

1) Solomon Hauser of the County of Soler and State of North Carolina being of sound mind and memory but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and ~~and~~ declare this my last will and testament in the manner and form following that is to say First that my executor herein after named shall provide for my body a decent Christian burial, and pay, all funeral expenses together with all my just debts, however and to whomsoever owing, out of the moneys that may first come into his hands, as a part or parcel of my Estate.

Secondly I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth all my real estate, and all that may be thereon grown or growing which includes the half of the land and mill generally known by the name of Sadlers mill.

Thirdly I give and bequeath to her all my personal property, that may remain after all my just debts are paid.

Fourthly I give and bequeath to her a negro boy Ench - all the above mentioned my wife is to have and use for her benefit as long as she may live, and after his death, all that may remain is to be sold at public sale on such credit as may be considered most advantageous by the executor and the proceeds divided equal among the children of my Brother and Sisters that is to be sold at such time.

Fifthly my executor is to sell as much of my personal property as will pay all my debts at public sale on such time as he may think best. I do hereby appoint my friend George F. Wilson to be my executor Signed Sealed published and declared by the said Solomon Hauser to be his last will and testament in presence of us each other do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

Witness
Martin Holder
Lewis Muckey Jurats

And I Solomon Hauser do hereunto set my hand and seal this 15th day June AD 1839

his
Solomon Hauser (Seal)
mark

Soler County September Term 1839.

The execution of the foregoing last will & Testament of Solomon Hauser did of which the foregoing is a true copy was produced in open court & duly proven by the oaths of Martin Holder and Lewis Muckey according to Law & ordered to be recorded.

RS Golding Clerk

25 In the Name of God Amen I John Vance Senr. of the County of Soler & State of North Carolina being in sound mind & disposing memory thank be to almighty God for his Mercies but taking into Consideration the shortness & uncertainty of this transitory life & that it is appointed for all men Once to die Do make & ordain this my last will and Testament in manner & form following. First I give and bequeath to my son Mr. Vance the tract of Land whereon I now live that I purchased of Seth Coffin at my wife's death to him and his heirs for ever.

I give and bequeath to my Daughter, Mariah Marshall Twenty dollars to her and her heirs for ever to be raised out of my Estate. I lend to my well beloved wife Susan Vance the Plantation I now live on that I have called the my son Mr. Vance at her death also all of my stock of Horses, Cattle, Hogs and all of my house hold & kitchen Furniture during her natural life and at her death to be equally divided between my son & Daughter or their heirs. Lastly I appoint my son John Vance my Executor of this my last will & Testament in writing whereof I do hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty third day of May One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty Eight.

Signed Sealed and delivered
In the Presence of us
Geo. Brooks
John St. Louis Jurats
Benjamin Frazier

John Vance (Seal)

Proven lawfully September Term 1839 The Execution of the last will & Testament of John Vance was duly proven in open court by the oaths of John Hauser according to Law & ordered to be recorded.

RS Golding Clerk