

Mary Thompson's Will. In the name of god amen
 I Mary Thompson of Northampton County & state of North Carolina
 being of sound mind and memory, do make and ordain this to be
 my last will and testament in manner and form following
 to wit. I give to my son William Stuart Thompson one negro
 boy by the name of (Litch) Sam, should my said son die before
 he arrived to lawful age or without a lawful child, in that case
 I give the said negro to my daughter Francis Thompson, and should
 she die without leaving a lawful heir of her body and in that
 case I give the said negro to my daughter Martha Thompson to
 her and her heirs forever. I give to all my children to wit
 James, James William, Martha & Francis Thompson all the balance
 of my estate of what sort soever it may be to them & their heirs forever
 I do hereby nominate & appoint my friend William D. Lockhart
 executor to this my said will. In Witness whereunto I have set
 my hand and seal this 5th day of August One thousand eight
 hundred and twenty five.

Witness
 James Parvate
 Elizabeth Parvate

Northampton County June Court 1827. This last will & testament
 of Mary Thompson (deceased) was exhibited in open Court and proved by
 the oath of John D. Adams as to the hand writing of James Parvate
 one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto. Whereupon William D.
 Lockhart the executor therein named qualified as the law directs
 and ordered to be Certified and recorded.

Test, John Williamson C. C.

John Tennell's Will. In the name of god amen I John
 Tennell of the County of Northampton and state of North Carolina being
 of sound mind and memory, blessed be god, do make and ordain
 this to be my last will and testament in manner and form
 following that is to say -

Item I do bequeath unto my beloved wife Anna two negro women named Esther
 and Dorah also the track of Land whereon I now live also my stock
 of all kinds, also my household and kitchen furniture & plantation
 utensils during her natural life and widowhood.

Item I give unto my four sons named James, William, Willie & Matthew
 a certain negro boy named Charles to be equally divided between

the four to them and their heirs forever -
 Item I give unto my two sons named James & Matthew the track of land
 whereon my father in law Matthew Parvate now lives to be equally
 divided between the two to them and their heirs forever -
 Item I give unto my two sons William & Willie the track of land whereon
 my mother now lives to be equally divided between the two to them
 and their heirs forever also my wife and decess is that my two sons
 William and Willie shall have thirty dollars each in money out
 of my estate to them and their heirs forever -
 Item I give unto my youngest son John D. Parvate the track of land whereon
 I now live to him and his heirs forever -
 Item I give unto my daughter Nancy one negro girl named Blinny to
 her and her heirs forever -
 Item I give unto my daughter Elizabeth one negro girl named Sidney to
 her and her heirs forever -
 Item I give unto my daughter Parshaba one negro boy named Chat to her
 and her heirs forever -
 Item I give unto my daughter Luning one negro boy named Daniel to her
 and her heirs forever -
 Item I give unto my daughter Prucilla one negro boy named Isaac to her
 and her heirs forever -
 Item I give unto my daughter Mary one negro girl named Hannah to
 her and her heirs forever -

also my wife and decess is after my wife decesses that the remaining
 part of my estate that I have not willed away shall be equally divided
 between my eleven children to wit named James, Nancy, Elizabeth,
 William, Willie, Parshaba, Luning, Matthew, Prucilla, Mary an and
 John to them and their heirs forever all share and shares alike -
 And I do hereby ordain my worthy friend Sips Woodard my wife
 and sole executor to this my last will and testament discharging all
 former wills hereby me made. In Witness whereunto I have hereunto set
 my hand and seal this 18th day of October 1827.

Signed sealed & pronounced by the said John Tennell the testator in
 the presence of us who were present at the time signing and sealing
 thereof.

Witness,
 Lewis Woodard
 Lewis Fostle

John Tennell (deceased)