

104. I bequeath my personal charges and household debts to be paid.  
 Secondly I bequeath to my dearly beloved Wife Ellen McHenry the third  
 part of all my moveable Estate together with my negro man  
 Benn provided he behaves himself otherwise he is to be sold and  
 his price to be appropriated to purchase of another at the same or Request  
 of my Wife and also the plantation I now live on till my youngest son  
 Henry come of age at which time he is to be put in actual posses-  
 sion of said land providing & receiving almes a habitation and part of  
 said land as the Law directs during her matricule life. Thirdly  
 I bequeath to my beloved son John McHenry one half of a Tract  
 of Land laying on both (two) third Creek in Rowan County also a  
 Colt about half a year old. Fourthly I bequeath to my beloved son  
 Jacob the remaining half of the above mentioned Tract of Land  
 on Third Creek I also will & desire that he may be bound to learn  
 the weaving Trade. Fifthly I bequeath to my beloved son James  
 after the Death of his Mother nine pounds a year to be paid by three  
 sons viz John Jacob & Henry four pence each as satisfaction for his  
 part of the Land which they possess. Sixthly I bequeath to three  
 beloved Daughters viz Agnes Margaret & Sarah the two thirds of  
 my moveable Estate equally to be divided among them severally.  
 I will & bequeath to all my children an equal share of the money  
 that may arise from the sale of my negro man Benn or the the other  
 above mentioned to be bought on his place if he is sold at the Death  
 of my Wife at which time I will & request said negro to be sold  
 and also if it please almighty God to remove by Death any  
 of my children before they are at full age I will & bequeath then  
 likewise to the Rest of my Children each an equal share.  
 Lightly & lastly I do hereby appoint confirm & ordain my beloved  
 Wife Ellen McHenry and my beloved son John McHenry of  
 Rowan County & Province of North Carolina to be Executors of this my Last  
 will & Testament & also I appoint my beloved son Jacob to be

105.  
 My Overseeer of this my last Will & Testament and I do empower  
 Executors and Overseers together with the consent of my Children to sell  
 Estate or portions of them from time to time they may think best for the improvement of my Estate  
 or not to sell any of my Estate or Lands of my Family. And I do  
 hereby disavow disannul & revoke all Wills or Wills Testament or Tes-  
 taments or Legacies whatsoever heretofore bequeathed or written or made  
 by me until the Day of the Date hereof allowing this only to be my last  
 Will & Testament. In witness hereof I have hereunto set my Hand  
 and Seal the Day & Year above written  
 Signed sealed published pronounced  
 & delivered by the said Henry McHenry  
 to be his last Will & Testament  
 in presence of us —  
 James Atchulloch  
 John Hagin  
 John Graham

106.  
 In the Name of God Amen. I William Morison son of the  
 County of Rowan & Province of North Carolina being sick and weak  
 in Body but of perfect Mind and Memory. Therefore calling to Mind  
 the Mortality of my Body and that it is appointed for all men to die  
 and after that Judgment. I therefore constitute and ordain this to be  
 my last Will & Testament that is to say principally & first of all I  
 recommend my Soul into the Hands of God who gave it and my Body to  
 the Earth to be buried in christian burial at the Discretion of my  
 Executors. nothing doubting but I shall receive the same again but  
 by the might power of God. Item I give & bequeath  
 to Hugh my next loving son one hundred & fifty pounds money of  
 North Carolina & one Bed and Furniture which I also my Executors to  
 give him as they see his need requires. Item I bequeath to my  
 loving son Hugh a sword (blue) and a hat and  
 his followers. My Will and pleasure is that if there be a  
 for taking out a New plantation I will  
 that must be done by my

