

138 Hudson Haley's Will. In the name of God Amen, I Hudson Haley of N^o. Beaufort County N^o. Carolina at present being weak and low in body but of sound mind and memory thanks be to God therefore knowing it is appointed for man once to die to make and ordain this my last will and Testament, both give & dispose of my goods and chattels in manner and form as following - Item. I give unto my nephew Holliday Haley one negro man Mark to him and his heirs forever - Item. I give unto my nephew Benjamin Haley one negro woman Holland to him and his heirs forever - Item. I give unto my two nieces Lucy Fox and Sarah Fox one negro woman Jemmy and two negro girls named Mary and Rodney to them and their heirs forever - Item. I give unto my Sister Sally Pritchard all the residue of my estate both real and personal to her and her heirs forever - And I do appoint John Pritchard whole and sole executor by this my last Will and Testament disannulling and making void all other wills by me heretofore made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20th day of January 1815 -

Witness, Sterling Turner
J. R. Carter
John Brown

Hudson + Haley Testt.
mark

Northampton March fourt 1815. This last Will and Testament of Hudson Haley said was proved in open Court by the oaths of Sterling Turner and John H. Fuller, whereupon John Pritchard the executor in said Will named appeared, entered into bond in the penalty of £12.000 with Richard Camp, Henry Morris and Luther Jordan bondies, and was duly qualified - Ordered that the said Will be certified and recorded - Testt., Apparition 1815.

Joshua Pritchard's Will. In the name of God Amen, I Joshua Pritchard of Northampton County and State of North Carolina being in perfect tranquility of mind and memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, first after paying my just debts I stand with my wife Dorothy Pritchard during her widowhood or marriage, or until my eldest child comes of age, or the marriage of either of my children all the residue

139 of my estate for the purpose of her bedding, clothing and educating my children. It is my will and desire that if my wife should marry before either of my children should marry or come of age that the estate then in her possession shall be sold except the land and negroes and for her to take her third of the same during her natural life and the residue to be reserved for my children by their guardian, it is also my desire when either of my children should come of age or marry, that my wife take her third as before mentioned, and a division among the children to take place in order for the one that has come of age or married to take his or her portion of part. Now in order to make equal divisions of property among my children it is my desire when this division takes place that as my son Benjamin H. Pritchard has had a negro fellow given him by his grandfather Haley by the name of Squire, and my son William has had one given him by his grandfather Haley by the name of Ephraim, that these negroes be valued and that my two daughters Nancy Pritchard & Lucy Pritchard have a negro a piece valued off to them or other property to make them equal with Benjamin and Williams negroes given them by their grandfather, and then the balance of the estate, land negroes and all other property to be equally divided between my four children Benjamin H. Pritchard, William H. Pritchard, Nancy Pritchard and Lucy Pritchard to them and their heirs forever. The property to pay my debts will here be mentioned, after leaving my wife and family one years provisions sell all the balance of my crop also sell off as much of the Household and kitchen furniture as my wife can properly spare and also the plantation wherethat sell off all the stock except two work horses, four cows and calves or cows with calf five open sows or sows with pigs, if the above property should not pay the debts sell the following negroes or as many of them as will discharge the debts namely Jeff, Bill & John - H. B. I do appoint my brother John Pritchard of Greenville County Vⁿ - Executor to this my last Will and Testament and guardian for my children according all other wills by me heretofore made in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 23rd day of September 1813 -

Witness, Simon Wood.

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Subscribed to the above, of my wife,

148 should have any more children by me after the date hereof
it is my desire that their children come in for an equal
portion of property with their already mentioned and in
the same manner as are herein mentioned -

Witness Lincoln Island.

Isabella Pitchard Testy

Northampton March Court 1815 This last Will & Testament of
Isabella Pitchard deceased was proved in open Court by the oaths of
Lincoln Island, whereupon John Pitchard the executor,
therein named entered and taxed in the penalty of three
thousand pounds with Richard Crump and Henry Morris
curtiers and was duly qualified - Ordered that said Will
be certified and recorded -

Teste,

Attest for D.S.

Daniel S. Jackson's Will. In the name of God Amen I
Daniel Doug Jackson of Northampton County and State of North
Carolina being low in health but in perfect disposing mind and
memory thanks be to God, do make and ordain this to be my last Will
and Testament in manner and form following:

Item. First of all my wish and desire is that my body may be
buried in a decent Christian-like manner, and all my just debts paid.
Item. I give and bequeath unto my beloved brother William Jackson the
land and plantation wherein I now live containing by estimation two
hundred and fifty acres to the same more or less to him & his heirs
forever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my beloved brother William Jackson one
bed and furniture, one Still and all my fasks, one negro man named
Jeham one young boy named eye pine Chel one wooden saddle,
five ears two guinea Birds two peacock Parrots six parrot pheasants one
mount saddle one mams that one bought out one pair Cash
which, to him and his heirs forever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto Polly Jackson daughter of William Jackson
one bed & furniture that one bed & one chair to her and her heirs forever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto Sarah Jackson daughter of William Jackson
one bed & furniture one candle stick to her and her heirs forever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto Darling Lewis one hundred dollars to him
and his heirs forever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto Josiah Newmark two hundred dollars to him
and his heirs forever.

Item. All will and desire to let all the property I do purposed to

149 duly disposed of shall be sold and the profits arising therefrom to be equally
divided between the offspring of Isabella Pitchard and Darling Lewis to them and
their heirs forever.

Item. My will and desire is that my negro not already disposed of shall have
liberty of choosing a master or mistress provided such person or persons will
give him value and not otherwise.

Item. I constitute and appoint my beloved brother William Jackson and my
trusty friend Richard Whistler executors to this my last Will and Testament. In
witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 28th
day of November 1814

Signed sealed & acknowledged
in the presence of us

Henry J. Baum
Harrison Bridges

Daniel Doug Jackson Testy

Northampton March Court 1815 This last Will and Testament of Daniel
S. Jackson deceased was exhibited in Court and proved by the oaths of Henry J.
Baum and Harrison Bridges subscribing witness thereto, whereupon Richard
Whistler one of the executors therein named was duly qualified - Ordered
that the said Will be certified and recorded.

Teste, Attest for Harrison Testy

John Fynn's Will. In the name of God Amen, I John Fynn 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 resign my soul to its
Creator in all humble hope of its future happiness or in the disposal of a
being infinitely good, as to my body my will is that it be buried near that
of my parents, and as for my worldly estate which the Lord hath been
pleased to bless me with, I give and dispose of in the following manner,
viz. Item I give and my dear uncle Nicholas Dugay after paying my just
debts all my estate consisting of lands negroes stock of all kinds household
and kitchen furniture to be paying to my brother or other Dugay living either
to him the said Nicholas Dugay and his heirs forever to this my last Will &
Testament, this is my last Will and Testament written with my own hand
and sealed with my own seal this 6th day of February in the year of our
Lord 1815

Signed sealed & delivered by the Testator as his
last Will & Testament in the presence of us

Francis C. Edwards, Dace Testy

Northampton March Court 1815 This last Will and Testament of John Fynn
deceased was proved in open Court by the Francis Edwards and Dace Testy, Dace
& dace was granted to Nicholas Fynn. Teste Attest for Dace