

my same daughter Sarah one pair of
dressing chains and what corn I have
and what is coming to me, also another
cock also my bacon, also all my hogs
Amen Amen

1807 April

19th

Phoebe Tatum

Eloa? Owing
Stephen Henry
Hardenham Short Jr.

State of N.C. Carolina }
Rockingham County } May: Session 1807

The Within last will &
Testament of Phoebe Tatum was duly proved
in open Court by the Oaths of Edward
Owing and Stephen Henry & on Motion
Ordered to be recorded.

R. Gallaway C. C.

John Leach

In the name of God amen I John Leach of
Rockingham County State of North Carolina
being of sound and perfect mind and memory.
Blessed be God, do this the Twenty Eighth day of
March in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred
and seven make and publish this my last will
and Testament in the manner following, I give
and bequeath to my dear and beloved wife

Francis Leach all my property both real and personal
goods and chattles &c. during her life and at her death
to Cyrus Roberts provided he the said Roberts maintains
my wife Francis Leach out of this property and by his
own labour, but if he dose not comply with the above
proviso the property is to be disposed of as she may think
proper. I do empower my Wife to make Titles to Lots
in the town of Leachville which I may have sold
without making titles to the purchaser And hereby
make and ordain my Wife Executrix of this my last
will and Testament In witness whereof I the said
John Leach have to this my last will and testament
set my hand and seal.

John Leach Seal

Signed, sealed published and declared by
the above named John Leach to be his last will
and Testament, in the presence of us who have
hereto subscribed our names as witnesses
in the presence of the testator

W. J. Menzies William S. Walker Rebecca Robertson
State of North Carolina } Aug: Session 1807

Rockingham County

The Execution of the within last will and Testament
of John Leach was duly proved in Open Court by
the Oaths of William J. Menzies and William
S. Walker and on Motion Ordered to be recorded

R. Gallaway C. C.

Susanah Saunders

In the name of God amen
I Susanah Saunders find myself in a
declining state of health and cannot
in the course of nature survive long

a small portion of Worldly property and wishing for it to be disposed of in a just and equitable as make the my Last will and Testament.

Item I giving to my beloved Grandson Carrum Book Sanders the House and Lot I am now in possession of with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging also the bed and furniture with my part of the cows and calves which is undivided Between my Dear Daughter Polly Saunders and myself hereby appointing and constituting my beloved friends and acquaintances Joshua Lindsay and Robert Coleman Executors to carry me to effect this my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twelfth day of July 1807
In presence of Susanah Sanders
Tinsley Vernon, Martha Coleman, Susanah Stubbs

State of N. Carolina } August
Rockingham County } Sessions 1807

The Execution of the within last will & Testament of Susanna Saunders was duly proved in open Court by the Oaths of Tinsley Vernon & Martha Coleman & on Motion Ordered to be recorded.

Robt Gallaway C. C.

Elizabeth Tomlin

In the name of God Amen
I Elizabeth Tomlin in the County of Rockingham in the state of North Carolina being of sound mind and memory and calling to mind the mortality of my Body knowing that death is certain as suching my Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me with

I think proper to dispose of in the following manners First I will that all my just debts be paid out of my Estate secondly 2. I give and Bequeath to my five Children George Philips, David Philips, Sarah Bridges, Charles Tomlin and John Tomlin Equally all my Estate after my debts be paid Except as here after Excepted that is to say my wearing Clothes to Sarah Bridges, over and above her Equal Share. But should any of them be dead Leaving no Issue Legitimate then that part or share to be divided amongst the Survivors to them and there heirs and assigns for ever. I also give and Bequeath to my sister Sarah Baker five dollars to be Raised out of my Estate. I hereby nominate and appoint Abraham Philips Executor to this my Last will and Testament as witness my hand and seal this 31st of March 1807
Test Abraham Philips John Sutherland } Elizabeth Tomlin
mark mark

State of N. Carolina } November
Rockingham County } Sessions 1810

The within Last will and Testament of Elizabeth Tomlin was duly proved in open Court by the Oaths of Abraham Philips and Job Baker & on Motion ordered to be recorded
Robt Gallaway