

age of twenty one of till they marry if sooner, & my books equally divided between my wife & daughters.

Lastly I nominate, constitute & appoint my loving wife Esther Fisher, James M^cNeely son of John M^cNeely, & my friend Thomas Gray of Iredeell County executor of this my last will & test: hereby revoking all former wills or executors by me heretofore made, ratifying & confirming this only as my last will & test. In witness whereof I have set my hand & seal hereunto this 6th day of August 12 1795.

Signed, & sealed in the presence of us:

James M^cNeely.

James Fisher

Matthew Brandon

In the name of God Amen! I James Fraser of the County of Rowan & State of N^c Carolina, being aged & infirm, but of sound & disposing mind & memory. And calling to mind the mortality of my body, I have thought fit to make & ordain this my last will & test: As touching my worldly estate it is my will that it be distributed in the following manner & form. Viz: first I will that all my just debts be paid & my funeral charges be discharged. And in order to this. It is my will that all my estate be sold both real & personal. And do authorize & empower my executor hereafter named to make titles for my said lands.

2^d I will & bequeath unto my daughter Jennet seventy pounds to be deposited in the hands of such person or persons, as the County court of Rowan may think fit to appoint for that purpose.

3^d I will & bequeath unto the rest of my children Viz: John.

Abigail, James, Peter & Margaret, all the rest of my estate of every denomination to be equally divided amongst them. 4th & lastly I nominate & appoint my three sons, John, James & Peter Fraser to be executors of this my last will & test. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 14th day of January 1794.

Signed, sealed & pronounced in

the presence of,

Matthew Brandon

Daniel Clary

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James Fraser

In the name of God Amen! The 23rd day of July 1792 I Philip Fox of Rowan County & State of N^c Carolina being sick & weak in body but of perfect mind & memory, thanks be to God - therefore calling to mind the mortality of my body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make & ordain this my last will & test. (That is to say principally & first of all I give & recommend my soul to God, & my body to the earth to be buried in a christian like manner at the discretion of my executors hereafter named. Nothing doubting but at the general resurrection, I shall receive the same again through the mighty power of God. And as touching such worldly estate wherewith it had pleased God to bless me in this life I give, devise, & dispose of in the following manner & form. Inprimis it is my will, & I do order that in the first place all my just debts & funeral expences be paid & satisfied out of my moveable estate. Item I give & bequeath to my beloved son Jacob Fox the sum

of fifty pounds to be paid out of my moveable estate.
 Item I give & bequeath to my beloved son Philip Fox the sum of forty pounds to be paid out of my moveable estate.
 Item I give & bequeath to my beloved daughter Susannah the wife of John Grove the sum of twenty seven pounds ten shillings to be paid out of my moveable estate.
 Item I give & bequeath to my beloved daughter Mary Hosters five children, five cows & five calves, to be paid to them out of my moveable estate to each of them a cow & calf when the come of age
 Item I give & bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth the wife of Wm^l Linckel the sum of twenty seven pounds ten shillings to be paid out of my moveable estate.
 Item I give & bequeath to my beloved son John Fox, the whole of my homestead plantation whereon I now dwell, lying in the County aforesaid, on the waters of muddy creek, including six hundred & forty acres, as appears by my two grants, from the Secretary office of said State, to remain to my said son, ^{his} and to his heirs & assigns forever. I also give to my son John Fox the whole of my moveable estate, that I have not yet mentioned; provided that he procures, for my well beloved wife Amelia, such a maintenance as she shall be satisfied with, during the time as she remains my widow, and upon his neglecting to provide as aforesaid, I order that she shall have the use of my estate during the time she remains my widow.
 And lastly I do constitute, & appoint Amelia my well beloved wife & my son John Fox my only & sole executors & I do hereby revoke & annul, all & every other former will, by me before this time made, willed & bequeathed, ratifying & confirming

this & no other to be my last will & test. In further testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & year first herein above written

Signed sealed & presented of

Adam Legomann.

Lorenz Ungar. for

Henry Davis.

Philip Fox

In the name of God Amen! I Ann Fisher of the County of Lenoir & State of N^C Carolina a widow, being very sick in body but of sound & perfect senses, mind & memory thank be to God for the same, but calling unto mind the mortality of my body & knowing that it is appointed for all once to die, do for the purpose of settling my affairs in full, with every individual who may have a just account against my estate & to dispose of my worldly estate, wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life I will give & bequeath in the following manner & form to wit:

First of all I give my soul to God who gave it, & my body to the earth, to be buried in a Christian decent manner at the discretion of my after named executors.

Secondly. I give & bequeath unto my daughter Christiana my walnut ^{carved} ^{bedstead} together with all the ten ware also all the pewter, I also bequeath to her my 2^d daughter a walnut chest & my walnut table which I have in possession also I bed & furnished her chair & further give & bequeath unto my said daughter my Negroe girl called Silkey
 Thirdly I will & bequeath unto my son Charles my Negroe women Lucet my Negro boy Boob. I will & bequeath all the other part of my estate which is not above ment