

Wills — August 1829

George Doggett, Land negro stock & five hundred and sixty dollars.

Richard Doggett Land, negro stock & five hundred and ~~twenty~~ dollars.

Item 8th As there is land and negroes not named in any foregoing part of my will, it is my will that all the land and negroes &c shall be disposed of to the best advantage as soon as convenient after my death, that if all that is not mentioned in any of the above items.

Item 9th It is my will that agreeable to the estimate value that I have thought proper to attach to what each one of my children has received together with what is herein named, that after their all being made equal with my daughter Elizabeth, then the balance to be equally divided between my children agreeable to the true intent of the foregoing items.

Item 10th I do hereby constitute and appoint my son William Doggett and Orville Butler as my executors to carry into effect this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this 19th day of June A.D. 1829.

Item 11th Before I apiece this my will it is my intention that the land & negroes not herein specified are to be valued, lotted & drawn for by my legates — Valued by Jacob Machal, Egg Noble & Harrison & George Walton Eggleston, or one failing to attend any two may choose a third man — A.B. the word to be "intended before signed."

Item 12th It is not my will to give to my grand children Eliza Love Sutton & Elias R. Sutton any more of my estate than the negro their father has in possession. — A.B. The word "mind," "time," "the," and the letter a intended before signed in presence of

James S. Ferrell (Seal) ^{his} Bushrod Doggett (Seal) ^{his} Mark

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In the name of God, Amen.

I James Reid of the County of Rutland and State of North Carolina being in a weak state of health but of sound mind & memory calling to mind the mortality of the body & that it is appointed for all men kind to die do make and ordain this my last will and testament — And first of all I resign my soul to Almighty God who gave it and my body to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian manner at the discretion of my Executors. And as touching such worldly estate as God has been pleased to bestow upon me, I allow to be distributed in the following manner.

And first of all I allow all my ^{lawful} ~~just~~ debts, ^{& legal expenses} to be paid out of my personal estate. Item I give & bequeath unto my beloved niece Elizabeth Guffy all my plantation now occupied by John Smart and also four feather beds & five bedsteads and all my bed furniture of every description. I also allow to the said Elizabeth Guffy all my other estate of every description that I did seized & possessed of household draper & kitchen furniture, one mare one saddle, cow, sheep, one clock, two Cotton wheels, two flax wheels and any other article belonging to me at my death, my notes only excepted & what is hereafter mentioned.

Item I give and bequeath unto my sisters that is Agnes Plummer, Martha Guffy, Letitia Cook — now three dollars each when my notes are collected — Item I give & bequeath unto my sister Elizabeth Guffy one cow & calf.

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Item. I give and bequeath unto free Ace, one half of a note I have on James Cherry, when collected one small brown cow - one piece of cherting cloth the whole piece, ten pounds of wool, one half of the beehives one demijohn & one stone jug.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my niece Edith Cuffey the balance of my notes not mentioned above when collected.

Lastly I appoint my beloved friend & kinsman John Cuffey Kent my whole & sole Executor of this my last will & testament.

In Witness whereof I have ~~unto~~ set my hand and affixed my seal this first day of July in the year of our Lord 1829.

In presence of

Geo. Cannon (Jurat) } Jane ^{her} Reed ^{mark}
William Erwin (Jurat) }

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In the name of God Amen. I David Webb of the County of Rutland and State of North Carolina being of sound and perfect mind and memory do bless God for the same though much afflicted in body do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following - I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Mary Webb all my land and plantation wherein I now reside together with all my personal estate during her natural life or widowhood and at her death or marriage if another marriage should take place, then all to be equally divided between my three youngest children that

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is John Webb, George Webb and Andrew Webb and one other that is yet unborn, when it is born if it should live be it male or female, then my will is that the same should have an equal share with the above named John Webb, George Webb and Andrew Webb - Also my will is that at the death or marriage of my beloved wife Mary Webb I give unto all my eldest children that is to say Mary Syler, Spicery Matthews, Richmond Webb, Mary Walker, Spack Webb, Chambers Webb, Rachael Randall, Margaret Cook and one dollar to each of the above last named children.

I do hereby constitute and appoint my neighbor & friend John Webb executor of this my last will and testament - I the above named David Webb do make and acknowledge this my last will and testament. In Witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this 15th September 1829

Signed sealed and acknowledged by David ^{his} Webb ^{mark}
in the presence of us

John Good (Jurat)

Ephraim Padgett (Jurat)

Elias Padgett (Jurat)