

Item: It is my wish that all of my wearing clothes should be equally divided between Huldah Fields Nancy Fields & Reneney Smith, (1)

Item: It is my will and desire that all my households Goods and Stock of every kind should be belong to my son Jacob Fields, to him his heirs and assigns forever. this I make to be my Last Will and Testament revoking all other's made by me I also Nominate and appoint my son Jacob Fields Executor to the above Will in witness whereof I set my hand affixed my Seal the Day and Year above written Signed Sealed And Published in the presence of us,

REBEKAH X FIELDS (SEAL)  
mark.

RICHD W. FIELDS.  
JACOB FIELDS JR.

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IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN:

I Jacob Fields County of Onslow and State of N. Carolina; Make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament,

Imprimus; I lend to my wife Hilda Fields Negro Hope negres Frances, during the term of her natural life and at or before her deese she is fully authorized and empowered to execute and do to such of him as may be most agreeable to herself also during the term of her widowhood one girl named Sal in the possession of my daughter Ann the increase of said Negress Sal to the use and benefit of my said Daughter Ann Heirs of her body forever.

Item; 2; I give and bequeth unto my said wife Huldah one bed and furniture he choice, One desk her choice, One Chest her Choice, heirs and assigns.

Item; I give and bequeath to my son Richard Ward Fields, One Hundred Dollars at the end of three years from my dease and sooner if convenient by my Executors.

Item: I authorise my Executor to pay my daughter Rebasa an annuity of five dollars pr annum I also give her one dollar, heirs and assigns.

Item: I give my son three years after my deese Brice Fields understood One Hundred Dollars heirs & assigns.

Item: I lend unto my daughter Dorothy Williamston during her natural life to be under her controlled use absolutely and no other person or persons- Negro Woman Jude & her increase of the present day & those they may have hereafter- After her demise (Dorothy Williamston) to deemed to the heirs of her body forever----

Item: I land to my Daughter Ann Scott Negro Rose and increase except a life estate in Girl Sal to her use and benefit only-after her demise to deemed to the heirs of her body each to sherealike forever.

Item: I lend to my daughter Narcissa Fields during the term of her natural life Negro woman Young Fan to absolute and benefit only and after her demise to land to the heirs of her body also the increase of the present day & then they may have hereafter forever.

Item: I lend to my daughter Vashti one Negro called Phillis and increase at present Two children named Hardy and Ben during the term of her life to her use and a controll only after her demise to deemed to the heirs of her body each to share alike forever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my son Jacob Fields all my lands and tenements above Wallices branch, said branch between my residence of the heirs of my late brother Aaron Fields, him and assigns forever. ----I also give him my black smith tools, one bed & cest in his possession.

Finally I Constitute and appoint my son Jacob and wife Huldah Executors of this will revoking all others in testimony I the said Jacob Fields Senior have signed the same with my hand the 13th day of February 1823.

WITNESS  
R. DICKSON  
COUNCIL FIELDS

JACOB FIELDS (SEAL)

In continuation the residue of estate real and personal possessions my Executors to sell at a credit of six months to pay my Just debts after payments if there & should be a surplus on hand to deemed to my son Jacob Fields heirs and assigns

R. DICKSON  
COUNCIL FIELDS

JACOB FIELDS SENIOR (SEAL)

Onslow County

In Court May Term 1823.

This will of Jacob Fields Sr. proved by the oath of Council Fields & Jacob Fields the Executors herein named Qualified thereto.

B. LESTER Clerk  
By R. C. LESTER Asst C.

In the Name of the Eternal God Amen.

I James Fields of Onslow County in the State of North Carolina being in a Very low State of Health but of Sound mind & perfect Memory, thanks be to God Calling to mind the Certainty of Death & the uncertainty of the time and manner of it But Desirous while I have Opportunity to Dispose of Such Worldly Estate God has pleased to Bless me With Do make this my Last Will and Testament, In manner & form following,

(VIZ)

First, I Will & Bequeath to my beloved wife Rebecca that part of the plantation that we now make of During her natural Life, I also lend her the use of a Negro fellow Known by the name of Tom During her natural Life, and afterwards I give and bequeath this said fellow to my Son Aron, I also Lend to her one Negro boy Known by the name of Charles Durn her Natural Life, & afterwards to be the fourmentioned Charles to be Equally divided between my two Eldest Sons Jacob & Moses, I also lend her my Stock of all kinds that I now possess During her Natural Life & afterwards to be Equally Devided Between my three Children

Item: I give to my beloved Wife One Feather Bed, I also lend her all the plantation tools together with all my Household furniture that I now possess During her Natural Life & afterwards to be Equally Devided Between my three Children-----

Item: I will & bequeath to my Son Jacob all the land that I now possess above Hawkins Branch, I also give to my Son Jacob the land I bought of Samuel Fields joining James Atkins Land, & the Land I took up joining the same also, I give & bequeath to my Son Jacob one bed and furniture, & also it is my Deser Heirs of the above named Hawkins Branch Down to a Cypress Stump Standing by the Run of the said branch and Running thence Due North to the run of Whittock River that the said line shall be the established deviding line between the lands of my Sons Jacob and Aron Fields agreeable to the intent & meaning thereof----

Item: I will & bequeath to my Son Moses all the land that I now possess Between Calaways Upper Line Also I give to my Son Moses all Farming Tools that I now possess.

Item: I Will & Bequeath to my Son Aron all the lands that I now possess from Calaways Upper Line to Hawkins Branch, Excepting that part if the plantation whereon I now Live which I have already lent to my Wife During her Natural Life I then afterwards to my Will is that it should belong to Son Aron also I give to my Son Aron one Still with my Smiths Tools together with my Carpenter Tools also the Gun Tools also I give to my Son Aron one bed & feniture with a Cloth Loom Three Hoochheads & large Oval Table Also I give to my Son Aron two Carts Also I give to my son-in-law Joseph Key one Shilling Sterling-----

Item: I will & bequeath to my two grand Children James Key & Penny Key ten Pounds apiece to be Raised out of my Estate by my Executors ---- Lastly & to Conclude, I Constitute and Appoint my Loving Sons Jacob Moses & Aron Executors to this my Last Will and Testament Revoking all other Wills by me before Made and Declare this only to be my Last Will in Witness whereof I hereunto Set my hand & Seal this the 25th Day of September 1800 Signed Sealed & Delivered in the presence of us----

THOS. GIBSON  
THOMAS GIBSON  
JOHN GIBSON

JAMES FIELDS (SEAL)

Onslow County in Court October Term 1803

The Will of James Fields was proved in open Court by the oath of Thomas Gibson and the Exco. Qualified.

NATH. LOOMIS C.C.

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In the name of God Amen, I William Ferrand, of the Town of Swansboro and the County of Onslow being at present of sound and disposing mind but aware of the uncertin tenure of life do make and constitute this my Last Will and Testament,.

It is my desidr that my body be decent buried in the confidence and hope of a Christian I Command my Soul to the God who gave it, as to the worldly property, with which he hath blessed to intrust me with I give and bequeath as followeth, .

To my beloved wife Anna K. Ferrand, I give and devise for and during the term of her natural life the following tract of parcels of land a piece of one hundred and forty nine acres lying in the County of Carteret in the mouth of Petelas Creek, it being the land I Purchased of Capt. Isaac Hill.

Also a tract of two hundred acres Lying on Rudy Branch of said County of Carteret it being the land I purchased of John Green Lent.

Also one other tract of two hundred acres lying also in said County of Carteret on said Rudy Branch and joining the last mentioned Tract, it being the land I purchased of Armthad Hatchel.