

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 Jack, Jeremy & Charles 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 lost nor 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 affixed my hand and seal the day and year above written.

Signature sealed and delivered in presence of

his
Robert + Ellis (seal)
mark

John Thompson
Benjamin Prince
Edwin Thompson
mark

Northampton County & Set.
December Court 1810

This last Will and Testament of Robert Ellis, decd was proved by the oath of Benjamin Prince and Edwin Thompson whereupon Thomas Ellis and Elias Ellis, the Executors, then in name qualified agreeable to Law ordered to be certified and recorded.

Wm Co. Haynes Clk

Nancy Wernum's Will.

In the name of God amen, I Nancy Wernum of Northampton County and State of N. Carolina being weak and sick in body but of perfect mind and memory knowing it is appointed for all men to die do this first day of October one thousand eight hundred and ten make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following. — Item, I give to my Daughter Elizabeth 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 twelve 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 Wernum and my will is that his Daughter Nancy Wernum shall share equally with my children instead of him and all the rest of my Estate not mentioned I give unto my son Samuel Wernum to him and his heirs forever, and last of all I appoint my son Samuel Wernum my Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking all others heretofore made by me in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and date above written.

Signed in presence of

her
Nancy + Wernum (seal)
mark

John Peckles
Peggy Purchase

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This last Will and Testament of Nancy Wernum decd was proved by the oath of John Peckles whereupon Samuel Wernum the Executor therein named qualified agreeable to Law ordered to be certified and recorded.

Wm Co. Haynes Clk