

North Carolina } In the name of God Amen
 Newell Pitman } Robeson County } I, Newell Pitman of the County
 and State aforesaid do make publick & declare this my last will & Testament
 in manner & form following Viz I give & bequeath unto my beloved
 wife Susanna Pitman five calves & calves one Horse saddle & bridle one riding
 chair & Harness one Cart & gear fifteen head of two year old Hogs two
 pigs three leather Beds six head of sheep one negro woman named Dinah
 & farming utensils of every description which property above mentioned I wish
 her to have at her own disposal as she may think proper
 I also give unto her all and singular my real and personal Estate of every
 description whatsoever (except what is hereinafter devised and bequeathed)
 that is to say I give and bequeath unto my son John Pitman Twenty
 five Dollars to be paid out of my Estate two years after my decease
 I give and bequeath unto my daughter Charity wife of Hardy Pope
 Ten Dollars to be paid out of my Estate two years after my decease
 I give and bequeath unto my son Michael Pitman Twenty five
 Dollars to be paid out of my Estate two years after my decease
 I give & bequeath unto my daughter Abby (wife of James Gibson)
 Ten Dollars to be paid out of my Estate two years after my decease
 I give and bequeath unto my son James Pitman Twenty five
 Dollars to be paid out of my Estate two years after my decease
 I give & bequeath unto my son Henry Pitman One Hundred & fifty
 acres of land adjoining the plantation whereon I now live & including
 the lower plantation cleared by Michael Pitman to be his & his heirs forever
 I give & bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth Herring wife of Abner
 Herring Ten Dollars to be paid out of my Estate two years after my decease
 I give & bequeath unto my son Newell Pitman One Hundred & fifty
 acres of land adjoining the plantation whereon I now live being the land I purchased
 of the heirs of Meedy Lamb Also after the decease of my wife I give & bequeath
 unto said Newell the plantation whereon I now live containing two hundred & fifty
 acres lying on both sides of Jacob Swamp together with my negro man Danc
 I also desire that he be decently educated out of my Estate
 I give & bequeath unto my three daughters Susanna Caroline & Mary
 the remainder of my Estate which is not absolutely conveyed after the
 death of my wife I wish it to be sold on a credit of six or 12 Months &
 equally divided between them & should one or two of them die without issue
 I wish the surviving one or ones to receive the share of the deceased
 It is also my desire that if either of my sons should die without issue
 that the other brothers should be their sole heirs
 I do further authorize my wife to sell all my lands (except that
 bequeathed to Henry) & make title to the same if she should think proper
 to do so together with the personal Estate the negro excepted (Danc)
 on a credit of six months or more for the land & the other property
 as she may think proper I wish it to be understood that in

that went the proceeds of the plantation & of the One Hundred & fifty Acres above mentioned shall still be the property of Newell after his mother's death Hereby revoking and disannulling all & every Will & testament by me heretofore made I hereby nominate constitute & appoint my wife Susanna Pitman Executrix & my son Henry Pitman Executor to this my last will & Testament In Witness whereof I hereunto set my hand & seal this second day of February in the year of our Lord A^d (1830) Eighteen Hundred & thirty

In presence of
William Pitman & Henry Newell his
W^m Thompson Mark

Religion County May Term 1830. Then was the Will proven in open Court by the oath of W^m Pitman & ordered to be recorded W^m Echlin Clk

Elizabeth Leggett In the name of God Amen I Elizabeth Leggett of Robeson County being of sound & perfect mind & memory do hereby bequeath & publish this my last will & testament in manner following that is to say First my will is that all my just debts be paid & I give to my son Hardy Council One Dollar & I give to my Daughter Elizabeth Council One Dollar & I give to my Daughter Mary Council One Dollar & I give to my daughter Sarah Barlow One Dollar -
6th I give & bequeath to my son George Leggett one third of my land & one feather Bed & Furniture
7th I give & bequeath to my son Clark Leggett One third part of my land and one feather Bed & Furniture
8th I give & bequeath to my daughter Nancy Leggett the other third of my land & one feather Bed & Furniture

9th My Will and wish is if I have any thing that I have not mentioned at my death that it may be equally divided betwix my son George Leggett and my son Clark Leggett and my daughter Nancy Leggett share and share alike and I hereby make & ordain my son George Leggett executor of this my last will & Testament in Witness whereof I the said Elizabeth Leggett have to this my last will & Testament set my hand & seal the day & year above written signed sealed published and declared by Elizabeth Leggett the testator as her last will and testament in the presence of us

Lewis Barge Elizabeth Leggett her
William Moore & Robeson County May Term 1830 Mark

Then was the will proven in open Court by the oath of W^m Moore & ordered to be recorded

In the name of God Amen
 Francis Parker Know all Men that I Francis Parker being
 weak of body but in perfect mind and memory thanks be to God
 do this the Twentieth day of January in the year of our Lord One thousand
 eight hundred and thirty make and ordain this my last will & testament
 in manner following First of all I desire my just debts and funeral
 charges be paid Secondly I give & bequeath to beloved wife
 Sarah Parker during her life all my plantation land whereon I
 now live with all my plantation utensils household & kitchen
 furniture to her & her use and benefit also my negro women & see
 also all the stock of every kind Thirdly I give & bequeath unto
 my son in law Ralph Regan five shillings Sterling to him & his
 heirs for ever Also I give & bequeath to my Daughter Martha Regan
 my negro girl Follis to her & the heirs of her body forever
 My desire is after the death of my wife Sarah that all the land
 that I now own shall be equally divided between my three Daughters
 Sonny Harriet and Sarah Then what ever remains is to
 be equally divided between my four children Ralph Sonny
 Harriet and Sarah only the share to be Martha Regan's
 I also make & ordain Owen Singletary and Madrick Howells
 sole Executors to this my last will & Testament In Witness
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal
 signed sealed published and delivered in presence of us
 Joseph Howell & James Howell Francis Parker

Palmetto County May term 1830

Then was this will duly proved in open Court by the
 oath of Joseph Howell and ordered to be recorded Wm. P. Parker

William Townsend In the name of God Amen
 I William Townsend of the County of Robeson in the State of
 North Carolina being weak in body but of sound & perfect
 mind and memory thanks be given to God calling to mind the mortality
 of my body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die
 do this Twenty fifth day of February in the year of our Lord
 Eighteen Hundred & Twenty six make & publish this my last
 will & testament in manner form & substance following
 that is to say Principally & first of all I give my soul into the hands
 of Almighty God who gave it & my body to the Earth to be buried
 in a decent Christian like manner at the discretion of my Executors
 hereafter to be mentioned and as to such worldly estate wherewith
 it has pleased God to bless me in this life I give devise & bequeath
 the same in the following manner (to wit) 1st In the first place
 I desire that all my just debts be paid as soon after my decease
 as possible Second I leave as - with my heirs

wife Sarah Townsend all the property of which I may die lawfully seized and possessed not otherwise disposed of at the time of my death to be by her freely enjoyed and possessed during her natural life & after her death I give devise and bequeath unto my well beloved son Elias Townsend the Lands & plantation whereon I now reside with all its improvements being and being in the County & State aforesaid in the form of Lumber Timber and the ~~rest~~ ^{same} containing Five Hundred forty three acres more or less to be by him freely enjoyed and to his heirs and assigns forever Thirdly I give devise & bequeath unto my beloved daughter Susan Harrell the wife of Jesse Harrell the sum of one Dollar to her and her heirs forever Fourthly I give devise and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Mary Blount wife of Benjamin Blount the sum of one Dollar to her & heirs forever

Fifthly It is my particular will and desire (and I so give devise & bequeath the property here after mentioned) that after the death of my wife Sarah all the Negroes ^{now} ~~now~~ Cattle Hogs & Stock of all kind farming utensils household & kitchen furniture Money debts and all other property not before devised or disposed of after my debts bequest & other incidental charges are paid be valued and equally divided among my children and their offspring as follows to wit One Ninth part for Alexander Townsend One Ninth part for William Townsend One Ninth part for Charles Townsend One Ninth part for Thomas Townsend One Ninth part for Sarah Blount wife of James Blount One Ninth part for John Townsend One Ninth part for Elias Townsend one Ninth part for the children of my daughter Susan Harrell wife of Jesse Harrell (to be divided equally among them) and one Ninth part for the children of my daughter Mary Blount wife of Benjamin Blount (to be equally divided among them) and to them and each of their respective heirs and assigns forever

And lastly I nominate constitute and appoint Alexander Townsend William Townsend Thomas Townsend & John Townsend my true Executors of this my last will & Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & date above written Signed Sealed published and declared by Wm Townsend the Testator as last Will & Testament before us

Neill Buie

Rich^d C. Bunting

William ^{his} Townsend (Seal)
March

Robeson County August Term 1890

Then was this will proven legally in open Court by the oath of Rich^d C. Bunting and ordered to be recorded

Wm^c Cashier Clk

Lewis Barge State of North Carolina Robeson County

I Lewis Barge being of sound mind & memory & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die and being desirous before that event shall occur in regard to myself to make a Judgmentary disposition of such worldly effects as it hath pleased the Almighty to bless me with

do therefore make the following bequest and devises of the same 1st That is to say In the first place I give and bequeath unto Delpha Stanton Campbell her heirs Executors administrators and assigns a negro girl slave name Elizabeth the eldest child of my negro girl named Melly together with the future increase of the said Elizabeth &c

In the second place I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Barge her heirs Executors administrators and assigns the following negro Slaves to wit / Charles Robt young beaver Jane old beaver (commonly called Grey) Hester and her four children (to wit) Robeson Alfred Peter and Sally Melly and four of her children (to wit) Henry Rebecca Margaret and Mary Mary Ann and her two children to wit George and Maria Hannah Easter and her two children (to wit) Harriet and Jane together with the future increase of the female of the said Negro Slaves

3 In the third place I give and devise unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Barge her heirs and assigns forever all my real and landed estate both in the County of Cumberland State of North Carolina and in the County of Robeson State aforesaid with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining

4th In the fourth place I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Barge her heirs and assigns Executors and adm^r all my Cattle furniture horses debts money Stocks farming utensils together with all the rest of my personal property of every kind and description whatsoever and which is not already bequeathed and disposed of in this will

Lastly I do hereby ordain and appoint my beloved wife Elizabeth Barge Executrix of this my last Will & Testament and do hereby revoke and declare as null and void all former wills and Codicils of Wills executed by me and do make declare and publish this to be my last Will and Testament this the Eleventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty Signed and published in our presence and we subscribing in presence of the Testator & of each other

Dillon Jordan Junr x Lewis Barge
William Stewart x
Nobles W M Prachan x

Robeson County August Term 1830

This was this Will produced in open Court and it was proven by the oath of Dillon Jordan Jr W^m Stewart & Robert W M Prachan and ordered to be recorded. A M 2^d term CLK

wife Sarah Townsends all the property of which I may die lawfully seized and possessed not otherwise disposed of at the time of my death to be by her freely enjoyed and possessed during her natural life & after her death I give devise and bequeath unto my well beloved son Elias Townsend the Lands & plantation whereon I now reside with all its improvements being and being in the County & State aforesaid in the Parish of Lumber River and the Tract Swamp containing Five Hundred & forty three acres more or less to be by him freely enjoyed and to his heirs and assigns forever Thirdly I give devise & bequeath unto my beloved daughter Susan Harrell the Wife of Jesse Harrell the sum of One Dollar to her and her heirs forever Fourthly I give devise and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Mary Blount wife of Benjamin Blount the sum of one Dollar to her & heirs forever

Fifthly It is my particular will and desire (and I so give devise & bequeath the property here after mentioned) that after the death of my Wife Sarah all the Negroes ^{House} Cattle Hogs & Stock of all kinds Farming utensils household & kitchen furniture Money debts and all other property not before devised or disposed of after my debts requests & other incidental charges are paid be valued and equally divided among my children and their issue as follows (to wit) One Ninth part for Alexander Townsend One Ninth part for William Townsend One Ninth part for Charles Townsend One Ninth part for Thomas Townsend One Ninth part for Sarah Blount wife of James Blount One Ninth part for John Townsend One Ninth part for Elias Townsend one Ninth part for the children of my daughter Susan Harrell wife of Jesse Harrell (to be divided equally among them) and one Ninth part for the children of my daughter Mary Blount wife of Benjamin Blount (to be equally divided among them) and to them and each of their respective heirs and assigns forever

And lastly I nominate constitute and appoint Alexander Townsend William Townsend Thomas Townsend & John Townsend my true Executors of this my last will & Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & date above written Signed Sealed published and declared by W^m Townsend the Testator as last Will & Testament before us

Neill Buie

Rich^d C. Bunting

William ^{his} Townsend (Seal)
Marble

Robeson County August Term 1830

Then was this will proven legally in open Court by the Oath of Rich^d C. Bunting and ordered to be Recorded

