

I also give to my daughter Elizabeth Brewer, house & barns, & my round leaf walnut after her Mother's death. I give to my daughter Maria Chapman that other tract of land joining that I give to Matilda after her Mother's death. Likewise I give & bequeath to my son William Masters all and singular my place taken wherein I now dwell to him & his heirs for ever with the forty acre road joining the house tract I also give my road wagon & harness to him. And further it is my will that the residue of my property that is not here before bequeathed to be equally divided between my wife Elizabeth and Mary Chapman William Masters & Matilda Brewer also what my property my wife shall keep & should remain at her death to be equally divided between my son Matthew Masters William Masters & Chapman Rhoda Anger & Matilda Brewer. And lastly I do ordain constitute & appoint my beloved son William Masters Executor to this my last Will and Testament in manner & form aforesaid hereby ratifying & confirming this to be my last will in the presence of Legally sealed and acknowledged the nineteenth day of tenth month one thousand eight hundred & twenty eight.

Daniel Masters & Son,
Joseph Brewer & Son,

John Masters

Other County March Term 1829

The last Will and Testament of John Masters of which the foregoing is a copy, being offered for probate was duly proven by the oaths of Daniel Masters & Joseph Brewer & ordered to be recorded

M R Moore Esq
By C S F Brown Attest

In the name of God Amen!
I Frederick Husky of Chalmers North Carolina do this day Monday 3rd 1829 make & declare this to be my last will & testament in manner & form following 1st I will that all my just debts be paid by my executors & all my dues shall be collected 2nd I give & bequeath to Louisa Warren wife of Dr. Wren a gratuity for services rendered in lighting the sum of fifty dollars & my bed bedstead bed apparel etc 3rd I give unto Dr. J. Pack ten dollars unto Master Anger ten dollars unto Mary Holt ten dollars unto Pelegia Johnson ten dollars 4th I will that my executors shall pay all the above named legacies in a reasonable time after his legal publication 5th all the lands of my wife of whatever it may consist shall be and belong to my beloved wife Dr. Husky at present residing in Pennsylvania near the town of Nazareth where my executors shall pay over to him after two years an annuity of £ 5th I appoint my friends Dray & Warren of Boston to be the executors of this my last will & Testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the 22nd day of March 1829
Signed sealed & delivered in presence of us - Henry R. Hobart
John C. Blum Test.

Fredrick Husky

Other County June 5th 1829

The last Will and Testament of which foregoing is a true copy being offered for probate was duly proven by John C. Blum and ordered to be recorded

M R Moore Esq
By C S F Brown Attest

In the Name of God Amen! I Matthew Rice of State County and State of North Carolina being weak in body but of perfect mind & memory do this 22nd day of April 1829 make & ordain this to be my last Will and Testament being & nothing all other by me made of a prior date & declare this & no other to be my last Will and Testament in manner & form following
1st I will that my body be decently interred according to the custom from west in the United Methodist Church

2nd I will that after my burial expenses & all my just debts are paid that my beloved wife shall receive one hundred dollars to be paid to her as soon as my executors can realize it out of my effects should no cash or not a sufficient thereof be found on hand in the case of a sufficiency of cash on hand the same to be paid immediately after my executors have qualified the same have one year provision laid off out of the grain or hand or growing & of other necessaries on hand & if some article of provisions is necessary for her subsistence should not be on hand, my executors shall purchase them It is my express wish & desire that my executors shall select one person & my wife one person who together with my executors shall lay off said yearly provision taking into consideration those of my children who may be left with her & to live with her out of the yearly provision the two now to choose should by no means be added to either mine or her family but among disinterested persons, in addition to the above I will that my wife shall have such to take & house hold furniture as those two men with my executors shall deem necessary Furthermore she may choose one or two of the cows which may be mine at my decease provided she can or will keep them or her son for them 3rd I will that my executors shall procure bids for those of my children who have not yet been married at my decease & have not heretofore received bids 4th As my son Solomon has received a home from me I will that in consideration thereof any other for sons receive each of them thirty dollars in cash which being added shall be placed on interest as soon as

