

February Term 1817.

I Benjamin Cox of the County of Randolph & State of North Carolina this fourteenth day of the twelfth month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and five being of sound memory & mind do hereby bequeath to God for his service and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die I do hereby make ordain this my last will testament and for the better Estate and Goods that it both stand good to keep me with in this world I give devise and bequeath in the following manner - first I ordain and constitute my sons William Cox and Joseph Cox to be my only and sole Executors of this my last will and testament. I also my funeral charges and last debts to be paid paid out of my Estate also I give I devise unto my son Joseph Cox a tract or parcel of that land conveyed to me by John Stokes on which he lives on being the corner part on the north west side of the Creek he coming up said Creek to dinner to run west to Jeremiah Cox corner to be freely enjoyed by him and his heirs for ever it is my will - I also give and devise unto my son William Cox the other part or parcel of land on which I live on Richland Creek from Josephs up said Creek to the Mouth of Rocky run then over the Creek on both sides to be freely enjoyed by him and his heirs and assigns for ever. I also give and devise unto my son William Cox a tract or parcel of land adjoining that which I live on containing three hundred and fifty acres of land on the north side to be freely enjoyed by him and his heirs and assigns for ever. it is my will -

I also give I devise unto Joseph Cox and William Cox my 395
a tract or parcel of land containing two hundred acres lying on the west side of a Creek or piece of land of my son William Cox on going run. it is my will - I also give and devise unto my friends I have a tract of land containing fifty acres which I took up for the use of Holy Spring meeting school I give and devise for the use of said meeting of friends for ever - It is my will - I also for my son I leave it to my Grand daughter Martha, William Cox's daughter to be have after my death it is my will - and as for the movable part of my Estate I wish that after my death that it be sold or pressed which way my children think best and equally divided amongst them. Witness both John Emory Joseph and William and I presented my children - I do witness and testimony whereof I the said Benjamin Cox have hereunto set my hand and seal the day & year above written.

Signed & sealed and Acknowledged in the

Presence of
his
A. James Comer
Moses John Barker

Benjamin Cox
Witness

State of North Carolina } County of Randolph & quarter sessions
Randolph County } February Term 1817

The execution of the foregoing last will & testament of Benjamin Cox was proved in the Court by James Comer and John Barker the subscribing Witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded

John Barker 666

Account of the sales of the Property of John Clark
deceased made the 14th December 1816.

John Clark's pollards bar	1 01
Doak's Ash 1 thin load this year	40
James Clark 3 Barrels	20
James Yates 5 Bushels Wheat	5 02 1/2
James Yates 5 do do	3 30
James Yates 5 do do	5 17 1/2
James Yates 5 do do	3 50
Alexander Cunningham Bollen's Wheat	10 05
John Miller to wheat in the straw	6 76
Frederick Goff to one Negro Girl	358 25
John Gardner to one Negro Boy	530 50
	<u>\$938 17</u>
John Clark	
James Clark	

1st Alexander Gray Adm^r of Basil Dawson dec^d

to balance in his hands on former settlement \$2024.16.50 1/2

To be paid with the Estate of his Deceased G^r

By Order Payment to Saml Dawson Adm ^r N ^o 28 + 36. 6. 10	
By John Henderson Tre ^r N ^o 29	4. 9
By Gray & Hardlock Tre ^r N ^o 30	19. 1. 6
By Rachel Dawson Tre ^r N ^o 31	328. 3. 2 1/2
By Johna Dawson Tre ^r N ^o 32	328. 3. 2 1/2
By Isaac Dawson Tre ^r N ^o 33	328. 3. 2 1/2
By Henry Tait Tre ^r N ^o 34	328. 3. 2 1/2
By William Logan Esq ^r Tre ^r N ^o 35	328. 3. 2 1/2
By Rachel Dawson Tre ^r N ^o 36	328. 3. 2 1/2
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By Rachel Dawson Tre ^r N ^o 99	328. 3. 2 1/2
By Rachel Dawson Tre ^r N ^o 100	328. 3. 2 1/2

Agreed to the order of Court to be directed as a Committee

to settle with Alex^r Gray Adm^r of the Estate of Basil Dawson
dec^d have examined all the accounts of the said Alex^r
Gray & find that he has paid into the Court the sum of
\$938. 17. 1/2

John Brown

James Brown

Obtained November 28th 1816 an payment against Alex^r
Brown to the amount of fourteen dollars & thirty one cents
as part of the Estate of Basil Dawson

James Jones Adm^r

Randolph County - February term 1817

Ordered by the Court that John Brown, James Brown
and Samuel Gordon Esq^r be appointed commissioners
to settle the Estate of Basil Dawson dec^d with James
Jones Adm^r & to report to this Court

6th day

John Brown Adm^r

July 5th 1817 agreed to settle the estate of Basil Dawson
dec^d with James Jones & paid in his hands
the sum of Eighty Eight Dollars & 1/2 p^{ts} for the first
year the Estate

Shubel Watson Adm^r

Wood Adm^r

Shubel Watson Adm^r

1816 December 7th

Sole the Property of Lewis Brown dec^d left for the
widow's year allowance

John Brown

Sarah Carter

\$5.5