W^m Cashiers Clk

Lewis Barge State of North Carolina Robeson County

I Lewis Barge being of sound mind & memory & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die and being desirous before that event shall occur in regard to myself to make a Testamentary disposition of such worldly effects as it hath pleased the Almighty to bless me with

do therefore make the following bequest and devises of the same
1st That is to say In the first place I give and bequeath unto Delfia Stanton Campbell her heirs Executors administrators and assigns a negro girl slave named Elizabeth the eldest child of my negro girl named Melly together with the future increase of the said Elizabeth &c

In the second place I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Barge her heirs Executors administrators and assigns the following Negro Slaves (to wit) Charles Robt Young beaver Isaac old beaver (commonly called Grey) Foster and her four children (to wit) Alfred Peter and Sally Milly and four of her children (to wit) Henry Rebecca Margaret and Mary Mary Ann and her two children to wit George and Maria Hannah Easter and her two children (to wit) Harriet and Jane together with the future increase of the female of the said Negro Slaves

3 In the third place I give and devise unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Barge her heirs and assigns forever all my real and landed estate both in the County of Cumberland State of North Carolina and in the County of Robeson State aforesaid with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining

4th In the fourth place I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Barge her heirs and assigns Executors and Adm^{rs} all my Cattle furniture horses debts money Stock farming utensils together with all the rest of my personal property of every kind and description whatsoever and which is not already bequeathed and disposed of in this will

Lastly I do hereby ordain and appoint my beloved wife Elizabeth Barge executrix of this my last Will & Testament and do hereby revoke and declare as null and void all former wills and codicils of Wills executed by me and do make declare and publish this to be my last Will and Testament this the Eleventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty Signed and published in our presence and we subscribing in presence of the Testator & of each other

Dillon Jordan Jun^r x
William Stewart x
Robert W. R. R. x

Lewis Barge

Robeson County August Term 1830

This was this Will produced in open Court and its due execution proven by the oaths of Dillon Jordan Jr Wm Stewart & Robert W. R. R. and ordered to be recorded. A. M. Clerk

William Baxley In the name of God Amen
 I William Baxley of the County of Robeson and State of North Carolina
 being of sound and perfect mind and memory (Blessed be God)
 do this 21st day of July in the year of our Lord 1828 make and
 publish this my last will and testament in manner following
 that is to say First I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary
 Baxley the use of the following property during her life or widowhood
 as is under the direction of my executor I give her the use of all my
 Land and Mill one half of all the stock of Cows Hens and Hogs
 which I leave at home Also I give her one horse and the plantation
 tools as many of them as will be needed Also I give her Bob Mary
 and Sam and if Mary shall have any children after this they
 must stay with their mother I also give her one half of the Money
 that I shall leave and all the furniture belonging to the house
 except two Beds and furniture and one chest and after her death
 or marriage the whole of the property thus left her to be sold and
 equally divided among my children now living And after my death the
 balance of my property to be sold and the money arising on said sales to be divided
 in manner following To my daughter Olive Jackson children I give Twenty five Dollars
 to be divided between them To my son Stephens children I give Twenty five Dollars
 to be divided in like manner To my Daughter Melly children I give Twenty five
 Dollars to be divided equally among them To my son Reddings daughter Nancy Twenty five
 Dollars To my grand daughter Theresa Cornwell Twenty five Dollars To James that
 I give one half of the stock of cattle that he has in his possession the other half
 to be sold with the balance of my property and all divided equally between
 seven Daughters James Baxley Malch Baxley and Miller Baxley Susanna Jackson
 Sarah West and Sarah Garner all to have an equal share One half of Sarah Garners
 part must go to her children which she had by Copland each one to have an
 equal share and those that are indebted to me their notes to stand good against
 them in the division of my estate Then legacies to my grand children are
 not to be paid them till the last division of my estate I also give full
 power to my executor to sell all my property land to make good & lawful
 debts to the same And hereby make and ordain my worthy friend Abraham
 Davis executor of this my last Will and testament in Witness whereof I the
 said William Baxley have to this my last Will and testament set my hand
 and seal the day and year above written
 Signed sealed published and declared William Baxley
 by the said William Baxley the testator
 as his last will and testament in the presence of us who were
 present at the time of signing and sealing thereof William Davis John W Little
 Robeson County May term 1831 It appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the last will & testament
 of W^m Baxley do was duly proven in the Sup^r Ct of this County the 5th Will with the Certificate of probate is ordered
 to be Recorded AM Robin Elk

Archibald McLaughlin In the name of God Amen
 I Archibald McLaughlin of the State of North Carolina and County of Robeson
 being of sound and perfect mind and memory (blessed be God) do this the
 last day of March in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred
 and thirty one make and publish this my last will and testament
 in manner following to wit First I give and bequeath to my
 loving wife Margaret all my land her life time except fifty acres & after
 her death to be given to my two sons After the lawful debts are all paid
 should there be Negroes left I would wish my daughter Isabel to have two
 and the remainder after my wifes death to be divided equally between
 my two sons with the exception of one by the name of Harrod
 I also give and bequeath to my wife all my household & kitchen furniture
 Cook of all kinds and in short all other property that I possess with the
 exception of what I shall mention I also give and bequeath to my
 sister Isabella a tract of fifty acres of land on the east side of the Bay
 south of ~~the~~ her life time and after her death to my children
 I also give and bequeath to my sister Margaret a Negro boy mentioned
 above name Harry for One thousand and twenty five Dollars that I
 am indebted to her I also empower my wife to call a sale at any time
 that she would think proper that she might be enabled to pay or settle
 every claim or claims that may lawfully come against the estate
 And I hereby make and ordain my worthy wife Margaret executrix
 of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I the said Archibald
 McLaughlin have to this my last will and testament set my hand
 and seal the day and year above written

Signed sealed, published and declared by Archibald McLaughlin Esq
 by the said Archibald McLaughlin the Testator or his ^{mark} last will
 and testament in the presence of us who were present at the time of
 signing and sealing thereof I Wm Paul Esq Dan W Shatter & David Smith
 Robeson County Mary Term 1831

There was the within will proved in open court by the oath of Daniel W Shatter
 one of the subscribing witnesses thereto & ordered to be registered Attest
 Wm Paul

Andrew Sinclair In the name of God Amen
 I Andrew Sinclair of the County of Robeson and State of North Carolina
 being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory (thanks
 be given unto God) calling unto mind the mortality of my body and
 that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this
 my last will and testament to wit

- 1st I give and bequeath unto David McKinnon five Dollars
- 2^d I give and bequeath unto Harrold Benn five Dollars
- 3^d I give and bequeath unto Archibald McGeoghan five Dollars
- 4th All the rest of my estate lands goods and chattels I give and

bequeath unto my beloved wife and my son John to be used in the best
 manner they see in paying all my debts and in raising and educating
 my children that are tender age and should my wife live to see
 all her children come of age and educated I will and ordain
 that she hold possession during her life time and at her death the value
 of my land to be equally divided between my son and all the rest
 of my estate to be left at her disposal to be divided after her death
 as she may see cause And I do hereby nominate constitute
 and appoint my beloved son John sole executor of this my last
 will and testament hereby revoking all other and former wills
 by me at any time heretofore made in witness whereof I
 hereunto set my hand and seal this the twenty third day of April
 in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty one
 Sealed Signed published and declared
 as his last will and testament in the presence of us who have signed our names
 as witnesses hereunto in the presence of the testator Archibald Mc Gowan John Bethune
 Robeson County August Term 1831

Thus was the Execution duly proven in open Court by the oath of
 John Bethune one the subscribing witness & ordered
 to be recorded A. M. Gehin Clerk

Archibald Mc Shatter In the name of God Amen
 I Archibald Mc Shatter of the County of Robeson and State of North
 Carolina being weak of body but of perfect mind & memory blessed
 be God do this the twenty third day of March in the year of our
 Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty one make ordain and
 publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following
 viz Item It is my will and desire that all my legal debts which are small
 should be paid out of what money that is now on hand and also two Bales
 of Pack'd Cotton that is also on hand
 Item I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Mc Shatter all my
 real estate during her natural life time and also the negro Isaac & deal
 for the purpose of maintaining her and my two Daughters Jane Mc Shatter
 and Christian Mc Shatter both of whom is intended should be provided
 for by the said Elizabeth Mc Shatter (my wife) until they be married
 and should the negro deal yet increase it is my desire that the same
 become the property of my daughter Christian Mc Shatter so as to give
 her one negro and should the negro deal still increase it is my desire
 that the same be at the disposal of my wife Elizabeth so far as to make up
 any loss or deficiency on the part of my other children to be here after
 named or on the part of those already named viz Jane and Christian Mc Shatter
 and further after the death of my wife Elizabeth Mc Shatter it is my desire

I will that all my real estate should revert and become the property of my
 Son William M^r Phattair and that out of the Negroes Seal & Isaac the
 sum of three hundred Dollars be made (including other personal property
 besides Negroes) for the use and property of my daughter Jane M^r Phattair
 and all the other balance of Negroes and personal property I desire should
 be equally divided betwixt all my children viz Effy Jane Eliza William
 Mary Ann Annabella & Christian M^r Phattair Eight Shares
 Item I give & bequeath also to my wife Elizabeth M^r Phattair all my crop
 stock and provisions of every kind farming utensils and implements of
 husbandry and all the household furniture of every kind to make
 provision for her and the children already named above all of whom
 I desire together with the property that is hereafter given them should
 remain here together in one family under the control of my wife
 Elizabeth M^r Phattair until she is no more or arrive at age
 at which time I desire that they should receive their liberty and such
 part of the stock and furniture as the family can spare to be judged
 suitable to their use M^r Phattair and that out of the proceeds of the farm
 and stock and other money made in the family I desire that all my
 daughter above named be taught in school the common principles &
 judgment of an English education and that my son William M^r Phattair
 receive what is called a very good English Education The above is the true
 nature of my Will as far as regards my wife Elizabeth M^r Phattair
 Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Effy M^r Phattair my Negro boy
 George and is to remain in the family until she arrives at age or marries
 Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Effy M^r Phattair my Negro girl
 Amy so soon as she is of age or marries
 Item I give and bequeath unto my son William so soon as he arrives
 at age my Negro boy Tom to my son William and his heirs
 Item I give & bequeath unto my daughter Mary so soon as she
 arrives at age or marries my Negro boy Adam
 Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Ann so soon as she
 arrives at age or marries my Negro boy Joe
 Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Annabella so soon
 as she arrives at age or marries my Negro boy Brian
 All the above property I desire should be held in common in
 the family under the direction of my wife Elizabeth M^r Phattair
 until the children arrives at age or marries Or so long as my
 wife Elizabeth M^r Phattair remains my widow which last mentioned
 circumstance should it peradventure occur would change the whole
 of my Will to the following particular Viz that my widow have
 fully her livelihood of my plantation during her life that after her
 death my Lands should return to my son William M^r Phattair
 and that all my personal property of every kind Negroes and

Stock &c be equally divided between my wife Elizabeth McWhittier and my
 eight children Eliza Jane, Eliza, William, Mary Ann, Annabella and
 Christian McWhittier share and share alike
 Lastly I constitute ordain and appoint my Brother Duncan McWhittier
 and friend Archibald McEachin Executors to this my last Will and
 Testament Signed sealed published and declared as the testators
 last Will & Testament in presence of
 Test John McLean
 + Neill McLean

Arch^d McWhittier Seal
 Arch^d McWhittier

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I desire in addition to the above that my Sisters Christian & Mary McWhittier
 whose their present provisions on my premises should they see fit to
 do so after my decease day and date as first written

John McLean Arch^d McWhittier

Test Neill McLean Robeson County Nov^r Term 1831
 Then was this will duly proven in open Court by the oath of
 Neill McLean one of the subscribing witnesses to the same and ordered
 to be recorded
 A McEachin & Co

Neill McNeill

In the name of God Amen

I Neill McNeill of the County of Robeson and State of North Carolina
 being of sound mind and memory thanks to God for his goodness do
 this twenty sixth day of August Anno Domini eighteen hundred & thirty one
 make ~~my~~ my last Will and Testament in the following manner that is to say
 First I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Flora during her
 life time four hundred and fifty Acres of Land on which my Mansion
 house and all my other houses are situated also my grist mill with
 all and singular their improvements and appurtenances to have hold
 and enjoy them during the whole period of her life And after the death
 of my beloved wife Flora it is my will that the aforesaid lower house
 plantation and grist mill with all and singular their improvements
 and appurtenances belong to my youngest son William.