118 I also give to my daughter Mrs Eliza Clegg, team & harness & my
round leaf walnut after her Mother died. I give to my daughter
Mary Chapman that others tract of land joining that I give & bequeath
after her Mother death likewise I give & bequeath to my son
William Masters all and singular my place taken when I now
desire to have & his heirs for ever with the forty acre road joining
the house tract I also give my road wagon & harness to him
and further it is my will that the residue of my property that is not
here before bequeathed to be equally divided between my wife Elizabeth
and Mary Chapman William Masters & Matilda Clegg also what my
property my wife shall keep & should remain at her death to be equally
divided between my son Matthew Master William Masters Master
Chapman Rhoda Clegg & Matilda Clegg - And lastly I
do ordain constitute & appoint my beloved son William Masters
Executor to this my last Will and Testament in manner & form
aforesaid hereby ratifying & confirming this to be my last will in
the presence of - Seguy Sealed and acknowledged the nineteenth
day of March month the one thousand eight hundred & twenty eight

Daniel Martin &
Joseph Clegg S:nd,

John Martin S:nd

Fayette County March Term 1829

The last Will and Testament of John
Master of which the foregoing is a copy being offered for probate
was duly proven by the setting of Daniel Martin & Joseph Clegg &
ordained to be recorded

M R Moore ca
By G. C. F. Brown Esq

In the name of God Amen!
I Frederick Harby of Union North Carolina do this day March
2nd 1829 make & declare this to be my last will & testament in manner & form
following 1st will that all my just debts be paid by my executor & all my day
wages he collected 2d I give & bequeath to Louisa Masters wife of Ray.
Masters is gratified for wages rendered in Licking the sum of fifty dollars
& my bed bedding well proportioned 3d I give unto Eliza, Spack ten dollars
unto Matilda Clegg ten dollars unto Mary forty ten dollars unto Rachael Dutton
ten dollars 4^t I will that my executor shall pay all the above named
wages in a reasonable time after his legal justification & to all the heirs
of my wife of whatever it may consist shall be and belong to my
beloved brother John Harby at present residing in Pennsylvania near
the town of Nazareth where my executor shall pay over to him after
three years an annuity of 6^t shillings per year for his service & services of
which to be the residue of this my last will & testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the 22nd day
of March 1829
Signed sealed & delivered in presence of us - Henry R. Harby
John Clegg & Rachael Dutton
At the 6th of April 1829
Fayette County March Term 1829

The last Will and Testament of which the
foregoing is a true copy being offered for probate was duly proven
by John Clegg & Rachael Dutton & ordered to be recorded

M R Moore ca
By G. C. F. Brown Esq

In the name of God Amen! I Matthew Rich of
Fayette County and State of North Carolina being weak in body
but of perfect mind & memory do this 22nd day of April 1829
make & ordain this to be my last will and Testament having revoked
all others by me made of a prior date & declare this & no other to be my
last Will and Testament in manner & form following
1st I will that my body be decently interred according to the custom of our
church in the United Methodist Church.

2nd I will that after my burial expenses & all my just debts are paid
that my beloved wife shall receive one hundred dollars to be paid to her
as soon as my executors can realize it out of my effect. Should no
cash or not a sufficient thereof be found in hand in the case of a sufficiency
& cash on hand the same shall be paid immediately after my executors have
qualified the same have one year provision laid off out of the grain
or hand or growing & other property on hand & if more article of
provision necessary for her subsistence should not be on hand, my
executors shall purchase them. It is my express wish & desire that my
executors shall select one person & my wife one person like themselves
with my executors shall lay off said yearly provision taking into considera-
tion those of my children who may be left with her & one to live with her out of
the years provision the two men so chosen should by no means be related
to either mine or her family but among disinterested persons, in addition to the
above I will that my wife shall have back to her & house held furniture
as there two men with my executors shall share myself. Furthermore the money
she can or will keep them or her can part them - 3rd I will that my
executors shall procure beds for those of my children who have not yet
been married at my decease & have not hitherto received beds -
4th As my son Solomon has received a home from me I will that in
consideration thereof any other for long receive each of them thirty dollars
in cash which thirty dollars shall be placed on interest as soon as

