

North Carolina County
February Court 1775.

In the Name of God Amen.

I Henry Skidmore of Surry County in the province of North Carolina being very sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory I thankes be given unto God; Pulling to mind the Mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and Ordain this my last will and Testament Imprimis I give and Bequeath to my beloved Sons John Skidmore and Abraham Skidmore to be Equally Divided between them the tract of Land Whereon I now live But it is my desire that their Mother should live on it in peace without Interruption during her pleasure

Item I give and Bequeath all my other estate as well stock as household Furniture plantation utensials to my Beloved wife Elizabeth Skidmore and three Daughters Jane Mary and Elizabeth Skidmore to be equably divided Between them

Item I constitute and appoint my beloved Sons John & Thomas Skidmore Executors of this my last will and Testiment And I do utterly revoke disannul and Make void All other Wills by me hitherto made concerning this and no other to be my last will and Testiment In witness Whereof I have hereunto

Set my hand and seal this seventh day of November
In the Year of our Lord 1775.

Signed sealed and Declared by the said Henry Skidmore as his last will and Testament in the presence of us

Henry Skidmore,
John Stark

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Abraham Potter
James Petty John
John Petty John
John Petty John
Mark

James Petty John & John Petty John, Two of the Subscribing Witnesses
to the within last will And Testament of Henry Midmore Made Oath
that they saw the said Henry Midmore Publish And Declare the
same to be his last will & Testament That he was of sound and
disposing mind & Memory And that at the same time they
saw Abraham Potter Sign the same as Witness And On
Motion Ordered to be accorded Recorded Accordingly —

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A true Inventory of the Estate of Benjamin Fisher

One Horse One Mare 2 Cows fifty pounds in Virginia Money

A true Inventory return'd to Feb'y Count 1775

His
Tho: F. Fisher, Adm
mark

North Carolina County Jr.

The Within Inventory of the Estate of Benjamin Fisher Was
return'd to Court on Oath by Thomas Fisher Adm.

(And on Motion it was Ordered to be Recorded Accordingly)

Accordingly —

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