

297 Your Love one thousand eight hundred and twenty
 two liquor sealed and attested in presence of
 us ^{my} ^{mark} ^{by} ^{mark} ^{by} ^{mark}
 Phil^{my} Dyer
 Polly Reace
 Legal ^{my} Means
 Drury Smith Esq

I am as happy &
 loath still in my proper sense and sound
 reason I repeat I give and bequeath to my be-
 loved wife Elenor Smith all my house hold fur-
 niture that is not given heretofore and all kitchen
 utensils pots pans pewter vessels and all other
 pieces of home property poultry and geese hogs
 and sheep of every diversity I give and
 bequeath to my son Frank Smith thirty one and
 a quarter acre of land accords to me from William
 Hallam and I wish my two statts to remain upon
 my plantation till my wife decease and then divide
 and between my two sons John Smith and Eliza-
 beth Smith so reheating my wishes for the prosperity of
 mankind in temporal and also eternal prosper-
 ity I here unto again affix my seal this 18th day
 of July AD 1822.

Phil^{my} Dyer
 Legal ^{my} Means
 James Caffey Esq
 Spencer Hallam
 Dorris May
 State of North Carolina
 Richmond County
 Last will and testament of Drury Smith being offered
 for probate & the same being proven by James Caffey
 subscribing witness thereto was duly admitted to
 probate & registration
 August 1822
 The execution of the within
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 J. H. Gillaway Esq

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 Drury Smith

In the name of God amen I Drury Smith of
 the state of North Carolina and County of Rockingham
 being weak in body but of sound mind and memory
 blessed be God do make and ordain this my last will
 and testament in the following manner first it my
 will and desire that my body be decently buried by my
 friends and relations and commit my soul into the
 hands of God who give it me I desire that all debts
 due to me be collected and all my just debts be paid
 and all I have left I dispose of in the following man-
 ner first I leave unto my beloved wife Elenor Smith
 all my whole estate real and personal during
 her natural life and the following instructions Viz
 It is my will and desire that she keep full possession of
 the whole estate together with all the children and sup-
 port herself and them I give them a good English
 education on the profits or income of my ^{land} estate or
 property until they come of age and then as soon
 as my daughter Malinda Ann Vernon Stubble-
 field comes of age and leaves her mother it is my
 will and desire that she take full possession of the
 same that I bought of Oakley Jones and my half
 of which is commonly called the little mill on Bush
 Hillas fork for herself her heirs or assigns forever and
 such part of the negro stock or house hold fur-
 niture as my beloved wife may see cause to give
 her not dispossessing herself nevertheless I give unto
 my son John Wyatt Stubblefield when he comes
 of age and leaves his mother the full liberty or
 privilege to take possession of any part of my land
 whereon I live containing about five hundred &
 fifty five acres more or less lying to the south side
 of a line to be run between him and his sister
 Catherine beginning at a hickory on the east

The west bank of Wolf Island Creek a corner between
 Jeremiah French and myself where formerly stood a
 plantation corner once running through my land an
 easterly course so as to divide it equally in quantity
 between them I say he take possession of any of the
 wood land above mentioned on the south of said
 line and improve for himself not interrupting his
 mother during her life in the improvements now made
 or timber growing &c also he shall have one third
 part of the clear profits of the mill as long as his
 mother lives and afterwards half and his sister
 Catherine the other half and he shall also have any
 part of the negro stock or house hold furniture
 his mother may see cause to give him at her decease
 not disturbing herself and next I give my dear
 sister Catherine Stubblefield when she comes of
 age and leaves her mother all the use and remain
 der of my land where I live to the north of the above
 mentioned line to be run on the same terms as
 her brother viz not interrupting her mother during
 her life about timber growing &c and also one
 third of the mill during her mother's life after that
 half of the mill forever with her brother and also
 four hundred dollars bequeathed to make her land
 equal in improvements with her brother and such
 part of the negro stock or house hold furniture as
 his mother may see cause to give her and further if
 it should so happen that my wife should have an
 other child within the time prescribed by law after
 my decease that such child shall have an equal
 part in value with the rest of my children above
 named it is also my will and desire that my beloved
 wife sell the two stiles and such part of the stock
 and any other things that she may acquire and

un necessary to keep for the family and put the money
 on interest until the child comes of age I also
 give to my beloved wife my gage and my coat and
 shoes and all the plantation tools & cart & horse
 and appoint my beloved wife my beloved
 friend John Linsey Executor and executor of this
 my last will and testament in testimony whereunto
 I have unto set my hand and seal this sixth day
 of August in the year of our Lord one thousand
 eight hundred and twenty one Signed sealed and
 delivered in presence of Hugh Stubblefield Esq
 James Raubey
 Richard Stubblefield
 James Grant

State of North Carolina
 Rockingham County
 November 1821

The execution of the within
 last will and testament of Hugh Stubblefield
 was duly proved in open court by the oath of
 James Raubey and Richard Stubblefield and
 on motion ordered to be record

Robt Gallaway