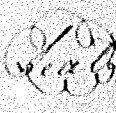


In witness whereof I have unto set my hand & seal the day & date  
above written. Thomas T Whittier   
his mark

Signed sealed acknowledged &  
pronounced in the presence of

John Harvey  
Mark M Whittier the elder  
Joseph Williams Jacob

North Carolina Surry County August term 1787.

Joseph Williams one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing  
last will and testament of Thomas Whittier; made oath that he  
saw the said Thomas Whittier, sign publish and declare the  
same to be his last will and testament, that he was of sound  
disposing mind and memory; And at the same time he saw John  
Harvey and Mark Whittier, sign the same as witnesses;  
and ordered to be recorded. Recorded accordingly.

J Williams Clk

In the name of God Amen, This Second day of August, in the  
year of our Lord Christ, one thousand seven hundred and eighty  
seven. I Barnabas Fair, of the County of Surry, State of North  
Carolina planter, being weak and infirm in body, but of perfect  
mind and memory, for which I bless God; And calling to mind the  
frailty of my body, and knowing it is appointed for all men once  
to die; do make and declare this to be my last will and Testament  
that is to say. First of all I give my soul into the hands of God  
who

80 / who gave all, And as for my body I recommend it to the earth resting  
doubting, but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same  
again by the mighty power of God. And as for what worldly  
substance it hath pleased God, to bestow me with in this life.  
I give and bequeath in manner and form following (viz.)  
First I give and bequeath to Elizabeth Fair my well beloved  
wife, one bond of £50 due to me in February last past from  
Justam Knott of Guilford County with the interest due thereon,  
it being for hand cash at the current rate of North Carolina.  
and that my said wife shall have full liberty and privilege  
to dwell on and remain at my plantation whereon I now live  
and have the same in full and peaceable possession as long as  
she please, and that all the grain now upon the said plantation  
I leave for her use, and what flax and cotton is at this time  
or may be made thereon I leave it between my said wife and  
my daughter Mary Anne Fair equally and if my said wife  
shall please to move away from the said plantation, she shall  
be at full liberty to remove her cattle, building and every matter  
and thing, which she brought to me, and to this place, without  
any interruption from any person whatsoever; and I also give &  
bequeath to my son John Fair the sum of five shillings  
sterling money also I give and bequeath to Dorothy & Abie  
Fair, daughters of the said John Fair, by Abie his wife the  
sum of twenty five pounds, for which sum I have notes for  
from Francis Brock, to be paid to the said Abie & Dorothy  
by my Executors, at the time they come of age; Also I give &  
bequeath to my sons Barnabas and Michael and my  
daughters Barbara, Mary, Dorothy and Mary Anne all and

I give and bequeath in manner and form following (Viz)  
First I give and bequeath to Elizabeth Fair my well beloved  
wife, one bond of £50 due to me in February last past from  
Justam Knoll of Guilford County with the interest due thereon,  
it being for hand cash at the current rate of North Carolina  
and that my said wife shall have full liberty and privilege  
to dwell on and remain at my plantation whereon I now live  
and have the same in full and peaceable possession as long as  
she pleases, and that all the grain now upon the said plantation  
I leave for her use and what flax and cotton is at this time  
or may be made thereon I leave it between my said wife and  
my daughter Mary Anne Fair equally and if my said wife  
shall please to move away from the said plantation, she shall  
be at full liberty to remove her cattle, building and every matter  
and thing which she brought to me, and to this place without  
any interruption from any person whatever; and I also give &  
bequeath to my son John Fair the sum of five shillings  
sterling money also I give and bequeath to Dorothy & Abie  
Fair, daughters of the said John Fair, by Abie his wife the  
sum of twenty five pounds, for which sum I have notes for  
from Francis Brock, to be paid to the said Abie & Dorothy  
by my Executors, at the time they come of age; Also I give &  
bequeath to my sons Barnaby and Michael and my  
daughters Barnaby, Mary, Dorothy and Mary Anne all and  
singular an equal share of all my estate real and personal,

with they reserve only in regard of my daughter Mary Anne Fair  
that she shall draw nor receive no part less or more of her share  
untill her marriage age. And I also will that upon the  
death and decease of any of my aforesaid children without issue  
that in that case the share of such deceased child or children dying  
without issue shall return & be equally divided amongst my  
surviving children and their heirs forever.

Also I ordain constitute and appoint, my two sons Barnabaz &  
Michael Fair to be sole executors of this my last will and  
Testament, enjoining and requiring them to be faithful, peaceable  
and to fear God in executing the trust their loving father hath  
reposed in them; I also require that a note for three pound ten  
shillings hard money, due to my daughter Mary Anne for a bond  
which is drawn in my name, may be paid to her on the day  
of her marriage, with lawful interest, over and above her equal  
share of my estate, hereby willed to her; And I hereby revoke  
and disanull all other wills and legacies, ratifying & confirming  
this and no other to be my last will & Testament. In testimony  
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal date and  
year as above.

Taken in presence of

(Seal)

Signed testis pronounced & declared  
to be his last will before us this

A Robinson

William Hallbrook

North Carolina Surry County November term 1787 -  
Andrew Robinson one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing  
last will and testament of Barnabaz Fair, made oath that  
he saw the said Barnabaz Fair, sign publish and declare the  
same to be his last will & Testament, that he was of sound  
mind and memory. And at the same time he saw

that in that case the share of such deceased child or children may  
without issue shall return & be equally divided amongst my  
surviving children and their heirs forever.

Also I ordain constitute and appoint, my two sons Barnaby &  
Michael Fair to be sole executors of this my last will and  
Testament, enjoining and requiring them to be faithful, peaceable  
and to fear God in executing the trust their loving father hath  
reposed in them; I also require that a note for three pound ten  
shillings hard money, due to my daughter Mary Anne for a bond  
which is drawn in my name, may be paid to her on the day  
of her marriage, with lawful interest, over and above her equal  
share of my estate, hereby willed to her; And I hereby revoke  
and disannull all other wills and legacies, ratifying & confirming  
this and no other to be my last will & Testament. In testimony  
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal date and  
year as above.

Taken before me Apr.

(Seal)

Signes & seals pronounced & declared  
to be his last will before us Viz

A Robinson

William Hallbrook

North Carolina Surry County November term 1787.  
Andrew Robinson one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing  
last will and testament of Barnaby Fair; made oath that  
he saw the said Barnaby Fair, sign publish and declare the  
same to be his last will & testament, that he was of sound  
disposing mind and memory; And at the same time he saw

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William Noelbrock, sign the same as witnesses; and ordered to be recorded. Recorded accordingly, H. J. Williams &c

By the will God, I being of perfect mind and of a sound memory, that is to say I bequeath my soul to God and my temporal estate that is to say I give & bequeath to my son John all my lands and tenements, and to my son Thomas the young gray Mare and colt and a heifer called Tony and the rest of my moveable estate to be equally divided between Job Rezia and Amasa. And I do hereby request and appoint Nelson Hodgey and Samuel Niggy to act as executors to divide my estate between the above named children and this I once acknowledge and affirm to be my last will & Testament. Sealed signed and stamped in presence of

Rich<sup>d</sup> Murphy Just      Rezia Dean      Seal  
 Godfrey Isaacs  
 Amos Hodgey.

North Carolina Surry County November term 1787.

Richard Murphy one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing last will & Testament; made oath that he saw Godfrey Isaacs sign the same; and ordered to be recorded.

Recorded accordingly H. J. Williams &c