The Last Will & Testament of Jehabod Harrip Decd

The last Will & Testament of In the Name of God Amen. I Jehabod Harrip
of the State of North Carolina & County of Pitt being of Sound & perfect mind
& memory blessed be God do this third day of September in the year of our Lord
One thousand eight hundred & forty seven make & publish this my last will
and Testament in manner following that is to say first
Item I lend to my well beloved wife Sarah Harrip her natural life all of
my land Home tract Mill tract & at her death I give the said home
tract & Mill tract to Rebecca Little to her and her heirs forever
2 Item I lend unto my wife Edmund & Gray her natural life and at her death
I give the said two negro men to my daughter Rebecca Little to her and her
heirs forever
3 Item I give to my wife four negroes Rachel Adaline Blount & Hannah
to her her heirs & assigns forever
4 Item I give to my wife two of my horses Tony and Bantler to her & her
heirs forever
5 Item I give to my wife all my household and kitchen furniture and
all my farming utensils my cattle Hogs & Sheep to her and her heirs forever
6 Item I give to my wife my Brandy Still & all of my crop of Corn peas
& Garden Potatoes & fodder & Lisk I have and hand & growing at this
time to her and her heirs forever also Fifty dollars in money & one third
of my Notes that I have on hand I give to my wife & her and her heirs forever
7 Item I give to my daughter Rebecca Little my negro man Orange also my
Fodrick Mill tract of land also my young horse Dove to her and her heirs
forever
8 Item I give to my daughter Rebecca Little one third of my Notes which
I have on hand to her and her heirs forever
9 Item I give to my daughter Arcadia Ward eight of my negroes Peter Dicy
Peter Grace Milly Jane Hannah & increase to her and her heirs and assigns
forever also my mare Dover and one third of my Notes which I have on
hand I give to my daughter Arcadia Ward to her and her heirs and assigns
forever And I hereby make and ordain my two sons in law Samuel
Little & Daniel Ward executors of this my last will and Testament In Witness
Whereof I the said Jehabod Harrip have to this my last will & Testament set
my hand & seal the day & date above written Signed Sealed & acknowledged
in the presence of us

Arden Moore
Rowan Cooper

Jehabod his + mark Harrip (Seal)

August Term 1848 A paper writing purporting to be the Last Will & Testament
of Jehabod Harrip was exhibited in open Court & the due execution thereof according to law
with the last will and testament of the said Jehabod was proved by the oath of Arden Moore
and Rowan Cooper the subscribing witnesses thereto & on motion it is ordered to be recorded
Daniel Ward one of the executors named in said Will appeared in Court & qualified thereto
according to Law

Attest William D Moye Clerk

State of North Carolina } I Henry Shepperd Clerk of the Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions for the County
Pitt County } aforesaid do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full true and perfect copy of the last
Will and testament of Jehabod Harrip dec'd as recorded in the Clerk's office of said County Given under my
hand & seal of office at Greenville this 13 day of Feb 1857 H Shepperd Clerk

North Carolina This paper writing being offered to the Court as a certified copy of the last will
and testament of Jehabod Harrip dec'd and the Court being satisfied of the genuineness thereof upon the
testimony of Henry Shepperd Clerk it is ordered that it be recorded and filed with the certificate of probate

Attest

H Shepperd Clerk

I want it equally divided between my other daughters the land that I have
set apart for Susanah I want put to her after my death at three hundred
dollars as a part of her share in my Estate I give my negroes Hannah
Daniel, Rinchen, Jack, Penny, Mark & Betty to my wife Susanah & my
daughter Priscilla Zelotes, Absalom, Anthony & Nancie Victoria to be valued to them
after my death I want enough of my estate given to my daughter Susanah
to make her equal with the rest of my heirs in Valuation upon the above conditions
the portion that I have set apart for my wife I want Equally divided between
all my heirs after her death; The interest that I bought of John Dunford
& Allen I Smith in Moody Moores Estate together with all of my own Estate
to be Equally devided between all my Heirs so as to make them Equal in
valuation I appoint my two Sons William & John Thomas executors to
this my last will & testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand & seal this the 4th day of May 1857

Thomas Joyner (Seal)

Witness
I Mann
Aron Joyner

On motion it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that there was a last will & testament
of Thomas Joyner dec'd duly proved in open Court at June 1857 and ordered to be
recorded that the said will with the record and registry thereof was burned in the Burning
of the Court House of Pitt County, and that the contents of said Will as set forth in a paper
writing filed marked A is a true statement of the contents of the last said Will & Testament
of the said Thomas Joyner dec'd It is ordered by this Court that the same as set forth
in said paper writing be declared to be the last Will & testament of said Thomas
Joyner dec'd and ordered to be recorded as such

John Nelson & Wife
vs
John Long } Judgment for Complt as to John Long and this cause coming on to be heard upon
petition and the testimony taken in the cause and before the Court. The Court adjudges and decrees
that Elisha Long late of this County departed this life leaving a last will & testament which was
offered for probate by Lewis Long which of said testator and executor therein named and the wife of
petitioner John Nelson and that the said paper writing was duly proved by the oaths of Lewis Nelson & Reuben
Gaskins the subscribing witnesses thereto and admitted at May Term 1854 of this Court to probate and ordered to be
recorded and filed and that said Will was recorded and to the said Lewis Long letters testamentary were
granted thereon The Court further declares the contents of said Will to be that the said Elisha Long
gave and devised all his estate real personal and mixed (to wit) his land negro boy John his
mare, cattle, hogs, and other stock his household & kitchen furniture and all his property
of every kind to Lewis Long his wife absolutely in fee simple.
The Court further orders that this declaration of the Court of the contents of the will of
Elisha Long dec'd be recorded as the Will of said testator and that $4 Shepperd be allowed
$5 for taking testimony to be paid with the cost of this petition by the Pltfs