Further I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Flora my six
 slaves Cubrey Frank Jim Saucy Tibbey and Dinah to have and
 possess them during her life time And upon the death of my wife
 it is my will that my son David have and hold the slave Frank
 during said David's life time And that my son David during his
 life time have and hold the slave Jim And that my remaining
 negroes Cubrey Saucy Dinah and Tibbey herein given to my
 wife upon her death to either with such issue as they may hereafter
 have be equally divided among my beloved children Neill
 Hector Malcolm William Arch^d Mary and Rebecca with the
 exception and Hector's part of said negroes and their issue be returned
 to my other heirs and heirs at the death of said Hector if he

Should die without lawful issue. Also I give my son Will
 One hundred acres of land whereon he now lives being on two
 Survey and one hundred acres of land on the West side of St Charles
 Mill Swamp being in two surveys and adjoining Daniel McNeill
 and Catharine Parsons lands. I also give to my son Will my two
 slaves Charles and ~~his wife~~ Ann I give to my son Hector my slave
 Dick and the first child that Fanny may hereafter have which
 negroes with their issue are to be returned to my other heirs and
 heirs at the death of said Hector if he should die without a
 lawful heir. I give my son Malcolm the plantation
 I purchased from John Gilchrist containing three hundred and
 eighty acres also I give to my son Andrew one two slaves Brina
 and Fiddie and upon the death of my son David it is my will that
 my son Malcolm should have him. I give to my son Arch^d
 one hundred and sixty acres of land on which he now lives and fifty
 acres of land besides at the lower end of Bridds Bay I also give
 my son ~~with~~ my two slaves Peter and Anne

I give to my daughter Anne my two slaves Libby and Joney
 I give to my daughter Marianne my two slaves Sabon and Peggy
 I give to my son William my two slaves Sam and Amy
 And after the death of my son Daniel it is my will that my son
 William should have Frank

Item After the death of my beloved wife it is my will that all my
 household furniture together with my five stocks of every description
 be sold and that the proceeds thereof be equally divided among all
 my children provided as before that my son Hector's part thereof
 return to my other children and their heirs if he should die
 without lawful heir. I wish I make and ordain my son
 Arch^d and my son in law John B. Parson as executors to this
 my last will and testament. In witness whereof I will
 McNeill testator have set my hand and seal to this my last
 will and testament on the day and year above written
 Signed sealed and delivered by said Will Mc
 Neill testator as my last will and testament in the presence
 of Test Arch^d Bruce & J.

Marytha Bruce & Ann McNeill Seal
 Robert County West Term 1801

Then was this will duly proven by the oath of Arch^d Bruce
 one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto and ordered
 to be recorded. Anne Robin Clerk

Dugald Mc Lauchlan In the name of God Amen
 I Dugald Mc Lauchlan of the County of Robeson & State of North Carolina
 being of sound and perfect mind and memory (blessed be God do this
 first day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
 and thirty one make and publish this my last Will and Testament in
 manner following that is to say I give and bequeath unto my dear
 and beloved wife Elizabeth all my land immovables to five hundred
 and twenty seven acres including the plantation whereon I now live
 also all my negroes to wit Nelson Jan Sarah and her two children
 Ann and Elyza and another girl named Mary and also all my
 stock of Horses Cattle Hogs & Sheep with all household and kitchen
 furniture and plantation tools of every description with all monies
 & credits that shall remain after discharging all debts the whole
 to be and remain ever after at her own disposal
 And I hereby make and ordain Wm Sinclair & my beloved
 Wife Elizabeth Executor & Executrix of this my last Will and Testament
 In witness whereof I the said Dugald Mc Lauchlan have to this my
 last will & Testament set my hand & seal the day and year above
 written Signed sealed published and declared
 by the said Dugald Mc Lauchlan the testator
 as his last will & testament in the presence of Dugald Mc Lauchlan
 of us who were present at the time of signing
 and sealing thereof Wm Sinclair & William Glover
 Robeson County Feb'y term 1832

Then was this will duly proven in open Court by the oath of Wm
 Sinclair & William Glover subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered
 to be recorded Wm Sinclair Clerk

Job Goodman In the name of God Amen
 I Job Goodman of the State of N^c Carolina and the County of
 Robeson being well stricken in years believing the time of my
 departure is at hand Do this first day of January in the year of our
 Lord 1832 make and publish this my last will and Testament
 in manner following that is to say First I will and desire that all
 my debts be paid & the debts now owing to me as soon as collected
 Second I give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Lydia Goodmay
 the following articles during her natural life Viz all my household
 furniture entire except one leather bed & furniture also one Mare &
 side Saddle two Cows and yearlings all my hogs sheep plantation
 tools all the grass and the loom I here observe that one leather bed
 furniture and loom is given to my wife for ever to dispose of as she
 may think fit or proper The rest of the articles above named at my
 wifes decease I give to my beloved Daughter Rebecca Reynolds

I further give to her my hand Mill. The ballance of my Cattle
 (except one steer called the Philips heifer) I leave to be sold and
 the money arising from such sale I give to my said Daughter
 a Colt also to be sold and be disposed of in the same way as the
 ballance of the cattle to buy her school and clothe her children
 I give unto Silletia Lee for meritorious service rendered The leather
 bed and furniture excepted above and also twelve dollars of the
 money raised by the cattle I give unto Willy Lee a child I have
 partly raised. The heifer excepted above

I give unto Abraham Reynolds Goodman (son of & Pisman Reynolds
 deceased and now dead) which to be used equally among them
 him and I give unto my grandsons Goodman Reynolds & Pisman Reynolds
 to use equally together or alike named my grindstone and blacksmith tool
 I give my gun or Abraham Reynolds and my watch to be sold
 and the amount to go to said Abraham Reynolds.

I further give unto my beloved wife Seldia Goodman the black
 woman to her to serve her her natural life and that P. Sander be
 sold to the person that she may choose

Lastly I give and bequeath unto my grand son Goodman Reynolds
 all his negro slaves all my land owned by me at this time
 And I hereby make and ordain Moore Lennon Goodman Reynolds
 & Pisman Reynolds executors to this my last will and Testament
 in witness whereof I the said Job Goodman have to this my
 last will and Testament set my hand and seal the date above
 written Sign & sealed published
 and declared by the said Job Goodman
 Goodman the testator in the presence

of us who were present at the time of signing & sealing hereof
 Isaac Barnes & Robert ^{son} Burnett
 Habersham County February term 1832

There was this will fully proven in open Court by the
 Oaths of Isaac Barnes & Robert Burnett and ordered to be
 recorded J. Mc Echlin Clerk

Alexander M. Still In the name of God Amen
 I Alexander M. Still of the County of Habersham in the State of
 North Carolina being of sound mind and memory do make declare
 and proclaim this my last will and Testament I wish my body
 to be decently buried at the direction of my executors & executrix
 herein after mentioned and as to my worldly affairs I dispose of them
 in manner and form following Viz. In primis I give and bequeath
 to my dearly beloved wife Christiana the plantation and premises
 thereunto belonging whereon I now reside for and during her life time

for the support & maintenance of herself and family I also give and bequeath to her during her life time aforesaid my negro man Jim & negro woman Mary I likewise give and bequeath to her her heirs and assigns forever & to be willed and disposed of as she in her discretion may think fit and proper among the family my stock of whatever nature or description say Horses Cattle Swags Sheep & the whole of my House hold hold & Kitchen furniture farming or any other kind of utensils Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Anne my negro girl Flora to her her heirs and assigns forever Item I give and bequeath to my four daughters herein after named the future increase of my negro woman Mary till they have each one of such issue (Should the like occur) that is to my daughter Sarah the first born of Mary future offspring to my daughter Priscilla the second to my daughter Christian the third fourth & to my daughter Katherine the third to them their heirs and assigns forever Item I give and bequeath to my son John my negro boy Calvine Item I give and bequeath to my son Archibald my negro boy Sandra Item I give and bequeath to my son Henry my negro boy Andrew as also the whole of my Landed possessions after this Mothers death to him his heirs & assigns forever Item I give & bequeath to my three sons aforesaid my negro man Sam & negro woman Mary after their mothers death jointly between them their heirs and assigns My negro woman Magdaline I wish sold & the proceeds of such sale to be applied by my Executors & Executrix towards schooling my children & towards building a comfortable house or houses for the convenient residence of my wife & children aforesaid as they in their discretion shall think most proper & usefull but having however a primary view in the Education of my children while in their tender & susceptible days Any surplus money or outstanding debts that may remain after my just debts are paid I leave & bequeath to my four younger daughters above to let out on interest for their proper use and benefit of them their heirs and assigns I nominate constitute and appoint my beloved wife Christian Executrix and Duncan MacNeill & Duncan McNeillan Executors of this my last will & Testament

In Testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal the 14 day of February in the year of our Lord 1832

Signed sealed & executed

Alex^r MacNeill (Jr)
 in presence of Duncan Currie Daniel McSwain &
 Habron County Feb^y Term 1832

There was the within Will proven in open Court by the Oath of Daniel McSwain & ordered to be registered W^m McTichen clk

I, Margaret M. Millan in the name of God Amen
 of Margaret M. Millan of Robeson County State of North Carolina being
 weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory blessed
 almighty God for the same do make and publish this my last will and
 Testament in manner and form following that is to say First I give and
 bequeath unto my son Hector M. Millan my negro man Willie as God
 shall after my decease the said Willie shall be valued by two or more free
 holders neighbors indifferently chosen and the appraisment made so made
 to be equally paid and distributed among my said children Archibald
 Isaac but not to be demanded by them a less than six months after my decease
 Second I give and bequeath unto my son Malcolm my negro man Pompey
 and after my said sons decease to be the property of my Grand child
 David son of said Malcolm and saying that whatever share of my other
 property shall become said Malcoms after my death to be equally
 divided among his children, Thirdly I give and ordain that
 all my stock of every description horse hold furniture and farming utensils
 shall be sold to the best advantage by my Executors and an equal
 distribution be made of the money among all my children male & female
 and shall there be any corn or provision on the premises at the time of
 my death the same to be to the use of my son Hector also my bag horse
 also the still I own the of further order and ordain that my funeral charges
 be paid out of the cash that may be in the house at my decease
 that my Executors shall pay twenty dollars to each of my daughters
 and also twenty dollars to my Grand child Mary Malcoms daughter
 and shall there be any surplus after paying the above legacies left
 my son Hector have the balance but in case he should not in a sufficient
 of cash to pay the funeral charges and the twenty dollars to each of the
 Legates as aforesaid then and in that case they shall have an equal
 share of the sum left after my funeral charges are paid, Fourthly I give
 order that if there should be any damages awarded against the
 estate of my Husband or his heirs on account of debt or debts said
 the same shall be paid by my Executors before any division of the
 residuary property to be placed, Fifthly I further order that my Grand
 child Mary Malcoms daughter shall have a bed two pair of Blankets
 two sheets and two coverlets Finally I humbly ordain my beloved son
 Hector M. Millan to be executor to this my last will and Testament In witness
 whereof I have set my hand and seal to this my last will and Testament this 30th
 August 1825 signed sealed published & declared Margaret M. Millan
 by the said Testatrix as her last will and Testament in presence of
 James M. Still & John C. August Term 1832
 James M. Still & John C. August Term 1832
 Done in presence of the said M. Millan duly sworn in open Court
 by the oath of James M. Still & John C. August Term 1832
 A. H. C. Clerk of the Court

In the name of God amen I John Wilson
 of the State of North Carolina and County
 of Robeson being of perfect sound mind and memory do hereby give
 for I do hereby give unto the said son of mine in the Year four and
 a hundred eight hundred and thirty Constable record and
 published this my last will and Testament in manner & form following
 to wit that I do hereby will that my body be entred decently in
 Christian like manner the expense and all matters at the direction
 of my heirs the same hereunto and I have to my dear and beloved
 wife or will of my land including a half of the Slave Peter
 he of land and all the trust of it I do will that my son Christian
 should have an equal share to him this heirs former Item
 I leave and bequeath to my beloved wife or half of all my
 negroes and the value of them for life time and to her heirs also I
 have and bequeath to her my whole stock of Cattle land & other
 and give to my daughter Catharine
 the value of all her land and bequeath to my beloved wife all my
 household and furniture for her life time and all one half of the
 number of my Negroes to be her for life time also I have my whole stock
 of Negroes to be to my beloved wife and my beloved son Arch^d
 and to be their heirs Item I leave to my dear and beloved daughter
 Catharine the deers store and part of my horse after the death
 of her mother to be her for life time and no longer or I reserve to neither
 time the said is divided after the death of my beloved wife when my
 negroes as he before mentioned shall be divided it is my will that she receive
 an equal share with my other daughters of all share and bequeath to my
 daughter Mary Christian the same also when an equal share of my negroes
 according to the share of my other daughters to be the value of the body now
 and all I leave to her the heirs or value to be paid out of my Estate
 Item It is my will that my beloved son John Wilson his heirs shall receive
 a share of all my Negroes when divided to be equally divided among
 his heirs and also I leave an equal share to his heirs for value to be paid out
 of my estate Item I give to my dear and beloved daughter
 Christiana Wilson an equal share of my negroes when divided as do
 also my daughter to be the heirs for value to be paid out of my Estate
 Item I leave an equal share to my loving daughter Margaret Wilson
 alias Margaret Wilson an equal share of my negroes when they
 are divided and also to her heirs bequeath to her one share at the
 above I have to no other heirs to no other former Item I have and
 bequeath to my daughter Effy Wilson an equal share of my negroes
 when they are divided and also a share to be paid out of my Estate
 Item I have and bequeath to my dear son Thomas the one half
 of my land of plantation which is bequeath from my beloved wife Peter
 and after my beloved wife death it is my will that all my

lands will be left to my Dear Beloved Son Washburn &
 his heirs forever and it is my will that if Washburn an dies with
 out an heir or heirs that my lands will be returned to my Son
 John Whelan and his heirs forever. I also leave and bequest
 to my beloved Son Washburn an equal share of my negroes
 when they are divided and also his choice of one negro out
 of one all I also leave and bequest to my Son Washburn
 the other half of my stock Horses reserved from my beloved wife
 to be his & his heirs forever and also my cart and all my farming
 utensils & tools of all description to my beloved wife & to my
 beloved Son Washburn that if my Beloved Son John Whelan
 dies without an heir of his body then all the heirs of my body
 is my will to be his heirs of all that I will bequeath. It is my will
 that if any of my heirs will continue to amate this my will and
 testament I request my Executors to pay any one of such discharges
 or debts and then no more of my Estate or property as for my
 debts I will that my beloved wife Margaret & my beloved Son Washburn
 shall out of my Estate in the first but little of my debts
 It is my will that my dear beloved Son Washburn shall enjoy
 and inherit the one half of my negroes reserved from his mother
 until a division after her death Lastly I constitute my dear beloved
 wife Margaret Whelan an executrix & my beloved Son Washburn
 executor to this my last will and Testament In witness whereof
 I set my hand & seal the day & Year above mentioned
 John Whelan
 of Robertson County Tennyson 1833
 Then was this will & Testament proven in
 and before the Court by the oath of several Jurors
 and entered & recorded

