

8 In Witness whereof I do hereunto set my hand and seal this 9th day of March the thousand eight hundred and twenty six

Signed In the presence of
Esqr. Maryann James Davis

Joshua Lawrence

Stevenson & Harker

Northampton County June Court 1826 This last will and testament of Joshua Lawrence was exhibited in open Court and proved in due form of law by the oaths of James Davis and Stevenson & Harker two of the subscribing Witnesses thereto Whereupon Nancy Lawrence the Executrix here named qualified according to law and ordered to be Certified and recorded

Test John W. Harrison Clerk

Seth Williams's Will. To all whom these presents shall come I Seth Williams of the County of Northampton and State of North Carolina, being weak in body do make and declare this to be my last will &c. in manner and form as followeth that is to say

First I give and bequeath to my sister Sarah Williams all the Corn in my Cult and all the meat that I now have and all my stock of hogs and my part of the present Crops now under the management of Edward Edwards to her and her heirs forever - I do give the balance of my Estate of every description after my just debts and funeral expenses are discharged unto my sister Sarah Williams & Elizabeth Williams to be equally divided between them to them and their heirs forever. Lastly I nominate and appoint Shadrach Grant my Executor

Signed and sealed In presence of

Sarah Parker Rebecca & Parker

Seth Williams

Northampton County June Court 1826. This last will & testament of Seth Williams died was exhibited in open Court and proved in due form of law by the solemn affirmation of Sarah Parker one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto Whereupon Shadrach Grant the Executor there named qualified as the law directs, and ordered to be Certified and recorded

Test John W. Harrison Clerk

John Sandiford's Will. In the name of God Amen I John Sandiford being sick in body but preserving my usual mind & recollection thanks be to God do this the 1st day of January in the year of our Lord 1826 make and establish my last will & testament in manner and form as follows Neph. I do hereby bequeath unto my loving wife or negro woman Mary & her child Ransom, during her life I do hereby bequeath unto her my negro man Aaron for the term of four years for the support of my young child Henry Eldridge Sandiford

I do hereby bequeath unto my said wife Elizabeth one third of the lands of which I possess beginning the line at Capt William Moody's line on the road thence along said road leading from said Moody's towards Mt. Asht. James' as far as will include the quantity above mentioned thence across to Jack Swamp Mt. & Jones line thence along said Jones line to Capt

James' further than his two Bids and furniture and all the balance of my household and kitchen furniture except the Beds not above named seven hogs and his choice in one Sow and five Cows and calves of his choosing and his choice in one of my horses during his natural life - I do give and bequeath unto my son Henry Eldridge Sandiford two negro boys Jacob and Ben and all my Land lying the South side of the road which included the part above bequeathed to my wife, to him and his heirs forever I do give to my said son one Bed & furniture - I do give to my grand daughter

Francis Elizabeth one negro girl Maser to her & her heirs forever I do give and bequeath to my said William Patrick & John Sandiford all such property as I have heretofore put them in possession of to them and their heirs forever - I do give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Garnet one negro girl named Judy now in her possession to her and her heirs forever - I do hereby bequeath unto my wife

Elizabeth at her death to be sold and equally divided between all my children now living and to include my grand children John & Francis Elizabeth Neph in one share, that mother bequeathed as respects my son Henry Eldridge my wife and devise that he be well educated out of the rents of his lands and line of his negroes to my Executor is authorized to direct the manner of clearing & cultivating the said lands when needed out - Lastly I nominate and appoint my nephew Richard A. Weaver my Executor to this my last will and testament at the same time revoking all that I have heretofore made Signed sealed and acknowledged to be his last will and testament In the presence of

James W. Lee

James R. Capile

John Smalley

John Sandiford

Northampton County June Court 1826 This last will & Testament of John Sandiford deceased was exhibited in open Court and proved in due form by the oath of James W. Love one of the subscribing witnesses thereupon Richard H. Weaver the Executor therein named qualified according to law and ordered to be certified & recorded.
 Teste John W. Harrison Clerk