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thy cow be realized out of my estate & thy child receive them from me
+ in trust when they become of age - 5th I will that all the household
furniture for my time not dedicated for the use of my wife together with all
my stock of horses cattle hogs sheep & other stock & every utensil & other
property found at my decease shall be sold at publick sale as soon as
my Executor concurrely & advantageous can often then quietfie
6th My executors shall rent out my plantation after publick or private &
the proceeds of such rent or rents shall go to my wife till my youngest
child arrives at the age of eighteen years out of which proceeds my wife
my wife shall also provide for those of my children who may continue
with her to the age of eighteen years. In case my executors should at
any time find it more advantageous to my estate to sell my plantation
then to continue to let it out they shall have full power to do so
if a favorable opportunity should offer in which case the funds
arising from said sale shall be put out on interest & the interest
arising therefrom shall be applied in the same manner as above
ordained concerning the rents of the land till my youngest child arrives
at the age of eighteen years - 7. I will that after my youngest
child has attained the age of eighteen years my executors shall then
sell my plantation (if not previously sold as provided in the
foregoing article) at publick sale to the highest bidder & the proceeds
thereof shall be equally divided between my wife & all my children
that is to say between all the children I had by my former & by my
present wife & this division & the division shall be tracked back to
& be made equally among all those of my children alive at the
time of my death provided however my wife should marry again
before my youngest child be eighteen years of age then & in that case
my plantation shall be sold in the manner above named at the
time of her remarrying & the division of the proceeds thereof & other
real estate then any be remaining in the hands of the executors
shall then be disposed & be equally divided between all my children
as above stated but exclusive of my wife - the same provision I
make in case my wife should die before my youngest child be
eighteen years of age lastly I hereby do declare & appoint my worthy friends
Daniel Willsone & Mr. Lewis Burdin executors of this my last will
& testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal
legal sealed published & declared

In the presence of us

George Holtz & Son
John Linbeck Jr.

Matherne Peake

Parker County Penn Decem 1829

The last Will and Testament of Matherne Peale of which
the foregoing is a true copy being offered for probate was duly proven by
George Holtz & John Linbeck and ordered to be recorded

Pr R. Hanson co
By, Asst P. Brown Jr.

In the Name of God Amen.

I George Ray of the County of Allegheny & State of Pennsylv.
Christian being at present of sound and perfect mind & memory thinking to do to
Almighty God: Do this fourth day of January one thousand eight hundred
and twenty five Meek ordain & publish this my last Will & Testament. That
is to say, and first of all when I depart this life I recommend my soul
into the hands of Almighty God who gave it and lay to the dust from whence
it came to be buried in a Christian like manner at the discretion of my
Executor herein after named - And as touching such worldly effects as
when with it hath pleased God to keep me with in this life I give bequeath
& dispose of the same in the following manner & form to be divided among
& between my beloved wife Mary & Children both Elizabeth who is married
to John West Rebecca who is married to Matherne Barr Anne who
is married to John Barr & Ruth who is now single & my grand
Child Eleanor the daughter of William Barr. First I give and
bequeath to my youngest daughter Ruth my clock & cupboard extra not
to be valued to be & left to her clear of Slavery to be Valued together with
land which I have hitherto made her asked the land at the price of
five of five hundred dollars so as to give her an equal part or share
with my two daughters Elizabeth & Anne which they have hitherto
received of my estate all which the next account & account for in
this settlement when the dividends shall be made

Secondly I do give and bequeath to my daughter Rebecca who
is married to William Barr one dollar over & above what I have
hitherto given & paid for the out of my estate which I do believe
is one & above the amount that any of the others will receive & to
that be bequeath full share of my estate

Thirdly I give & bequeath to my granddaughter Eleanor a sum
but & parture out of my estate
fourthly after paying off my just debts to whom I may be indebted
at the day of my death I give & bequeath all the remaining part of my
estate both real & personal to my beloved wife Mary & three children
to wit Elizabeth Anne & Ruth first above mentioned & their heirs
to be equally divided there & there about between them but it is
my will & desire that all the above mentioned remaining part of
my estate shall be & remain in the possession of my beloved
wife for & during her natural life & that her fourth part of
the sum of the above out her myself that she shall receive