

5) Said last Will ~~in~~ ^{and} sum or sums of money to be paid to my said daughter Mary Rosina, & which in case of her dying before she is twenty one years of age or might have been by me claimed to be distributed to her next of Kin. Now by acknowledging that in case of her dying incapable in Law to dispose of her personal estate so as a beaver to her bequested, or on her not executing that right, the said sum of five hundred pounds shall revert to Charles Frederick Bagge his heirs Executors or administrators free and clear from all manner of demands I my heirs Executors or administrators either as guardians or otherwise might have claimed or challenged and demands by virtue of any matter cause or thing from the beginning of the World to this day.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and seal the thirteenth day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred

— B. The release as within expressed to be made by the executor was executed with these presents

Signed sealed & delivered
in the presence of
Gottlieb Shober
Joshua Boner Jurat

Benjamin Samuel Visting Clerk

Stokes County, November term 1800 The Execution of the foregoing Instrument (called a Last Will) was duly proved in open Court by the oath of Joshua Boner one of the Subscribing to the same & ~~the~~ ^{the} Court was satisfied at large which is accordingly done by

Robt Williams Clerk

6) I Henry Kerby being of sound Mind & in perfect memory and knowing that all men is but mortal & must put on immortality and at this time in a low state of Health myself & knoweth not at what time it pleaseth God to call me thence & as such I recommend my soul to God & my Body to the grave and as to my worldly goods be it is my last will & Testament I give & dispose of it in the following manner Viz. First that I be decently Buried & my just debts first paid before my estate is divided in any manner whatever my outstanding Debts & the Expence made to be first applied to the discharge of them if sufficient will of not such part of the Estate as my Executors shall think best to be sold till they are fully paid off after this

1. I send unto my beloved wife Susannah Kerby during her life my negro Dick Lucy & Pinner also the tract of land I now live on and every other part of my State real & personal except my tract of Land on the little Garden & one bed and furniture

2. I give & bequeath unto my son Sepe Kerby my tract of Land on the little Garden & my negro man Dick after the Death of my wife Susannah Kerby

3. I give & bequeath unto my Granddaughter Poley Children one feather bed & furniture equal in Value to eight pounds

4. I give & bequeath unto my son Pleasant Kerby after the Death of my wife Susannah Kerby the tract of Land on which I now live & my negroes Lucy & Pinner one Head of furniture Five or six Cows & Calves

7 Half a Dozen Silver plates & the choice of Dishes
that I have & the Black horse & all also one
Iron Pott.

5th. I give & it is my desire that every other part of my
Estate that is not otherwise disposed of at the
Death of my wife to be sold and equally divided
between my seven children ^{the} Sarah Davis Edmund
Herby Sam^l Herby Lilla Williams Parcas Cunningham
Tise Herby & Pleasant Herby

I ~~appoint~~ ^{appoint} ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~children~~ ^{children} ~~as~~ ^{as} ~~my~~ ^{my} ~~Executors~~ ^{Executors}
& Pleasant Herby my Executors

Witness my hand this 9th of July 1789.

Henry Herby
mark

Matthew Brooks Jurat
Joseph Miller Jurat by Henry

Stokes County March term 1790

The execution of the foregoing
last Will & Testament of Henry Herby Dec^d
was proven by the oath of Matthew Brooks
who saw him sign & acknowledge the same &
by Joseph Miller who heard him acknowledge
the same to be his last Will &c. and ordered
to be recorded which is accordingly done

by Rob^t Williams Clk
J^r Thom^s I. Armstrong &c

In the name of God amen I Henry Bama of Henry
County in North Carolina, Planter, being at present of perfect health
mind & memory, but calling unto mind the mortality of my body
& knowing that it is appointed unto for all men to die do make
ordain & publish this my last will & Testament That is to say,
Principally Refer of all Incommodities my soul into the hands of
almighty God & my body to the Earth to be buried in a Christian
Burial at the discretion of my executors: and as touching such
worldly Estate wherewith it has pleased God to Bless me
I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner
I form: First I give bequeath & devise all the Land which
I shall have in Possession or a just claim to at the hour of my
Death to my four dearly Beloved children Joseph Abraham
Benjamin & Charity their respective heirs or assigns to be divided
among them I share & share alike as high as possible which
Division I will have to be made by three Freeholders residing
in this County who are to be nominated by the Executors
& overseer of this my last will & Testament. & I will &
ordain that the said my Children & each of them shall
be satisfied with & have to receive his or her Share of
the Land thus divided by the said Freeholders according
as they shall have divided the same and no otherwise
Provided always that each of my four children
aforesaid shall & do pay yearly & every year to my
dear wife Eleanor during her life time for her dower
the one third part of the income of his or her Share for
the & of the above mentioned Land: Also I give unto
my said dear wife Eleanor one third part of
my goods & chattles & personal Estate & also I will
& ordain that the remaining two thirds parts of
my said goods, chattles & personal Estate be divided
into four equal Shares & that my Children Joseph

In Account of all the Estate of Henry Kearby Du^e that is
 by will to be Divided equally between his Children
 Viz 15 Head of cattle Two horse Creatures Two Sheep one Cow
 and furniture Two bedsteads Eight Chairs Two Chests Two
 Tables one Cupboard one Trunk Two small boxes one small
 Gun & shell bag one mans Saddle one Do
 womans a barrel of Corn wheat & Rye
 Eight Hogsheads some Blackmolles Cooper
 & Carpenters Tools Five ploughs Three hoes
 Two Axes one Grubbing hoe Two pair of
 horse Gears Three Iron stoves Two Dutch
 Ovens Two pair pole hooks one Iron Sittette
 Two washing Tubbs Three water pales Two
 powdering Tubbs one meal Tubb Two
 Ruintetts Two sides of Leather a barrel
 of Cotton & Wool Two Cow Hides
 1 Do of horse Creature four pewter plates
 four Basons Two Dishes Eight Spoons
 Two Looking Glasses six Earthen plates
 Two Boles for jugs & Glass Tumbblers
 one Glass Can Three Cracking Glasses one
 nutmeg Griller one Sugar pot Twelve
 pair of Glass seven knives & Eleven forks
 one Earthen pitcher one mug five

one Do Iron a barrel of Flax some hemp some ^{10 1/2} ~~thick~~
 Tools four Churns four pair Cards Two Cotton wheels
 one Coffee mill five Bells all the Clothing of
 the Deceased both men & womens a barrel of
 Flax seed one Pryer & the Two flat Iron Two
 Bake does one Claw Hammer one lead bottle
 one Razor Two Iron wedges Two pair of
 Buckles one puter porager one quart tin
 Two earthen poragers one Candle mold
 Two peat Lin Three Siddles one harrow one
 pepper Boxes one Coffee pot & Thery eight
 head of hogs

This contains all the Estate of Henry Kearby Deceased
 except what is particularly given to individuals
 by will, that has some the knowledge of us

June 7th 1790

Joseph Kearby }
 Pleasant Kearby } Esq^s

Stokes County June term 1790

The foregoing Inventory of the Estate
 of Henry Kearby Du^e was returned to this
 term by the Executors & ordered to be recorded
 which is accordingly Done by

Edw^d M. Armstrong & Co
 H^{on} M^r J. Armstrong & Co