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now lives to the Conditional line run by And Taylor between Elizabeth Wortman and said Michael Wortman be in it more or less. -

I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Wortman one hundred & thirty three acres of land lying and being on Mark Creek adjoining said Michael Wortman's land aforesaid, be it more or less.

I also give and bequeath to my said daughter Elizabeth Wortman one Cow that now is called her Cow and a nohorned heifer and another heifer the same age both year old, and six pewter plates one pewter basin, one pewter dish, one iron pot one spinning wheel, her bed and furniture that she now claims; And 6th and lastly, I give and bequeath to my well beloved wife Mary Margaret Wortman the daughter of Christopher Kentner all the Cow Kine that I may of shall possess at my death, excepted those stated above to my daughter Elizabeth, and their increase and all the horse beast likewise and all the hogs and also all and singular, my household furniture of every description that is not mentioned above, all the bequeaths hereby made to my said wife to be by her freely possessed and enjoyed as long as she continues to live a widow, and at her death or marriage the said property is to be sold at a tender more

Credit and the money arising therefrom to be equally divided among her and all my children, her bed and furniture excepted if it be that she should marry, and whereas I have given the land that I now live on to my daughter Elizabeth without any proviso be it known that my said wife is to live on said land during her natural life or widowhood with full privilege to make use of

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timber on any part of said survey of land. Therefore may think proper to have it got - And the expenses of my burial and all my lawful debts to be paid out of the property I have herein left to my wife aforesaid. - And I also constitute make and ordain my trusty friends R. H. Taylor & James M. Healy my executors of this my last will & Testament; And I utterly disallow, revoke and disannul all every other former testaments, wills, legacies bequests & executors by me in anywise before named, made and bequeathed, ratifying and confirming and conforming this and no other to be my last will and testament. -

In witness I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 6th day of June 1818. - Signed, sealed, published and pronounced & declared by the said Daniel Wortman to be his last will and testament in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names. -

James M. Farland

Robert Devony (Jurat)

Aaron Thomas

William Hull

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January 4th 1825.

In the name of God Amen.

Being of sound and perfect mind & memory blessed be God I as this 4th day of January in the year of our Lord and date above written make and publish this my last will and testament in the manner following that is to say, First I will and bequeath my body to the grave and my soul to God that gave it; and I hereby make

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and and ordain my son Lewis Mathis and my son Allen Mathis executors of this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I the said John Mathis have to this my last will and testament set my hand and seal the day and date written, signed, sealed, published and declared by the said John Mathis the testator as his last will and testament in the presence of us who was here signed at the time of signing & sealing thereof. First my will is that all my just debts shall be paid which I believe is but few.

I leave and bequeath to my son Allen Mathis all the land lying between the Creek and Lewis Mathis line and the branch that runs in the Creek above the shoal. I also will and bequeath to my son William Mathis one hundred and fifty acres of land joining Parkers old line and Aaron McEntires and my old line also it is my will and pleasure that my beloved wife Susannah Mathis shall have the use of my plantation whereon I now live with all my negroes and stock of all kinds to be for her use during her natural life or widowhood, and at her death all the above named property to be divided in the following manner, viz I leave and bequeath to my son Allen Mathis my negro boy named Tom over and above his equal part of the rest of my property, which property at the death of my wife Susannah my will is that it should be sold and the money or the price of it should be equally divided among my children viz Lewis Mathis, Allen Mathis, William Mathis, John Mathis, Elizabeth McDaniel, Polly Moore, Betsey Moore, Polly McCombs my grand daughters in place of her mother Sucky Choulin &c. Nancy

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Mason to share equally with the rest of my children but my will is that their part is to be put to the use of the hire of her body - I also leave and bequest one dollar to Thomas Masson, I also leave and bequest one dollar to James Choulin. -

I do certify whereof I set my hand and seal this fourth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty five.

Attest

Theldrake & Co. Bonds

William Livingston

John Mathis

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In the name of God, Amen. I Daniel McSwain of the County of Rutherford State of North Carolina being of sound and perfect mind and memory (blessed be God) do this thirtieth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & twenty seven make & publish this my last will & testament in manner following, First I give and bequeath unto my mother Sarah McSwain the rest of my real estate during her life. And I give unto my brother Michael McSwain & John McSwain my real and personal estate each and each an equal share. And I do make and ordain my worthy friend Ellick McSwain executor of this my last will & testament. In witness whereof I the said Daniel McSwain have to this my last will & testament set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

Daniel McSwain

Signed sealed and declared by the said Daniel McSwain the testator as his last will and testament in the presence of us, who were present at the time of signing and sealing thereof. Eder McSwain (seal)