ame, I Nancy Wormum of Northampton County and State of N.C. Carolina being weak and sick in body but of perfect mind and memory knowing it is appointed for all men to die so this first day of October one thousand eight hundred and ten I make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following. Item, I give to my Daughter Elizabethsey my bed and furniture to her and her heirs forever further my Will is that my negro Woman Sarah shall choose which of my children she will live with and he or she whom the negro Woman may choose as Master or Mistress shall take her and child at her valuation, that is to say two impartial men shall be chosen to value them if they can not agree (that) they shall choose a third man to say what they are worth three months credit and their decision shall be final, and the person whom the negro woman may choose for herself and child as master or mistress shall give bond and sufficient security to this my Will to pay to each of my children a proportionable part of what the negro woman and child may be valued to (except Joseph & Abram and my will is that his daughter Nancy Abram shall share equally with my children instead of him and all the rest of my Estate not mentioned I give unto my son Samuel Abram to him and his heirs forever and last of all I appoint my son Samuel Abram my Executor of this my last Will & Testament certifying all others before made by me in writing whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and date above written.

Signed in presence of *Seth Pebbles* her
Peggy Peabody mark

Northampton County 2nd Set
December Court 1810

This last Will and Testament of Nancy Abram Esq was proved by the oaths of Seth Pebbles whereupon Samuel Abram the Executor thereto named qualified agreeable to Law ordered to be certified and recorded.

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