IN WITNESS WHEREOF In the name of God Amen I John Whelan
 of the State of North Carolina County of Robertson being of sound mind
 and memory blessed be God for the same do this the twenty eighth day of
 November in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty
 three and Publish this my last will and Testament in form & manner following
 First I do bequest & my true will & desire to James S. Afford the land
 whereon I now live including its boundaries as shown and also I do
 and bequest to the said Wiley & James S. Afford one tract of land
 containing two hundred acres on the east side of the Big Bay and likewise
 I have and bequest to my son James S. Afford two hundred acres of land the
 upper part of the usually track running across said land as the old
 usually road runs on the west side of the first tract and across said
 swamp to the east side then down in a swamp until the two hundred
 acres or more out with a line drawn to the back line

Also I have and bequeath to my son William Allford all the
 land which he now holds on the West side of the great Swamp extending
 to the River of the Cumber and below the line described in the former
 Deed. Also I have and bequeath to my son John Willford all the land
 on the East side of the said Swamp extending to the River of said Swamp
 and to the boundary line and to the boundary line as described in
 former Deeds. Also I have and bequeath to my son William
 William & John Willford all my part of a tract of Land in the
 said Swamp adjoining the said line which had been divided and
 divided into three parts. Also I have bequeath unto my son in Law John
 Brown all my part on the East side of the said Swamp where he now
 has containing three hundred & twenty five acres provided to the said
 John & my son in Law the same William William & John Willford on their
 shares with the rest from the time he has been in possession of the said
 land until he has paid and in case he has not paid the said hundred dollars
 with the interest as aforesaid then the said land to be equally divided
 between the said William William & John & Allford also I have and bequeath
 to the heirs of John Drake which he had in his wife & about Allford and
 I have bequeath my negro Girl & her land all her Increase which my son
 John is to be bound to settle James Drake as to age & then she & her heirs
 and the proceeds of her share to be equally divided among the said heirs
 which are not accepted. Also I have and bequeath to my son John Allford
 & Drake my negro boy by the name of John. Also I have and bequeath to John
 Drake & his heirs to the issue of his wife which he has had also I have and
 bequeath to my daughter Mary Parker wife of John Parker and the heirs
 of her body my negro Girl by the name of Lydia. Also I have bequeath to
 my son William & John & my son man by the name of Charles and
 my negro boy by the name of James and my negro boy named Henry. Also
 I have bequeath to my daughter Susan & her wife of John & Brown
 and the heirs of her body my negro Girl by the name of Charity. Also I
 have and bequeath to my daughter William & Mary wife of John
 New the heirs of her body my negro Girl by the name of John. Also I have
 and bequeath to my son William & John & my negro man by the name of
 John & my negro woman by the name of Sarah & my negro boy by the
 name of Sam and as many more as the worth of these cows & calves
 also I have and bequeath to my son John Allford my negro man by the name
 of Ed my negro woman by the name of Abigail & my negro Girl by the name of
 Sarah & my negro boy named James. Also I have bequeath to my son
 James & John & my negro man by the name of John & my negro boy
 by the name of John & my negro Girl by the name of John & my negro
 boy named John. Also I have & bequeath to my daughter Ann & the
 wife of Alexander Blue & the heirs of her body my negro Girl by the name of
 Nell and as many more as the worth of these cows & calves and
 one Bull & 20 head of Cattle

His will and bequest to my son John Willford my nephew
 named that my nephew buy by the name of a Hagon and my niece by
 by the name of Cook lands as many cattle as the weight of thirteen
 hundred baits and one bed and furniture. I do also bequest
 to my son William Willford one bed and furniture I also desire that
 my son Wiley and James Willford take care of my sheep an old man
 woman named Ruth White tone which remains on the place where I live
 I also make it obligatory that my son Wiley and James Willford pay all
 my last debts and be satisfied of their being bound to pay the same
 I therefore give and bequest to them all the debts which I owe
 and all my money which I have or may have and all my stock of
 every description consisting of Horses, Cattle, hogs, sheep and also
 the flock with all my tools, furniture together with all my
 other property of every description that has not been here before
 and I desire that my son Wiley and James Willford
 all my stock of land and all I also desire that my Executors pay the
 debts to the within County of Robeson after my death I also desire
 that my son Wiley and James Willford get two bits of land three acres
 there for me and their Mother and I do hereby appoint and ordain my
 sons Wiley and James Willford Executors to this my last will and Testament
 in which I have named all my heirs and all the my line the day of
 Year being before written

Signed and sealed in presence of
 John Willford
 James Willford
 William Willford
 Robeson County Nov 18 1833
 Will duly proved by the oaths of John Willford and
 James Willford before the Justices of the Peace being witnesses
 their names and seals to be recorded
 A. M. Carville

Sarah Willard State of North Carolina Robeson County
 In the name of God Amen I Sarah Willard of the County of Robeson
 being of sound & perfect mind and memory blessed be God do hereby
 this 15th day of Dec in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight
 hundred and thirty two make and publish this my last will and
 Testament in manner following that to wit I give and bequest
 unto my son John Willard 100 acres of land he plantation where
 I now live also one cow and calf one four Year old steer one three
 Year old heifer one bed & furniture and bedstead I also give
 bequest unto my son Wiley Willard one cow and calf one four
 Year old steer one horse nine head of sheep one bed and furniture
 and bedstead I also give unto my son James Willard the by all of my
 household white tone furniture also all of my bee hives to be equally
 due and amongst them I do hereby I give and bequest unto my
 daughter Mopsy Taylor one three Year old steer I do hereby

house of M^r McNeill likewise vests same by Deeds & my family Clerk
 then I give and bequeath to my Grandson James McNeill his heirs and
 assigns forever fifty acres of land on water bounded by James McNeill's
 fifty acres of land on the Cumberland road & lower side of water
 and upon a woman Pleasant with her children on each side of the
 said road of water and three parts of three to be his heirs and assigns forever
 then I give and bequeath to the body heirs of my daughter Elizabeth McNeill
 dead fifty acres of land a thin island near Perry on water bounded
 to her three acres and a half then I give and bequeath to my daughter
 Sarah McNeill fifty acres of the foregoing tract of 300 acres to her
 heirs and assigns then I give and bequeath to my daughter Anna
 McNeill her heirs and assigns fifty acres of the foregoing tract of 300
 acres and also one mill and a grist mill unto my three daughters
 as also to my daughter Sarah all and every manner or kind
 of property that I may hereafter here have or come to then I give
 and bequeath to my daughter Mary Black fifty acres of the
 foregoing tract of three hundred acres as also my negro woman Pallas
 with all her children and future increase for and during her life time
 and to after her demise the whole moiety and all way the remainder
 of the said Pallas to be boundly owned by the heirs of the said
 Mary Black their heirs and assigns forever after the debts due to me or
 collectible and all my last debts duly paid by my executor whether
 balance may remain on hand I give and bequeath to my beloved
 wife Pallas in fee simple after the demise of my wife I give and
 bequeath to my son James McNeill the lower part of the three hundred
 acre tract patented by James McNeill and the other
 parts to my son Duncan and the one hundred acres on water
 bounded after the house as aforesaid to my daughter Anne to
 her heirs and assigns forever and assigns forever I constitute Robert
 McNeill executor of my son Duncan's estate executor and my executor
 John McNeill executor of this my last will and Testament
 in testimony whereof I have put in my hand and affix my seal the
 14th day of March in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
 and thirty two in presence of the following witnesses

in presence of
 at Gettysburg
 James McNeill Robert County Justice in 1833 then was
 this will duly proven in open Court by the oath of James
 Brown and others to be recorded
 A. M. Coakley Clerk

John Morrison

In the name of God Amen I John Morrison being in sound and perfect mind and memory blessed be God do make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner following viz I Give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary an Term mare all my Stock of Cattle Slay neck and keels to be at her disposal and if she die she her my beloved wife Mary shall have during her natural life one hundred acres of my land including my improvements also all my household furniture and at my death if my farming stock as well be necessary for her use in farming I further will that my son William Morrison shall have all my land and property and the one half but he shall not be bound to pay to either of my lawful heirs twenty dollars for and in consideration of their share of my lands which lands shall be paid to them as they respectively come at age I further will that each of my daughters viz Flora Catherine Mary & Elly Morrison shall have one of my beds and furniture each I further will that all sums of money due me shall go to satisfy my just debts and if any remain in hand my present creditors shall go to satisfy the same all property of mine not herein mentioned I leave about the disposal of my beloved wife Mary I hereby appoint and ordain my worthy friend Archibald McCallum like the Indians and my son William Morrison Executor of this my last will and Testament in witness whereof I the said John Morrison have set my hand and seal the 11th day of August one thousand eight hundred and thirty two signed and written as the last will and Testament of John Morrison in presence of us say & set same

John Morrison

Arch McCallum

Arch McCallum A Notary Public in and for the County of Wayne Term 1832
 Angus McCallum This was his will duly proved in due Court by the oath of Arch McCallum and Angus McCallum and returned to record

In the name of God Amen I Daniel Smith of the State of North Carolina and County of Robeson being in God's health and of perfect mind and memory blessed be God do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form following viz I Give and bequeath to my two nephews American Smith and John Smith my brother Arch Smith's sons all the money arising from the sale of my Cattle also the note or money arising from the sale of my lands in South Carolina to them and their heirs forever I Give and bequeath to my two Nieces Flora and Jane Smith my brother Arch's daughters Two hundred & fifty dollars in notes or money during their life time and after their death then I desire that the said sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars be returned to my Grand Nephew

I Peter Smith do hereby give and bequeath to my nephew John Smith my brother Peter son the value of a certain horse now sold for thirty five dollars to him and his heirs forever I give and bequeath to my niece Barbara Johnson and her heirs the sum of ten dollars to each of them forever I give and bequeath to my Grandson Stephen Arch^d Smith the sum of ten dollars to him and his heirs forever I give and bequeath to my brother Arch^d son the value of a certain horse now sold for only five dollars to him and his heirs forever also my beds and bed clothing to him and his heirs forever I nominate and ordain my just and lawful Executors to this my last will and Testament in writing whereof I have set my hand and sealed April 26th 1830
 Peter Smith

Witness my hand and seal at Robeson County August Term 1832
 Then was this last will and Testament proven in open Court before Thackeret Howell Esq^r and ordered to be recorded
 A. M. Eachus Clerk

Gilbert Sellers

In the name of God Amen I Gilbert Sellers of the County of Robeson and State of North Carolina being advised that my mind and memory blessed be God do this the twenty fifth day of October in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two make and publish this my last will and Testament in the following manner that is to wit I give and bequeath to my two sons William and Althay equally all my land after the death of my dear wife Anne I do give and bequeath to my beloved wife my negroes all stock all tools furniture and all other articles of personal property as she shall direct after my land being the national life time with the following conditions to my daughters equally between them a more I do name to wit to my son Althay a negro boy named Betty It is also my desire that my daughters remain on and be supported on my land during their single life and I do hereby make and ordain Augustus Graham and Samuel Mathan Executors of this my last will and Testament in writing I have set my hand and seal this the day & Year above written
 Gilbert Sellers

