

Onslow County In Court January Term 1801 the within Will was proved by the Oath of Shadrick Hall & Charles Hardison one of the Executors therein qualified.

I hereby certify the above to be a true Copy from the original in the Clerk Office of the County aforesaid.

Nath Loomis. CC

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN: I Jonathan Hibbs of Onslow County in the State of North Carolina; Being of sound mind & memory & Calling to mind the mortality of my body that it is appointed for all men once to die do make & ordain this my Last Will & Testament in manner & form following. I commit my Soul unto the hands of God that gave it hoping through the mercy of blessed Saviour to receive free pardon of all my sins & my body I commit to the Earth from whence it was taken & as to such worldly estate as it hath Pleased God to endow me with I dispose of in the following manner to wit:

First: I give to my three sons Wilkins Hibbs Jonathan Hibbs & David Hibbs the land I now possess on New River being the land I bought of Joseph Morgan to be equally divided quantity & Quality the East side of my said land I give & bequeath to my son Wilkins Hibbs to him and his heirs forever.

2ndly: I give to my son Jonathan Hibbs the land Joining my son Wilkins Hibbs to him & his heirs forever.

3ly: I give & bequeath to my son David Hibbs the Westernly part of said land which said land I leave to be laid off that each child may have a privilege of the River to him & his heirs & assigns forever.

4ly: I give to my beloved wife Anna Sophia Hibbs her life time on the aforesaid land given.

5ly: I Give to my wife Anna Sophia Hibbs a negro boy named Cuff during her natural life & after her death I leave the aforesaid negro to be equally divided among my sons -- Viz John Hibbs, Wilkins Hibbs Jonathan Hibbs and David Hibbs to them & their heirs forever.

5ly: I give to my wife negro girl named Darkis & after her death. I leave her to my daughter Elizabeth Hibbs to her & her heirs forever.

6ly: I give to my wife a negro girl named Rose during her natural life & after her death I leave her to my daughter Ann Hibbs to her & her heirs & assigns forever.

7ly: I give to my daughter Elizabeth Hibbs one feather bed One Cow & Colt to her & her heirs & assigns forever.

8ly: I give & bequeath to my daughter Ann Hibbs one featherbed One Cow & Colt to her and her heirs & assigns forever.

9ly: I give to my son John Hibbs the plantation whereon he now lives on Bogue Sound containing One Hundred & Two acres to him & his heirs forever.

10ly: I give to my son Jonathan Hibbs One Mare Colt called Gimme to him & his heirs forever.

11ly: I give to my son David Hibbs one Colt called Pleasant to him and his heirs forever.

12 ly: I Give to my wife all the rest of my personal estate During her Life and after her Death I give the same amongst all my Children to them & their heirs & assigns forever.

Lastly I Nominate & appoint William Wilkins Taylor Executor & my wife Executrix of this my Last Will revoking all other Will or Will by me made ratifying & confirming this and no other to be my Last Will & Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 31st day of December in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred & Eighty Nine.

Signes Sealed Published & Declared in Presence of us.

JONATHAN HIBBS. (SEAL)

DANIEL NEWTON.

ELIJAH NEWTON.

JOHN MITCHELL

ONSLow COUNTY: APRIL TERM 1790 the Will of Jonathan Hibbs Dece. was proved before the County Court. aforesaid by the oath of Danl. Newton & Mrs. Anna Sophia Hibbs & William W. Taylor appeared and was Qualified as Executors thereto.

TEST, WITT CARY, C. C.

In the Name of God Amen, I John Hewitt Junr. of the State of North Carolina and County of Onslow Planter Being very sick and weak but of sound mind and memory Thanks be to God for the same Calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament That is to say principally and first of all I give and recommend my Soul into the hands of almighty God that gave it, and my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors, Nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of God and as touching such worldly estate wherewith I have pleased God to Bless me in this Life I give demise and dispose of the same in following manner and form.

ITEM: I give and bequeath to my son Dempsey Weeks Huit One Hundred and Thirty Acres of Land where I now live also two negroes by the name Edmond and Annica also one negro woman by the name of Esther to him and heirs forever.

ITEM: I also give and bequeath to my son Dempsey Weeks Huit my black mare all my cattle and hogs, all my Stocks of Bees three beds & Furniture together with my household furniture of every kind to him and his heirs forever.

ITEM: It is my Will and desire that my land on White Oak River in Jobes Countay Containing One Hundred and Fifty Acres being now under lease to my son Rigen Huit by Assaunt for the term of Nineteen years from the date hereof at the price of twelve barrels of corn per year and that corn be paid yearly to my wife Nancy Huit for her support and support my son Dempsey Weeks Huit.

ITEM: It is my Will and desire that land before mentioned at expiration of the Nineteen years be equally divided between my grandson William Hewitt and my grandson John Huit son of Rigen Huit and in case either of them should die before they come to the age of twenty one years that my son Dempsey Weeks Huit should have that part of said land which would have belonged to the deceased.

ITEM: It is my Will and desire in case my son Dempsey Weeks Huit should die before he comes to the age of Twenty Years it is my will that my grandson William Huit should have all that part of my property before given to my son Dempsey Weeks Huit or that may hereafter be given that my grandson William Huit should have it at the time when my son Dempsey W. Huit should have come to the age of Twenty Years as will be lent to my wife Nancy Huit until that time.

ITEM: I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Nancy Huit One negro woman named Beadly to her and her heirs forever I also lend unto my wife Nancy Huit the use of all that property both real and personal which I have given to my son Dempsey W. Huit for the support of my wife and my son Dempsey until my son Dempsey should arrive to the age of Twenty One Years.

ITEM: It is my will and desire that all my just debts be paid out of such monies notes and accounts which I shall leave and that the remainder be apportioned to the use of schooling my son Dempsey and it is my express desire that my son Dempsey W. Huit should be bound at the age of sixteen years to some Mechanical Trade at the discretion of my Executors and I also give and bequeath to my son Dempsey Huit all the remaining part of my property if any except my smooth Bored Gun I give and bequeath to my son Rigen Huit.

ITEM: It is my will that my daughter Ellener Huit be paid five Shillings by my Executors Out of the profits of my Estate.

I do hereby constitute and appoint my friend John Ferrand my son Dempsey W. Huit at the age of Twenty One years Executors of this my last will and Testament Declaring all others to be Null and Void and this to be my last will.

In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this 19th day of January in the Year of Our Lord 1809.

Signed Sealed in the presents of us

his
JOHN X HUIT (SEAL)
mark

ROBERT BRIDGEN

his

MOSES X TAYLOR

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State of North Carolina Onslow County January the 3th 12th 88.
I being in a low State of health at this Time, and resign my body to the tomb and give up my soul to God and being in my perfect senses do make my last Will and Testament. Therefore I give to my beloved wife Esther one Negro girl named Marier this being my last will and testament. I leave for my Executors Esther Koonce and David Jenkins.

Sealed and signed in the presents of us. Therefore I ABROHAM KOONCE (SEAL) give and leave all the rest of my property that I possess to be Equally Divided between my beloved wife and children.

TEST: JOHN EVANS

TEST: DANIEL X AMAN
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