

all things belonging hereunto also my chest with all my wearing cloaths: item. I bequeath to Jenny M'Keys daughter to Joseph Hays the sum of ten dollars in money Item I give & bequeath all the remainder of my money to William & Catharine Hays to be equal divided between them & I do nominate by these presents & appoint W^m & Joseph Hays executors to this my last will & test: in witness whereof I the said Andrew Hays have hereunto set my hand & seal this 10th Day of Septor: 1806.

Signed & acknowledged in presence,

of Richard Anderson tord;

William Miller.

James Miller.

Andrew Hays 

In the name of God Amen! I Isaac Hitchcock of the County of Rowan & State of N^c Carolina being weak in body but of sound memory blessed be God for it. Do this 23rd Day of March A.D. 1798. make & publish this my last will & testament in manner following that is to say first of all that my son William Hitchcock & Thomas to have the land between them their first paying thirty pounds currency with the interest that is now on the debt or that will be on it hereafter untill paid & letting my wife Nancy Hitchcock have full privilege on the home plantation during life & after the just debts are paid all the moveable to be divided between Thomas & Isaac my two sons & Nancy my daughter & I appoint my wife Nancy Hitchcock, my son Thomas Hitchcock my executors, in witness whereof I the said

Isaac Hitchcock have to this my last will & testament set my hand & seal the day & year above written.

Signed sealed & delivered by the said Isaac Hitchcock as & for his last will & testament In the presence of us who are present at the signing & sealing thereof

W^m Bodenhammer

Seaborn Tacker jun.

Isaac Hitchcock 

In the name of God Amen! I John Hendron of the State of N^c Carolina & in the County of Rowan being very weak of body but of a sound mind & memory & disposal thanks be to almighty God: and calling to mind the mortality of the body knowing it is appointed for man to die & after death to come to Judgment; under those consideration I resign my self both soul & body to god through our Lord Jesus Christ & till it pleased God to separate them by death then my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my executors hoping to have them again united at the general resurrection by the mighty power of God - And as touching my worldly goods as it had pleased God to bless me with, I give devise & dispose of in the manner & form following. Viz.

First of all I give & bequeath unto my beloved sons Oliver Hendron & Elijah Hendron all the tract of land I now live on, to be divided by the north fork of the branch that runs through my plantation to the old bridge then with the conditional line to Backsbacks Sorey the south side of the said branch to Oliver Hendron & the north side of

Elijah Hendron to them & their heirs forever - & if either of the above mentioned sons, die without any heirs lawfully begotten the above land to fall to the surviving son of the two above mentioned & his heirs forever. - And my will & desire is that my two negroes Dels & Hager to be sold to the highest bidder of my children with twelve months credit given from the day of sale & the money arising from the sale of the two negroes to be equally divided amongst all my children, except my son W^m Hendron who is to have no part - I give & bequeath to my son W^m Hendron the sum of five pounds current money of N^o Carolina to be paid in twelve months from the proving of this will - & no more of my estate - I also give & bequeath to my beloved son Elijah Hendron one feather bed & one cow & calf & one Iron pot or Dutch oven of three or four gallons size: - I also give & bequeath to my beloved daughter Nancy Hendron my loom & all the staves & every other of the other gear hereunto belonging - I also give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Rosina Adams one cow & calf - I give & bequeath to my son Elijah Hendron one horse creature to be worth twenty pounds currency & one horse creature to my son Oliver Hendron of the same value & two Killable Hogs. - And all the rest & residue of my estate to be sold on twelve months credit & the money arising of such sale, to be equally divided between all my children except my son W^m Hendron as aforesaid - And I do by these presents constitute, ordain & appoint my beloved son Oliver

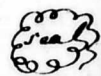
Hendron & my trusty friend Basil Gaither my whole & sole executor of this my last will & test: - Revoking & making void all other wills heretofore by me made - but ratifying & confirming this & no other to be my last will & testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 23rd Day of Septbr: A.D. 1788.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged & pronounced in presence of

Stephen ^{his} Roland

William Whiteaker.

James Roland jun.

John Hendron 

In the name of God Amen! I Margaret Hendrick widow & Relict of Peter Hendrick dec^d: being sick & weak in body but of perfect mind & memory calling to mind the frailty of nature Do make & ordain this my last will & test: in manner & form following.

Item I give & bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Hendrick my bed & furniture & all my wearing apparel, one heifer, & one cow & her wheel where she is accustomed to spin on - & the rest of my estate after paying my son George Hendrick a sum of money which he has paid for me I desire should be equally divided between my three youngest children to wit: Francis, Elizabeth & Adam Hendrick. -

I also constitute make & ordain & appoint Jacob Hendrick executor of this my last will & test: to see that my last will executed in an ample manner & further to see, to give