Witness my hand and seal at Robeson County November Term 1832
 Then was this will duly proven in open Court by the oath of Augustus Graham and ordered to be recorded
 A. M. Eachus Clerk

John Brille In the name of God Amen I John Brille
of the Robeson County and State of North Carolina being sorely afflicted
with a perfect sense & memory all thanks & praise be given to our mighty
God and calling to mind the mortality of my body knowing that it is
appointed for all men to die I therefore do make and ordain and
constitute this and no other to be my last will and Testament in
marriage & form as follows to wit I do commit my soul to God the
Father Almighty trusting to receive full pardon for all my sins
before the mortal life shall cease I likewise do commit my body to earth
from whence it was taken to be decently interred and the discretion
of my friends and as for what worldly estate I hath I bequeath the
same to my wife with all my debts as all paid I Give bequest
and devise as followeth to wit I Give and bequeath unto my
well beloved wife Mary Brille during her natural life or widowhood
the Land I have heretofore I now have last having two hundred
acres also two negroes named James & Bart all all my stock of
cattle swine and sheep that now belong to me and all my kitchen
and kitchen furniture & all my plantations lots of every kind & all
the Estate after my wife decease is for my son Henry Brille I also
Give & bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth being the wife of Charles
my son all her also I Give unto my daughter Eliza Waters the
wife of Charles Waters four dollars I also Give unto my daughter
Christiana being the wife of John Smith one of your best named
slaves during her life after her death to the heirs of her body I also
Give & bequeath unto my well beloved son Larry Brille the negro
named Bob & Anne & Son & daughter & Son & daughter & Son & daughter
and I reserve also the land I have & shall have two acres of land & also my
lot of Blacksmith Tools I also Give unto my daughter one being
the wife of Cade Gray four dollars I also Give unto my daughter
Mary Brille my slave but cannot say I also Give unto my daughter being the wife
of Thomas ~~Brille~~ Henry the slave I do appoint my beloved
son Larry Brille & Lizzie Brille senior Executors to this my last
Will and Testament to be the same fully executed in marriage as above
directed It for the part of you I have over to testimony whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and the 24th day of November in the
Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & twenty nine
Signed Seal & Delivered to be
John Brille Dead
last will of John Brille in presence
of us Samuel A. Lane

Lizzie Brille Sr
Robeson County. May 2nd 1830 This was this will duly proven in
open Court by the oaths of Lizzie Brille senior & Lizzie Sr in a
record to be recorded
H. McEachie Clerk

Henry Ferran In the name of God Amen I Henry
 Ferran of the Town of Lumberton in Robeson
 of Robeson and State of North Carolina being weak of body but of
 sound & perfect mind & memory do this Twenty fourth day of September
 in the Year of our Lord Eighteen hundred & Twenty five make and utter
 this last will & testament to be and contain my last will & Testament in
 the words & form following that is to say In the first place I desire that my
 body may be decently interred at the discretion of my executors & after
 mentioned 2ndly That all my just debts may be paid with as
 little delay as possible 3rdly The sum of \$1000 upon which I now lie
 in other sundry Estates which I now hold & all other property at this
 time possessed by me including all my rights & interests I send
 unto my loving wife Alice during her natural life or widowhood and
 after her death or marriage I give devise & bequeath to her Sons & daughters
 which I now live to my son John to him & his heirs forever & to the other
 and remainder of my son and Estate I give to my son Henry after the death
 or marriage of my wife Alice and to devise & bequeath that all the balance or
 residue of my personal or real estate & remainments may be equally
 divided between my Sons John & Henry to them & their heirs forever
 and further I constitute nominate and appoint my loving wife Alice
 and my friends Charles Moon & John McPowe Executors & Executors
 of this my last will & Testament fully ratifying and confirming
 her & their action to be my last will and Testament and at the same time
 making all others by me made in testimony I have hereunto set my
 hand & seal the date above written

Henry Ferran

Witness my hand & seal
 by the said Executor to be his last will and
 Testament in presence of us who all subscribe the
 interlineation of "or marriage" in the fourth line of
 the foregoing before signing

Mary Moon

Robt C Bunting Robeson County August Term 1832

This is the true and correct copy of the will of the said Henry Ferran as
 read in open Court by the order of
 Robt C Bunting & Mary Moon Just of the said County and
 ordered to be recorded

A. McCosker Clerk

Samuel Biggs State of North Carolina

In the name of God Amen I Samuel Biggs being of sound & perfect
 mind and memory bless a be God do this the seven day of January
 in the Year of our Lord 1830 make & publish this my last will & Testament
 in manner as following that is to say First I give and bequeath
 to my second wife Elizabeth all my estate of every description but
 lands as long as she shall live or remain a widow and after her
 death or marriage I will & ordain that my property be divided

as follows and to my beloved son Elias Biggs I Give and
 bequeath a negro woman named Din and to my two sons
 John and Alfred Biggs I Give and bequeath a negro
 woman named Mary and her increase to be equally between
 them two also I Give and bequeath a negro Girl named
 Amey to my two sons John & Alfred Biggs & also I Give to
 my son Alfred Biggs one dollar, also I Give two negro children
 named Liza and Maria to my daughter Leah and if she
 dies without any children at any of these that the same
 negro be taken & into my estate and to be equally
 divided between Elias Jesse Joseph Hull & Alfred Biggs Hugh
 Biggs ten Cents as his share of them negroes and also I Give to
 my daughter Leah Biggs one hundred Dollars & furniture that
 is called Sun land also I Give unto my son Alfred Biggs
 one hundred acres of Land lying on the west side of the
 Holy Swamp including the plantation whereon James Biggs
 bought a long part of two hundred acres beginning and beginning
 at a place in a small branch on the west side of the Holy Swamp
 near the house my wife to live on the land on the Holy Swamp
 during her life then after her death then all my share of every
 division to be equally divided among my children that is
 to say Elias Jesse John Hull Alfred Leah & Hugh this I do declare
 to be my third and last Will and Testament at all about
 my third sons John Biggs Joseph Biggs Alfred Biggs Executors
 of this my last Will & Testament in witness whereof I set my hand & seal
 this 10 day 1831 same Biggs
 Test Alexander W. Millman

James Stur, Sheriff of Robeson County, North Carolina 1831
 John Blue
 There was this Will proven in open Court
 of the county of Robeson in North Carolina and ordered to be recorded
 At W. Eakin Clerk

Elizabeth Bardsley State of North Carolina Robeson County
 In the name of God Amen Elizabeth Bardsley of the State & County
 of said thing and weak body but of sound mind & memory
 do hereby certify the contents of this do make and do
 publish this my last Will and Testament by First my Will and do
 as that my executor herein named shall as soon after my death
 as may be practicable see all my parish debts paid with the ex-
 cept of my household furniture and out of the proceeds arising from
 the sale first discharge all claim or claims which any person
 or persons may lawfully have against my estate and the balance of
 the same to be divided as herein after directed I do record
 I Give and bequeath to Charles B. Comer & Fayetteville Executors

Administrators or assigns forever to be held in trust for the sole use and benefit of my sister Rebecca C. Mitchell during her natural life and after her death for the sole use and benefit of her children to be equally divided between and between alike the following property to wit A Negro man named Bob and his wife Esther and their children Harriet Jane & Maria also a negro woman named Mary Ann Wood & George with all furniture hereafter also the plantation whereon she now resides purchased of Quincey Little with all the household furniture farming utensils & stock now remaining there on Third of June 1832 to be equally to my brother George Wilcox Negro & my brother of June 1832 to be equally to my sister Harriet Burns of Chatham County a negro girl named to be born first of June and bequeath to Delphina Campbell the plantation whereon I now reside containing about three hundred & a half of land known as the Thompson place also a negro woman named Hannah and her husband Greg South of June 1832 to be equally to Charles & his wife Anne and their children Robison Alfred Peter & Sally also Maria & Mary & Henry. Fourth of June 1832 to be equally to Charles & his wife Anne a negro girl named Margaret Eighth of June 1832 to be equally to Mrs Sally McQueen Rachel Dargy & Edwards McDargy to be equally divided between them a House lot in Row Street in the town of Fayetteville North of June 1832 to be equally to my brothers John & Thomas Wilcox the sum of one dollar each to be paid by my executors immediately out of the proceeds of the sale of my household property Fourth of June 1832 to be equally to my Cousins Maria C. Crutson and Caroline McCombs all my plate silver marks & C. B. Jones of June 1832 to be equally to C. B. Jones his heirs executors administrators & assigns forever for the sole use and benefit of my sister Rebecca C. Mitchell all my plate marks & Jewels of June 1832 to be equally to C. B. Jones and Delphina Campbell to be equally divided between them all the remaining part of my household furniture not otherwise disposed of Third of June 1832 to be equally all the rest and residue of my property debts &c as follow One third to Charles B. Jones in full for my sister Rebecca C. Mitchell as aforesaid one third to Maria C. Crutson and the other third to Caroline McCombs Lastly I do nominate and appoint my friend Charles B. Jones of Fayetteville Executor of this my last will & Testament and do hereby empower him to do all necessary acts & things for carrying the foregoing parts of this my will into effect in which when I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 10th June day of 1832 Anne D. Dorman one thousand eight hundred & thirty one

Wm. A. Watson Davis
 John Crutson
 J. M. Moore

Robeson County May Term 1832 on motion Charles B. Jones
 with full authority of the last will & Testament of William
 Dargy a grantee to a part of proceeds from the improvement
 of land of the County issued from said Court at last Term &c. is
 ordered that said wife be according to said will &c. in the Court of said County
 C. M. F. Clerk

Margaret Watson State of North Carolina Robeson County

In the name of God Amen I Margaret Watson of the State & County aforesaid being of sound mind & memory but weak of body do make and publish this my last will and Testament in the following manner to wit First after all my lawful debts are paid I Give and bequeath to my beloved Brother John Watson & Living Sister Elizabeth Melissa Twenty five cents a piece and my accu^g of Labor equally divided between them & again I Give and bequeath to my beloved Brothers Thomas Watson & James Watson equally the following names to wit George Violet David & Sarah Ann also my right title and interest in all what so ever of other property may be deemed to mine and so I appoint Alexander & James Watson Executors to this my last will & Testament In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 2^d March 1832

Margaret Watson

In presence of
John Watson
James Watson
James McArthur

Robeson County

May Term 1832 This was this will duly proved in open Court by the oath of James Watson one of the subscribers & returned to the same and ordered to be recorded in J. M. Eachus Clerk

In the name of God Amen I James Bullard of the State of North Carolina being weak in body but of sound disposing mind and memory do this third day of March in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two make & publish this to be my last will and Testament in manner as follows First I desire my just debts should be paid out of my reasonable money 2^d I Give and bequeath unto my beloved son James Bullard the land & plantation whereon I now live containing two hundred & thirty acres more or less lying in four different tracts also a Dwelling house & I Give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Sarah Pittman two cows a calf & Charsting & a two year old horse with all the furniture also a pair of old horses of J. Lee and bequeath unto my beloved wife Sarah Bullard three cows & Charsting a Grey mare all the household furniture that has not been given with above articles also all my kitchen furniture to be for our during her life and at her death to be disposed of as she thinks 3^d I Give and bequeath unto my son Elias Bullard all my stock of pigs to be used for the use of my family all my farming utensils of every description whereas my other leges heirs that is to say my sons Robert William Thomas and Richard Roberts and daughters Sarah Pittman Diez Paul and Priscilla Sackett as have as they been left me received their property from me that I intended giving them my own desired land & also my daughter Sarah and her husband's furniture or furniture portion I nominated appoint my son Robert Bullard & James Bullard to be the Executors of this my last will & Testament

James Bullard & James Bullard
Robeson County May Term 1832 The last will & Testament of James Bullard was proved in open Court & its due execution proven by the oath of James & Priscilla & ordered to be recorded J. M. Eachus Clerk

John Sed

In the name of God Amen: I John Sed being of sound
 mind and memory (blessed be God) do this fiftenth day of December in the
 Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Thirty, make and
 publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, viz.
 I give and bequeath unto my daughter Nancy wife of Joseph Howell, one Negro
 girl named Jane, two Cows & Calves, and two Ewes and to the lawful
 heirs of her body. 2^d I give and bequeath unto my daughter Polly one Negro
 Girl named Estlin two Cows & Calves, two Ewes to her and the lawful heirs
 of her body. 3^d I give and bequeath unto my daughter Polly, Wife of John Paul
 one Negro boy named Conell, two Cows and Calves, and two Ewes, to her and the
 heirs of her body. 4th I give and bequeath to my son John one Negro Girl named
 Hannah two Cows and Calves, and two Ewes. 5th I give and bequeath to my
 son Stephen, one Negro Girl named Chaney, two Cows and Calves, and two Ewes.
 6th I give and bequeath to my daughter Diely, a Negro Boy named David, two Cows
 and Calves, and two Ewes to her and the heirs of her body. 7th I leave unto my
 beloved Wife Lydia Child my Negro Woman named Duling for term of her
 natural life and then to be valued and my son Stephen to pay an equal part of the valuation
 to each my heirs. I also leave to my beloved Wife all my Lands, all my
 stock of Cattle and sheep except what was devised books, hogs, farming
 utensils, household and kitchen furniture. And at her death to be divided
 as follows to wit, Among all my Children, giving to them of my Children
 whom part in the negroes, are not as valuable as the other a greater portion
 to make every one part as valuable as the other. I nominate and
 appoint my sons John and Stephen Heirs to Execute this my last will
 and testament. by this I revoke all other wills or instruments of writing
 that I have made or made as regards the devise of my property. In witness whereof
 I the said John Sed have set my hand and seal the day and year
 first above written

