

In the name of god Amen

I James Porter of Jacksons Creek, & parish of S^t. Marks and Craven County being weak of Body but of Sound Memory (Blessed be god) Do this fifth Day of April. in the year of our lord one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy five make & publish this my last Will and Testament in the Manner following first I Give to My Son James Porter one hundred Ackers of my Plantation and the Gray hurs and A Steer and the one half of My Cows and the one half of my Hogs Also I Give to My Son John Porter Another Hundred Acres of my Plantation and the Breund hurs and A Steer and one half of my Cows and the half- of my Hogs Also I Give to my Dear Wife Margaret Porter the young mare. & I Also Allow & order My Dr Wife Margaret Porter to live with my Son John Porter / and Be Maintained on. his part as long as Shee Remens A widow. Also I Give to my Daughter Janet Robinson the Coult of the old XXX mare. w^{ch} Shee is wth Also I Give to my Daughter Mary, Porter ^{Fairfield County Will Book 2, 1792-1795} ~~the~~ ^{the} plantation and the old mare l^{if} Shee Comes over her and. l^{if} Shee Doth not Come, the land that is for her and the mare is to Bee my Son James Porters Also I Allow & order All the House hold stuffs is to be Equilly Diveded Between my too Sons James Porter and John Porter, and I leave all, Debts that I owe that Seever to be paid By thee, my Said Wife & my Son James Porter, and I Make and Ordain, her, my Said Wife, Sole Executrix of this my will in treist, for the Int^{er}as^t and ^a purpos in this my Will Contained, and I make my Loving. Neighbour David McCreight Seneer and David McCreigher Juner and Robert Marten All three of Jacksons Creek parsh and Countey. Aforsed Executors of this my true Intent and meaning I Witnefs Thereof I the Said James Porter have to this last Will and Testament Set my hand and Seal this Day and year A Bove Writtn

Signed Seled & Declared By the Said

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Signed Seled & Declared By the Said
James Porter as and for his Last Will
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JAMES PORTER

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