

State of North Carolina } February Term 1791
 Orange County

The Execution of the Last Will and Testament of Jacob Dibley deceased was duly proved in open Court by the oath William Clendinning one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and Ordered to be recorded.

Attest
 Abner B. Bruce Clk

In the name of God Amen. I John Patterson Senior of County of Orange and State of North Carolina being through the abundant mercy and goodness of God this weak in body yet of sound and perfect Understanding and memory do constitute by my last will and Testament and desire it may be received by all as such

First I will that all my Debts be paid by my Executors & Executor hereafter named

Item I do give and bequeath unto my loving wife Margaret with whom I have lived a number of years peaceable and quiet one Horse to the value of twenty pounds one feather bed and furniture, and a Negro Woman named Kate, and after her death or Marriage to be equally divided between my two Sons David & Isaac. Item I do give and bequeath to my daughter Jean the Sum of five shillings to be paid by my Executors and Executor.

Item I do give to my son William One hundred Acres of Land part of the tract now lies on to be laid off so that the said Land shall have as wide on the South East line as on the North West, including the improvement the said William now

now lies on. Item I do give to my Son James the Plantation he now lives on containing three hundred Acres, for which he is to pay the sum of ten pounds to be paid to my Son David after the Execution of my last will or a Deed to him.

Item I do give to my son John all my wearing apparel except one great coat, Item I do give to my daughter Margaret Abbot one Scarit Cardinal or the value thereof in money; Item I do give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Patterson the Sum of five shillings to be paid by my Executors.

Item I do give to my Daughter Agnes one horse to the value of twenty pounds, one feather Bed and furniture two and calves, and one year old, one Spinning wheel also five pounds in money.

Item I do give and bequeath all the remaining part of my Estate, to my two Sons David and Isaac, I do constitute my Wife Margaret and my Son David Executors of this my last Will and Testament and trustees for my son Isaac. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 10th day July 1790

Sealed and delivered
 In presence of
 J. J. J. J. J.
 Nathaniel Matthews

State of North Carolina } May Term 1791
 Orange County
 The Execution of the last Will and Testament of John Patterson Senr. Deceased was duly proved in open Court by the oath of two subscribing witnesses thereto and Ordered to be recorded.
 Attest
 Abner B. Bruce Clk