Littleberry Long's Will. In the name of God amen I Littleberry Long of Northampton County and State of North Carolina being in a low state of health but of sound and disposing memory and knowing it appointed for all men to die do make & publish this my last will and testament. First of all my will & desire is that my Executor should pay out of my Estate the money I have engaged and contracted to pay for a fence and a parcel of Land from Allen Deberry as the said Contract specified and my just debts. Secondly I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Segers Woman Master and her three children by the names of Jem. Mariah, and Charlotte and old Jem. to her and her heirs forever, and also my big house and gage Household and Kitchen furniture and all my Stock of Hogs Cattle and Sheep to her and her heirs. Thirdly I leave unto my beloved wife all the Land and plantations I have purchased & contracted for with Allen Deberry during his life or widowhood or until my son John L. Long comes of lawful age for the purpose of maintaining & schooling my children, free of any charge, and at her marriage if it should take place my will and desire is she should then be put to her one third of my said Lands. Fourthly my will and desire is that at the termination of either of the above mentioned periods of my wife's marriage or when my son comes of age my Land should be equally divided between my two children. Fifthly I leave unto my beloved wife my other two horses during her widowhood and at her marriage to be returned to my Estate in value as when she received them. Sixthly My will and desire is that the balance of my Estate of every description shall be equally divided between my two children John L. Long and Caroline L. Long to be equally divided between them share and share alike and I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my beloved wife Catherine my whole and sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament. Given under my hand and seal this 26th day of February 1826
 Signed Sealed and Published in presence of } Lett. Long
 Allen Deberry, Jno. C. Edwards

Northampton County June Court 1826 This last Will & Testament of Littleberry Long dec'd. was exhibited in open Court and proved in due form by the oath of Allen Deberry one of the subscribing witnesses thereupon Catherine Long the Executrix therein named qualified according to law & ordered to be certified and recorded.
 Teste John W. Harrison Clerk

John L. Peterson's Nov. Cusp. Will. Doctor John L. Peterson requests in his death bed that his mother Martha Peterson should sell what property he left and pay his debts and that she should have the balance of any with the exception of one gun which he gave to Watkins Quarr. Given from under our hand this 8th day of June 1826.

James R. Crumpp
 Littleton Richards

Northampton County June Court 1826 This paper Writing was exhibited in open Court, and the facts therein contained were proved by the oaths of James R. Crumpp and Littleton Richards and ordered to be recorded.
 Teste John W. Harrison Clerk

Henry Boon's Will. In the name of God amen I Henry Boon of the State of North Carolina and Northampton County being weak in body but thanks be to God of sound mind and memory do make this my last will and testament.
 Item 1st I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Sarah Boon the following property vizt one tract of Land lying and being in the County aforesaid near Smiths old Mill which I purchased of Joseph S. Smith also my four Wheel Carriage and harness my riding horse Strap at the black Cattle, Hogs, Horses and Sheep on the plantation whereon she now lives and also the crops of Corn fodder and Cotton the household & kitchen furniture of every description on said plantation and the following Negroes ^{my own slaves Allen & Phillis} that were formerly her, and also sheep, Ben formerly belonging to Jno. Branch, Hogg and Pinner and Maria and their increase to her and her heirs forever.
 Item 2nd I give and bequeath unto my daughter Temperance Boudley the following negroes vizt Eunna the wife Dilly and their two children, Liza and Mary, Abraham the wife Rachel, Patty and old Hannah with their increase to her and her heirs forever, to be taken away at the expiration of the year which I depart this life also the negroes given to my wife to be given up at the same time.
 Item 3rd I give and bequeath unto my daughter Temperance Boudley her just portion in my son Jock if he live to him and his heirs forever.
 Item 4th I give and bequeath unto my son Thomas Boon the Land