

of myself & wife as above said. I will and bequeath
my said plantation unto him and his heirs forever.
And in Case he should fail to wear out and
perform as above mentioned in such case
I will that my said plantation be equally divided
among my said five sons to them their heirs, forever.

5th & lastly I do hereby constitute nominate and
ordain my neighbors Robert Wallen and Archibald
Campbell executors of this my last will and testament
to carry the same into effect And I do hereby utterly
disannul and make void all former wills and
testaments by me at any time heretofore made
ratifying confirming and establishing this and
no other to be my last Will and Testament.

John Kellam Seal

Legals sealed declared published and
pronounced by John Kellam the testator as
his last will and testament in the presence
of us the subscribing Witnesses who were present
at the time of signing Sealing thereof.

John Hatcher

Armstrong Martin Seal

Woke County September Term 1866.

The execution of the last Will and Testament
of John Kellam dec'd of which the foregoing is a
true Copy was duly proven in open Court by
Armstrong Martin and ordered to be recorded.
Done at Greensboro

Robt Williams Clk
& Thos. F. Armstrong

Woke County September Term 1866. The
deeds and Testament of John Kellam dec'd
foregoing is a true Copy was duly proven
Charles F. Dwyer and ordered to be recorded.

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And Amen I being with the head
of North Carolina being duly and
of perfect recollection mind & memory
how soon I may have to die do hereby
in this my last will and testament
recommend my soul and my body to the earth to be buried
my mind devotion of my executor
And as touching my worldly estate
I give bequeath and devise of the same as follows.

first. It is my will that all my just debts and funeral
expenses be paid out of my estate by my executor, as also all
just claims by him to be duly collected.

Item. I give and bequeath unto Robert Alchibald of Curry
County State of North Carolina the sum of Ten Shillings
lawful money of the said state and no more to be paid
him by my executor.

Item. I will that all my negroes heretofore sold or any
trusty will be sold ground George Haun as p. a bill of
sale will appear and by my hand delivered to him shall
belong and remain unto the only proper use and behoof
of him the said George Haun his heirs and assigns, as
his and their own property for ever. hereby confirming the
aforesaid Bill of sale to be valid to all intents and purposes.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my aforesaid friend
George Haun his heirs assigns, the tract of land
now laid on with the improvements thereon
in Curry County on the waters of Araro

of myself & my about five Hundred Shells and to
my ^{said} plantation to him the title in fee which he
and in case ^{of} ~~the~~ thereon.

perform a Shrub with unto my aforesaid beloved friend
Swilley Hauser all and singular every part of
any personal & personal Estate & ~~the~~
in the case of James ~~Hauser~~

and the Chattles turned in the

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And lastly I do hereby
and appoint my aforesaid to
George Hauser to be my so
last Will Testament hereby re-
all former wills or Contrasts
heretofore made either by
ratifying and confirming ^{declaring} to be my last
Testaments.

In Witness whereof I the said Margareth
Gideons have to this my last will and testament
set my hand & affixed my seal this twelfth day
of June in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight Hundred & eleven. Margareth Gideons
Signed Sealed published and declared by the said
testator as her last Will Testament in presence of us
Jacob Lash

Jacob Shaw } Jurant
Adam Butner }

States County September Term 1816. The execution of
the last Will and testament of Margareth Gideons
of which the foregoing is a true copy was duly proven in
open Court by Jacob Shaw & Adam Butner Ordered to
be recorded

Robt Williams Clk
G. Tho. T. Arns