John Sed

signed sealed published and declared by John Sed ^{mark} to take
 in the presence of us Robert Cooney, August Term 1833. This was
 read and approved in Open Court by the court
 of Prob. Waker and adjourned to be recorded
 H. W. Cooney Clk

Malcom McMill

In the name of God Amen.
 I Malcom McMill, being of
 sound and perfect mind and memory (blessed be God) do this the ninth
 day of February, One thousand eight hundred and thirty three, make and
 publish this my last will and testament, in the manner following, that is,
 to say, I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Catherine to have
 and to hold during natural life, One hundred acres of Land, being
 Widow Calbreaths, with the improvements thereon, and the mansion house
 and kitchen household furniture and all my stock of Cattle, sheep

and boys, but the profit arising from the said stock, for the support of the family as they require, a big and horse for his use also Negroes Black and foot to wait on him during life. 2nd I give and bequeath to my son James, of all still, Negroes, Bill and George and a note of hand drawn in his own name against John Ford and William Ford of two hundred and forty dollars. 3rd I give and bequeath to my daughter Eleazar all Buff Eight hundred acres of land in Cumberland County joining Hugh Gilmore and Medow Rivers his, during her life; after her death to be equally divided between her three sons, viz. Nathan Malcom and Hector all Buff, share and share alike. 4th I give and bequeath to my daughter Sally, Negroes, Dealy. 5th I give and bequeath to my two grand children Cyrus and Ann Eliza Harring the Negro Dealy and his increase share and share alike. If the said Cyrus and Ann Eliza is removed by death without heirs, the said Dealy and his increase to return and be equally divided between my two sons John D. and Hector S. P. McNeill. In case of the death of one, either Cyrus or Ann Eliza, then the said Dealy and his increase to descend to the surviving heir, either Cyrus or Ann Eliza. 6th I give and bequeath to my daughter Margaret Brown, Negroes, Black and Henry. 7th I give and bequeath to my daughter Anna McNeill, Negroes, Alice and Hugh. 8th I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth, Negroes, Martha and Ann Ann and dollars to be made up to her out of my stock or any other way as my Executors shall see cause, within eighteen months after they qualify to this Will. 9th I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Lane, Negroes, Delfy and one hundred dollars to be given to her by the Executors in three years after they qualify to this Will. 10th I give and bequeath to my son John D. McNeill, Negroes, Dan, Flory and Tom with the increase of Flory, also six hundred and forty acres of land lying on both sides of the raft swamp including his mother's one hundred acres to be his after his death, joining his brother Hector S. P. as the dividing line in the plat will show and the said John D. and Hector S. P. to continue together with two negroes, till Hector comes of age and to support each other, and to be educated to read through the Latin language, arithmetic and such part of arithmetic as is of practical use with penmanship, Grace and Tabble to continue on the plantation during life. 11th I give and bequeath to my son Hector S. P. Negroes, Alice Black and Port after his mother's death, also four hundred acres of land East of the Cypress land as the plat will show. I also give to my two sons John D. and Hector S. P. my mules and hogs, Negroes, B. C. Cart and still, share and share alike when Hector S. P. comes of age my Library of Books to be divided between them after all my last debts are satisfied and paid. And I do hereby constitute D. McNeill, J. McNeill Junr. and my three

sons James A. McNeill John D. and Hector L. E. Executors of this my
 last Will and testament making all others heretofore by me made.
 In witness whereof I Malcom McNeill have to this my last Will and testa-
 ment set my hand and seal the day and year above written
 signed, sealed and published and declared by
 the said Malcom McNeill the testator as his last Will and Testament
 in presence of
 Test, Anna Maria McBoyd
 Malcom McEachern
 P. McHair

Codicil first, I Malcom McNeill of Roberson
 County State of North Carolina do make and append this Codicil to my
 last Will and testament, viz. That I give and bequeath unto my son John D.
 McNeill in addition to that given him Sixty acres of Land adjoining Graham
 and the heirs of Alexander McNeill dec. being his undivided interest of Daniel
 McNeill in and to his Mother's dower in the Lands of her deceased husband
 Alexander McNeill, which land was purchased by me at Sheriff's Sale as may
 more fully appear by a deed from the Sheriff to me for the same which was not
 heretofore mentioned. In testimony whereof I the said McNeill have hereunto
 set my hand and affixed my seal, this seventh day of April in the year
 of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty three
 signed, sealed published and declared by the said
 Malcom McNeill as a Codicil to his last Will & Testament
 in presence of us who have signed in presence
 of each other
 Test, Peter McArthur
 Malcom McEachern
 Null McNeill for

Roberson County August Term 1833.

This was this Will duly proven in Open Court by the oath of Robert McHair, and the Codicil
 by the oath of P. McNeill. Subscribing Witnesses to the same and ordered to be recorded
 A. M. Echenck

Benjamin Humphrey In the name of God Amen. I Benjamin
 Humphrey, being unwell in body, but of sound
 mind and memory do make and declare this my last Will and testament
 in the manner following viz. Item 1st I will that all my lawful debts be paid
 2^d I give unto my son John One dollar besides what I have heretofore given
 him 3^d I give unto my daughter Rebecca One dollar besides what I have
 heretofore given her. 4th I give unto my son James One hundred and fifty
 acres of land including the plantation on which he now lives, for which he
 has a deed from me also a bay mare and two cows & calves which he now
 has in possession and my clock besides what I have given him heretofore.
 5th I give unto my son William three hundred and fifty acres of Land

including the plantation whereon I now live, also my barrel Colt and shot gun.
 I further will that the balance of my property of every description be equally
 divided between my daughters Mary, Sarah, Susan, Mary, Edy & Elly with
 the exception that thirty three dollars be taken from Mary's part for property which
 I have given her husband viz, 8000 Cows and calves, and one father bed and
 furniture, and be equally divided between my other five daughters last
 mentioned. Lastly I appoint my beloved Walter James Humphrey and my
 son James Humphrey Executors to this my last Will and testament
 In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal
 this the 3rd day of July A.D. 1833

Benjamin T. Humphrey (Seal)
 mark

Witnessed and sealed in presence of
 Wm. Little
 Robert County, August Term 1833.
 Then was this Will duly proven in open Court
 by the oath of Duncan Brown & Wm. Little and ordered to be recorded.
 J. W. Robin etc.

William Gilchrist. In the name of God Amen

I William Gilchrist of the County of Solon, do make and publish and
 declare this my last Will and testament in manner and form following
 First, I resign my soul into the hands of the Almighty God, and my
 body to be buried at the discretion of my Executors herein after named.
 My worldly estate I give and devise as follows, First, I give and
 devise to my son John Gilchrist all my whole mesuages lands, and
 tenements, whatev'er being or to be in the County of Solon, including
 the plantation on which I now live, containing about eight hundred and
 thirty acres, to have and to hold, to my said son John his heirs and
 assigns forever, and farming thereof, and kitchen furniture
 Secondly, to my beloved wife Catharine I give and bequeath my stock
 of Cattle, Horses, Hogs and Sheep absolutely. My Negro boy George
 I give and bequeath to her for and during the term of her natural
 life, afterwards to go to my two daughters Catharine & Peggy, the
 wife of Gilbert McMillan to be equally divided between them. Likewise
 I give the household furniture to my beloved wife, likewise all the
 other personal property, not herein disposed of, after my death and
 funeral expences are paid. I nominate constitute and appoint my
 son John, Executor of this my last Will and testament. In Witness whereof
 I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 11th day of September A.D. 1823.

Wm. Gilchrist (Seal)
 mark

Witnessed, published and declared by
 the testator as, & for his last Will and testament
 in the presence of us of each other who have
 subscribed our names as Witnesses hereto

John Gilchrist, Wm. Little, J. W. Robin
 J. Miller
 I William Gilchrist have made and published
 my last Will and testament this the 11th day of September
 A.D. 1823 wherein I have bequeathed my Negro boy George

to be equally divided between my daughters Catharine and Peggy, after my
 wife's death. Attest, I William Gilchrist by this writing, which I declare to be
 a Codicil to my said last Will and Testament. No ordain and establish hereby
 that the part of said George which shall go to my daughter Catharine (now the wife
 of Daniel Samson) whether in money or otherwise shall be for her sole and separate
 use and use from the Control of her said husband and at her death to vest in my
 Grandson by said Catharine, born in the present year and now three or four months
 old and I particularly enjoin it on the executor to my said Will to act as
 trustee for the purposes herein mentioned or if he prefer it, to appoint some
 discreet person to act as trustee in the premises. In Witness whereof I have
 hereunto set my name the 27th July 1830 Wmth Gilchrist
 Attest. Jmth Gilchrist mark

Robson County February Term 1834

This was this Will, together with the Codicil attached to the same
 passed in Open Court, by the oath of John Gilchrist a subscribing Witness
 to the same and Ordered to be recorded at. M. P. L. P. Clerk

Rhody Jones

In the name of God: Amen. I Rhody Jones of
 the Town of Lumberton, in the County of Robson and State of North Carolina being weak
 of body, but of sound disposing mind and memory, do this second day of
 November in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty three
 make and publish this my last Will and Testament, in manner and form
 following, that is to say, First, I desire that all my just debts be
 paid which will be found to be very small and therefore be but little
 trouble to my executors. Secondly, I give devise and bequeath to my
 adopted son John St. Rowland (son of the late Genl. Alfred Rowland
 my Negro boy I have named Jim about thirteen years old, and all
 the property which remains, purchased at Sheriff's sale, for which I
 have a receipt given on the forty second day of March A. D. Eighteen
 hundred and twenty two, and signed by Thomas Rhodes Deputy Sheriff
 also my bed and furniture. To him his heirs and assigns forever.
 Provided nevertheless, that in case the said John St. Rowland shall
 die before he attain the age of twenty one years, then and in that
 case, this bequest made to him shall be the absolute property of
 his mother Mary E. Rowland to be disposed of as she may think
 proper. Thirdly, I give and bequeath to my brother Charles Campbell
 all the property of mine which he now has in possession, to him his heirs
 and assigns forever. And I do hereby constitute nominate and appoint
 John St. Rowland and John St. Rowland Executors of this my last Will
 and Testament, hereby utterly disallowing and revoking all former Wills
 and Testaments by me made, ratifying and confirming this and no
 other to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have
 hereunto set my hand and seal Rhody Jones (Seal)

Inquest shall publish and declare, by Meedy Town, the testator to be her
last Will and testament in presence of

Richard Brantley
Edm. M. Dixon

Felton County, February Term 1834

Then was this Will presented to the
Court by John A. Goodland One of the Clerks therein named and was duly
proved by the oath of Dr. Edmund M. Dixon and Rich and C. Brantley
Subscribing witnesses, the latter of whom made oath that the within
document by him and deposited with him for safe keeping by the
Testator. Ordered that the same be recorded at M. Dixon Clerk

Mary Smith I Mary Smith of the State of North Carolina &
County of Felton do make and Ordain this my last Will and testament
in manner and form following viz, I give and bequeath to my beloved
son Peter and my beloved daughter Margaret the following Negro Slaves
Daniel, Dick, Pinks and Eliza their issues, for their support during
life and the survivor of them to become heir of or heirs of the decedent
and in said Negroes, Daniel, Dick, Pinks & Eliza and after the decease
of my said son Peter and daughter Margaret, the said Negroes, to be equally divided
between their sisters and brother viz, Catherine, Barbara, Malcom, Mary and Flora or
their issues. I also bequeath to my daughter Margaret, my spinning wheel and
Cass. I also bequeath to my Grandson Dugald M. Smith my stock of
Sheep. I also give and bequeath to my Grandchildren Joseph M. Smith &
Mary Jane M. Smith each a feather bed, with their furniture, which at present
is in the possession of their mother, and also what bed, and bed clothes are in my
possession to be equally divided between my daughter Margaret and son Peter, I
nominate Constables and appoint my son in law Hector M. Barbera to be
Executor of this my last Will and testament he collect all notes and
accounts due me and also to pay my debts and the balance remaining to
sell, and the money equally divided among my aforesaid children namely
viz, Catherine, Barbara, Malcom, Mary, Flora, Margaret and Peter -
And by revoking all other former Wills by me at any time heretofore made.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
this the 21st of February 1834.

Test. John Galtbreath
John Graham

Mary Smith
Mark

Felton County February Term 1834

Then was this Will duly proved in Open Court by the oath of John
Graham a subscribing Witness, to the same I ordered to be recorded
at M. Dixon Clerk

Neill Wilkinson In the name of God. I, Neill Wilkinson of the State of North Carolina and County of Robeson, being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory. Blessed be God his mercy do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following viz. First I give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Isabella the whole of my land and premises including six hundred acres or upwards and also a negro man by the name of Parker, also a negro boy by the name of Moss, and also my whole stock of Horses, Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep, and also my household and kitchen furniture, my farming utensils &c during his lifetime: I also bequeath to the heirs of my beloved Daughter, Catharine the each one dollar. I also bequeath to my Daughter Mary Ferguson one dollar. I also bequeath unto my beloved Daughter Nancy Barlow Fifty Dollars after the decease of my Wife Isabella. I also bequeath to my daughter Eliza McQueen, and Isabella Graham each one dollar I give to my Daughter Christian one dollar. The aforesaid property to remain as it is during my wife's lifetime after all debts are paid, and after her decease (my wife) the aforesaid named property to be equally divided among my Daughters Margaret, Janet, and Nelly. I also appoint my worthy friend John Graham and my Wife Isabella sole executor and executrix of this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 5th day of February A.D. 1834.

Wit- Abn Galbreath

James Leely

Rugh Carmichael

Neill X Wilkinson Seal
mark

Robeson County - May Term 1834. There was this will duly put in open court by the oath of James Leely a subscribing witness, same and ordered to be Recorded

A. M. Cashner Clerk

Margaret MacPhaul In the name of God. I, Margaret MacPhaul, being of sound mind and memory. Blessed be God but weak of body do make this my last will & testament First I desire my body to be decently interred by my executor. Secondly I give and bequeath to my son John one bed and its necessary furniture. To my son August I give and bequeath a bed and furniture. To Daniel the clock. I bequeath to my daughter Mary the silver spoons To my son William I give and bequeath one hundred Dollars to be raised from a sale of so much of my property as will make that amount for the purpose of assisting him in his education. I give him also my pail -
All the rest and residue of my property I give and bequeath to

Sons William and Malcom to be divided between them, share and share alike after my debts are paid

Lastly - I nominate my sons William and Malcom executors to this my last will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal the 2^d March 1834

Executed in the presence of
John Gilchrist

her
Margaret M'Phau's
mark X

Robeson County - May Term 1834. Then was this will duly proven in open Court by the oath of John Gilchrist the subscribing witness to the same and ordered to be recorded.

J. M. Eakin CLK

Samuel Keachy - State of North Carolina
Robeson County }

In the name of God Amen, I Samuel Keachy of the County and State aforesaid being of sound and perfect mind and memory (Blessed be God) do this the twenty eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty three make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following - That is to say First - I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Sabella the plantation on which I now live known by the name of the M'Cashel place for and during her lifetime - I also give to my wife my negro woman Sally to her own use forever - I also leave all my property that I may have after ailed to my children to remain with my family to be jointly to their use until they or either of them should marry or arrive to full age to be under the

of my wife -

I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Ann a negro boy named ~~Walter~~ Hector

me - I give and bequeath to my daughter Margaret a negro boy named Martin -

ten - I give and bequeath to my daughter Abiza a negro girl named Caroline -

Item - I give and bequeath to my two eldest sons George and Daniel the plantation and lands known by the name of the Lindelson place to be jointly between them - I also give to my son George my rifle gun.

Item - I give and bequeath to my two sons James and Samuel the plantation and lands on which I now live (including fifty acres on the west side of the Great March) all of which lands are lying on both sides of the Stage Road leading to Fayetteville to be jointly between them I leave my Black Smith Tools to be jointly between my four sons (viz) George, Daniel, James and Samuel - I give and bequeath to my two sons George and Daniel my negro boy Tom to be jointly between them -

I also give to my two sons James and Samuel my negro boy Adam to be jointly between them - provided, however, if either of the above-named boys (viz) Tom or Adam shall misbehave or become unruly in the family I require of my Executors to sell them or either of them to the best advantage and apply the money arising from such sale to the use of my sons as above-mentioned.

Item - I leave my stock of every description together with my household furniture and farming utensils jointly to the use of my family - and on any of them going to live to themselves I require of my Executors to allot a reasonable portion out of the common stock to such one of my children so removing.

I hereby make and ordain my worthy friends William McNeill and John G. Patterson Executors, and my Wife Debella Executrix of this my last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof, I the said Samuel Keachy have to this my last will and testament, set my hand and seal, the day and Year above written.

Witnessed, sealed, published and declared by the said Samuel Keachy, the testator as his last will and testament, in the presence of us who were present at the time of signing and sealing thereof. Test Alex. Graham

Samuel Keachy

Test David McNeill

Robeson County, August Term 1834 - This was this will duly proven in open Court by the oath of Alexander Graham a subscribing witness thereto and ordered to be Recorded.

A. M. Cacher - Wk

Archibald McNeill State of North Carolina
Robeson County

September the twentieth A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty one. In the name of God Amen. I Archibald McNeill of the County and State above written, being of sound and perfect mind and memory, blessed be God, do this the twentieth day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty one make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following. That is to say - I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Effy MacNeill all I got with her. I also give and bequeath to my beloved son William C. McNeill a negro boy named Stephen and a negro woman named Charity, and also my household and kitchen furniture. And my daughter Bone McNeill I leave here to the said William C. McNeill or her maintenance her life time. And I bequeath unto son James C. McNeill a negro woman named Pehody. Also to my daughter Nancy McNeill, a n. c. ed. Nelly. And my aforesaid daughter

Nancy should die without issue, the said negro to be returned to the family. And also give to my daughter Margaret Malloy a negro girl named Eliza. And to my daughter Susella Malloy a negro girl named Anna. And unto my daughter Mary McMillan one hundred Dollars to be made out of my horse and riding chair and stock. And to my son Skill McNeill one hundred Dollars to be made out of one hundred acres of being and lying on the Beaver Dam Swamp and of the stock, said land joining Williamson and others, or of my property, not here mentioned. And to my son John McNeill I give and bequeath five Dollars. And to my daughter Catharine Blount five Dollars. Also to my daughter Elizabeth five Dollars. All my lands not here mentioned I have left to my three sons William Archibald and James by Deeds of Gift.

I do hereby ordain and appoint my worthy friends Duncan Malloy and William C. McNeill Executors to this my last will and testament: in witness whereof I do herewith set my hand and seal, this day and year above written.

Signed, Sealed and delivered)

in presence of
Alex^r McMillan
Gray Gott
Hector McNeill Tailor,

Archibald McNeill 

Robeson County, November Term 1834. Then was this will duly proven in open Court by the oath of Alexander McMillan a subscribing witness to the same and ordered to be recorded.

A. M. Cashion Clerk

John Litch In the name of God Amen I John Litch of the State of North Carolina a County of Robeson being of sound mind and memory do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following. That I do give and bequeath unto my beloved Mary my wife one half of my population of land, also the one negro boy & slave named Ben and a negro girl named Kate together with one half of my stock of horses & the Hoop Sheep &c. so farth during her natural life, after her death to be equally divided between my two daughters Nancy and Sally and after their death their whole portion belong to my s. Skill. I also give and bequeath to my son Skill Litch the remaining half of my land and stock of all kind together with a negro boy & slave named Cooper also I give to the said Skill Litch one half the money which is due to me, the other half I give to my daughters Nancy and Sally. I also give and beq.  each of my sons

Dougal, Daniel, John and Archibald and also to my daughter
 one Cow, all to be taken from my stock previous to my other divisions
 I also request that my son Neill and my daughters Nancy and Sally should
 not agree together that my daughters Nancy and Sally shall have Possion
 this house in which I reside. I also request that my son Neill shall have
 Possion of the new house already built on the premises.
 Finally - I nominate, constitute and appoint my son Neill Litch my sole and
 lawful executor to carry this my last will and Testament into effect reading
 and disannulling all former wills, legacies, bequests heretofore by me made
 pronouncing and declaring this my last will and Testament. In
 witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day being
 the 27th day of October A.D. 1835.

Signed, sealed, pronounced and declared by
 John Litch as his last will and Testament
 in presence of us - Daniel Litch
 Archibald Graham } John Litch
 mark

Robeson County February Term 1835 - This was this will duly
 proven in said Court by the oath of Daniel Litch and ordered to
 be recorded -
 W. McEachie Clerk

Joseph Wilson.

In the name of God Amen; the
 day of January 1835 I Joseph Wilson Sen^r of the County of Robeson
 and State of North Carolina being weak of body but of sound and
 perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God for the same, and
 calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is
 appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this instrument
 to contain my last will and testament in manner and form following
 that is to say Principally and first of all I give and recommend my
 soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave me and my body to the
 earth to be buried in a christian-like and decent manner at the discre-
 tion of my executors hereafter named, and as touching such worldly
 estate as it hath been pleased God to bless me with in this life - I give
 and dispose of in manner following (to wit) I give to my
 beloved wife Martha Wilson, after all my lawful debts are settled) all
 my lands including the plantation and houses, whereon I now live
 together with the Stock of all kinds, Household goods and furniture,
 Plantation utensils, also one negro girl named Kate for her comfort, a
 part maintenance during my said wifes life.
 Item - I give to the heirs of my son Theophilus one dollar current money,
 besides what I have heretofore given him, to said heirs forever.
 Item - I give to my son Henry Wilson one dollar current money besides

I have heretofore given him, to him and his heirs forever.
Item. — I give to my two sons in law that married my daughters
(Mary and Elizabeth) Archibald McNeill and Alexander Brown
to each of them one Dollar current money besides what I have hereto-
fore given them, to them and their heirs forever.

Item. — I give all my lands, stock of all kinds, household goods,
and furniture, plantation utensils and one negro girl named Kate
as I have given to my wife for her comfort, support and maintenance
after my said wife's death I give all to my son Joseph Wilson to
him and his heirs forever — and lastly I constitute, nominate
and appoint my beloved wife Martha Wilson and my said son
Joseph Wilson executor and executor of this my last will and
testament, disannulling, revoking and making void all other wills
and testaments by me made, ratifying and confirming this and
no other to be my last will and testament. — In witness whereof
I the said Joseph Wilson Sen^r have hereunto set my hand and
affixed my seal the day and year first within written.

Signed, Sealed and Acknowledged

in the presence of

Wm McEachern

Arch^d. McLain

Wm County, February Term 1735 — Then was this will duly
proven in due Court by the oath of Duncan McEachern and
ordered to be recorded.

Joseph Wilson Sen^r
Mark

Wm McEachern

Archibald McNeill.

In the name of God Amen:
I, Archibald McNeill of the County of Robeson, and State of
North Carolina, being of perfect mind and memory, do make my
last will and testament in the following manner, viz.

First I desire that my right in the negroes Temp^r, Soney, Samuel
David and George, may remain in the hands of my Mother Flora
McNeill, during her life; and after her death, that my right of said
negroes, be equally divided between Brothers Duncan and Daniel,
and Sister Flora, and Catharine.

Item. — I desire that one hundred and fifty acres of the tract
of land, on which my mother now lives, become the property of my
brother Neill, after my mother's death; and that said one hundred
and fifty acres, be adjoining brother Neill's present tract of land
if it can be so fixed, in the division of the lands. — Also I desire
that brother Muleorn may possess one hundred acres of the tract of
land on which my mother now lives, after her death. — Item. — I desire

that my share of horses and hogs be sold for the property of Brother Daniel after my death. -

Item - I give to Brother Daniel my right in Rachel and her child Emily, provided that he give fifty Dollars to each of my sisters Catherine and Flora; and ten dollars to sister Isabelle, and one dollar to sister Elizabeth. Item - I desire that brother Daniel shall have all my right to the plantation and land which I bought of Archibald Buie after my death. Item - I desire that my share of cows and sheep be equally divided between my sisters Catherine and Flora. -

Item - I give my bed and bed clothes to my Brother Mill. -

Item - I give to my brother Daniel twelve hundred pounds of fodder which is at Archibald Buie's. -

Finally I appoint brothers Duncan and Daniel executors to this my last will and Testament.

Signed Sealed and Delivered
in presence of
Nathl Brown
Malcom McNeill

Arch^d McNeill Seal
made

February 13 1735

Robeson County. February Term 1735. Then was this will duly proven in open Court by the oath of Nathl Brown and ordered to be registered -

J. McCrackin CR

Elizabeth Adams.

In the name of God Amen.

Know all men that I Elizabeth Adams being weak of body but in perfect mind and memory, thanks be to God in this 22^d day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirty three make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner following First of all I desire that my just debts and funeral charges be paid. Secondly I give and bequeath unto ~~Richard~~ Robert Rosier and his wife Polly Rosier three hundred and twenty four acres of land all joining and including the plantation whereon I now live. Also I give and bequeath unto the said Robert Rosier and his wife Polly Rosier four negroes viz my negro woman Biddy and negro girl Dinkery and negro girl Kate and negro boy George. Also all my stock consisting of horses cattle and hogs and sheep. Also all my household and kitchen furniture and plantation tools to the use of the said Robert Rosier and wife Polly Rosier and their heirs. - Item the third - It is my desire that my great grand son James Rosier should have the forty two containing one hundred and twenty three acres lying on Myfords branch. - Item the fourth - I give and bequeath unto my great grand son Stephen

Resier one cow and calf over and above his proportionable part of my estate to be given to him by his Father Robert Rosier out of my stock of cattle. Item the fifth - I give and bequeath to my brother James Woodcocke and each of his children one Shilling Sterling each to be paid to them by my executor whenever they make a demand thereof I also make and ordain the said Robert Rosier executor to this my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day first above written.

Signed, Sealed, published and declared in presence of us who were present at the time of sealing and signing thereof
James Howell
John Howell

her
Elisabethe Adams Seal
mark

Robeson County - February Term 1735 - This was this will duly proven in open Court by Thadraek Howell and ordered to be recorded. -

Wm Leachin Wk

Will Mac Arthur

In the name of God Amen

I Will Mac Arthur a citizen of Robeson County and State of North Carolina do make this instrument my last will and Testament, being of sound and perfect mind and memory. blessed be God for his goodness I do ordain in the manner ^{well} ~~best~~ ^{best} all my lawful debts which are but few I ordain to be punctually paid. Item To my dearaly beloved wife Effy m^{rs} Arthur I give and bequeath all my land with my stock of every description during her natural life since at her death to be equally divided between the surviving heirs. Also my negro man ~~bedin~~ I give and bequeath to my wife as the above property with this exception if he should not be willing to serve her I leave her full power to sell them to the best advantage and apply the value to her own and my heirs use. Also my chair making tools I order to be sold and the money applyed to schooling the children. Also my earnest of my beloved wife is to pay all attention to schooling the heirs as far as she is able. I also request and order my beloved in case any of the heirs should marry or leave the family to sell their partance in another part of the world I order that my beloved wife shall give them as much partance as she and the other family can spare. I also give and bequeath to my beloved wife ~~to the~~ ^{to the} ~~brother~~ ^{brother} all my household and kitchen furniture with my weaving loom. Also ~~part~~ ^{part} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{same} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~will~~ ^{will} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~coat~~ ^{coat} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~bequeath~~ ^{bequeath} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~beloved~~ ^{beloved} ~~wife~~ ^{wife} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{same} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~farm~~ ^{farm} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~other~~ ^{other} ~~property~~ ^{property} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~every~~ ^{every} ~~description~~ ^{description} - This 19th day of December in the year of our Lord 1735.

Test P. MacArthur
Test Duncan McMillan

our Lord 1735

Arthur

Robeson County - February Term 1835 - Then was this will duly
proven in open Court by the oath of Peter M^r Arthur and ordered to be recorded

A. M. Eachus Wk

Will Furguson.

In the name of God Amen -

I Will Furguson of the State of North Carolina and Robeson County being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament in the following manner - that is to say - I give and bequeath unto my daughter Nancy Brown my plantation lying and being in the aforesaid State and County whereon I now live containing two hundred and ten acres to be hers during her life and after her death to be my grand-son Daniel Brown son of the said Nancy and John Brown and if the said Daniel doth die before his mother Nancy Brown then it is my desire it shall go to the use of my son in law John Brown and my grand-daughter Mary Brown the daughter of the said John and Nancy Brown.

Item - I give and bequeath unto my son John Furguson one feather bed - and it is my will and desire that the aforesaid Nancy Brown do pay to said John Furguson out her respective share which I have to her bequeathed one dollar.

Item - I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy Brown all my household furniture viz my bedding and bed-clothes my tables and cupboard and its furniture and kitchen furniture viz the room and all the other furniture herein not mentioned. also my farming utensils of every description. Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy Brown my cart. Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy Brown all the stock which I may have at my death of Cattle, sheep, Hogs, Horses &c. Item - It is my will and desire if my daughter Effy Graham doth become disable or not sufficient to support herself that said Nancy Brown will take and support her out of her respective share bequeathed and if she should die before her that should have her decently buried and all the expenses of her burial to be paid out of her respective share bequeathed to her. Also it is my will and desire that said Nancy Brown do pay to Effy Graham one dollar out her respective share bequeathed. Item - It is my will and desire that such executor as I may by this will appoint have me decently buried at any place where my executor may see proper. Item I do make and hereby appoint and constitute John Brown executor to this my last will and testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the thirty first day of March in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty two

Signed and sealed in presence of

Malcom C. Smith
Arch^d McMillan
Juncan McNeill
Robeson County }
February Term 1835 }
and ordered to be recorded.

Neill ^{his} ~~x~~ Ferguson Seal
mark

Then was this will duly proven in open
Court by the oath of Malcom C. Smith

Wm. C. Smith

Neill Mac Millan

In the name of God Amen
I, Neill McMillan of the County of Robeson State of North Carolina
being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory blessed
be Almighty God for the same do make and publish this my last
will and testament in manner and form following - I do give and
bequeath to my sister Mary a negro girl Sarah aged 15 years
during sister Marys life time and afterwards with brother Alex^r
I give and bequeath to brother Alex^r negro woman name Sarah
and 32 years and three of her youngest children one named Jenny
8 years of age, Hannah 2 years of age, Sandy 2 years of age also
all my possessions of land. I give and bequeath to my sister Cath-
arine wife of John Biggs negro woman Selvy 22 years and Rachel
9 years of age I give and bequeath to my brother Daniel negro
boy Tom aged 18 years & George 4 years of age. also negro girl
named Jane 8 years of age. I give and bequeath unto brother
Dugald and Malcom one negro boy named Lewis 1/2 years of age
I give and bequeath to my sister Nancys son John Crawford
fifty Dollars. I give and bequeath to my brother Johns widow
and his children Mary Musclevwhite and Nancy Musclevwhite
Archibald Malcom, William and John twenty five Dollars to be
divided among the widow and her children. I give and bequeath
to my brother Alex^r my stock of all kinds and house hold furniture
farming utensils, carpenters tools & my rifle gun & watch; and lastly
after all my lawful debts are paid I give and bequeath to Alex^r
the ballance of my money whom I here by appoint sole executor of
this my last will and testament and hereby revoking all former
wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this 25 day of March in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and thirty five
Signed, sealed, published and declared
by the above named Neill McMillan to be his
last will and testament in presence of us who
have hereunto subscribed our names as wit-
nesses in presence of the Testator

Neill McMillan
W W W
Malcom McMillan
Daniel McMillan

Robeson County May Term 1835 Then was this will duly proven
produced in open Court and its due execution proven by the oath of
Daniel McMillan & ordered to be Recorded - A McEachin CLK

Margaret Mac Lean.

In the name of God Amen.

I Margaret Mac Lean being of sound and perfect mind and
memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament hereby re-
voking all or any former will or testament which I may have made heretofore
First I will that my just debts be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of my
perishable property - 2^d - I will that my negro girl Barbara be and
remain a slave for my daughter Mary McLean until my said daughter
shall die. provided nevertheless that the first child which said negro
girl may have that shall arrive to the age of twelve months shall belong
and be the property of my son Duncan Mac Lean - I also will that
my daughter Mary McLean have one of my best beds and its furni-
ture if that should remain unsold after my debts are paid. -
3^d - I will that after the death of my daughter Mary that my sons
Hugh and Alexander McLean be joint and sole owners of my slave
Barbara and her increase with the proviso above named. -
And I further will that my sons Hugh and Alexander McLean be
joint and sole possessors of all my other property not herein named with
this proviso that my executor herein named shall pay out of the same to
each of my other lawful heirs the sum of one dollar each. -
I appoint my son Hugh Mac Lean executor of this my last will and
testament. And do therunto set my hand and seal this the 22^d day of
September 1835

Signed and sealed in
presence of us
Giles M. Lean
Nell M. Lean
mark

Margaret her
X M. Lean Clerk
mark

Robeson County } Then was this will produced in open Court
November Term 1835 } and its due execution proved by the oath of
Giles M. Lean and ordered to be recorded

A McEachin CLK

Matthew all my farming utensils whatever, it is my will that my dear and beloved wife and my beloved daughter Margaret shall pay my debt out of my estate Lastly I constitute my dearly beloved wife Nancy Matthews executrix and my beloved daughter Margaret Matthews executrix to this my last will and testament in witness whereof I set my hand and seal the day and year above ~~written~~ ^{mentioned} signed sealed & delivered

in presence of
Breckinridge McLean }
Augur McLean }
Alexander Matthews Seal
A. McCrackin Clerk

Neill Brown

In the Name of God Amen.

Neill Brown of Robeson County being of sound mind and memory do hereby do this the third day of July in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty four make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following that is to say To my son Hugh Brown I give and bequeath Three Hundred and forty two acres of land including all the improved lands on which I live also one hundred acres known by the name cowpens and two hundred and fifty acres in three surveys including all improvements on both sides of Bear Swamp also one hundred acre tract called the piney bay land also one bed and furniture one half of my stock of sheep also one third part of my cattle and one half of my stock of hogs; also one half of my plantation tools and half of my skill. To my son William H. Brown I give and bequeath Two hundred and fifty acres of land in three surveys on both sides of Bear Swamp lying between Combsells hill & Peter Syde, also one bed and furniture one half of my stock of sheep one third part of my stock of cattle and one half of my stock of hogs and one half of my plantation tools and half of my skill. I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary two beds and furniture one third part of my stock of cattle To my son Arch^d Brown I give and bequeath One Dollar. To my daughter Sarah I give and bequeath one Dollar. To my daughter Elizabeth I give and bequeath one Dollar. To my daughter Margaret I give and bequeath one Dollar. And I hereby make and ordain my sons William H. Brown & Hugh Brown Executors of this my last will and testament with full discretionary powers in witness whereof I the said Neill Brown have to this my last will and testament set my hand and seal the day and year above written

Test Arch^d Rice
Test John B. Colant
Neill Brown Seal

Robeson County
February Term 1836 }
Shen was this will duly proven in open court by the oath of John B. Colant one of the subscribing witnesses to the same and ordered to be recorded

A. McCrackin Clerk

Benjamin Britt.

In the name of God Amen I Benjamin Britt of Robeson County being of sound and perfect mind and memory (blessed be God) do this 28th day of November in the Year of our Lord 1835 make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following that is to say.

First I give and bequeath to my son Vol Britton one half of my Land and half of my stock of every kind. I give and bequeath to my son Jacob Britt the other half of my Land and stock - I give and bequeath to my wife Susan all the remainder of my property say household furniture, farming utensils I also wish Vol and Jacob to take care and maintain my wife as long as she lives then what I give to her equally to divide between themselves - I also give and bequeath to my sons Vol Britton & Jacob Britt my lot of Gunt to divide as they see proper. I give and bequeath to my daughter Charity Barnes one Dollar. to my son Joseph Britt one Dollar. To my daughter Charlott Britt one Dollar. To my daughter Mary Lamb one Dollar - to my daughter Nancy Pittman one Dollar. to my daughter Emma with one Dollar. And I hereby make and ordain my worthy friend Hardy Pope Executor of this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I the said Benjamin Britt have to this my last will and testament set my hand and seal the day & Year above written

Signed sealed Published and Declared by
the said Benjamin Britt the Testator as his

Benjamin Britt ^{his} Benjamin Britt ^{mark}

last will & testament in the presence of us who were present at the time of signing and sealing thereof

Benj^r Gray
James A Stone
Isakam ^{his} Stone ^{mark}

Robeson County } Then was this
February Term 1835 } will duly proven
in open Court by the oath of James A Stone

one of the subscribing witnesses to the same and
Ordered to be recorded

Wm. C. C. C. C.

Bryant Oxendine.

The declaration of Bryant Oxendine of the County of Robeson State of N Carolina to Simeon Thompson of said State & County on the 10th February 1836 who being on that day weak of body but in perfect mind & memory but anticipating a sudden dissolution of body, personally related unto the above Simeon Thompson the way and manner which he would wish to dispose of his goods & chattels which was in manner & form as follows (To wit) To his wife one horse & mare nine head of cattle fifteen head of hogs, all his corn & fodder, nine geese one bale cotton, together with all his household & kitchen furniture with the exception of as much of said property as would be sufficient to pay all just claims or demands against him, in testimony whereof I the above Simeon Thompson do set my hand this the 11th February A.D. 1836 Robeson County Feb. Term 1836. Then was the will Simeon Thompson duly proven in open Court by the oath of Simeon Thompson ^{his} Simeon Thompson ^{mark} appearing the widow & next of kin were notified of the intention of offering the same for probate. Ordered that it be recorded

Wm. C. C. C. C.