

James Adair and Wife

publish and declare to be the last will and Testament of the said James Adair dead in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence have lawfully subscribed our names as witnesses to the same

James Adair

Test Samuel Robinson

James Alexander

The foregoing will was proven in open Court by the Oaths of Samuel Robinson & James Alexander the subscribing witnesses

Shants at July Sessions 1823 & recorded James Adair & Jane Adair and qualified as executors to the foregoing will

John Hunters Will

In the Name of God Amen

I John Hunter of the State of Georgia & County of Washington Black Smith being in perfect health of body and in perfect mind & Memory Thanks be given to God, calling unto mine the mortality of My body and knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die do hereby declare this My last will & Testament that is to say I give and bequeath all My Right and Interest My share in the lands of William Hunter that came to me and My share in the same to be divided in equal Christian burial at the discretion of My executors nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Mighty power of God who is bringing such unity unto the church as has pleased God to bless the with this life I give and bequeath to the same in the following manner & form My last will and personal charge & trust every piece I give and bequeath unto My beloved wife Barbara Hunter a Mary Ann Macintyre out of My debt of Memorial debts during My Natural life - I do likewise give & bequeath to My beloved Children Isaac Hunter and Barbara Hunter one hundred pounds each to be paid in three equal parts after the death of My wife - And the rest of My Children having received one hundred pounds each are only to receive a proportional part with the whole of their Brothers and Sisters I therefore declare that after the death of My wife & the foregoing bequest you name the residue of My property shall be exposed to public sale at a reasonable Credit at the discretion of My executors and the Money equally divided among the whole of My Children I likewise bequeath to William Hunter and Joseph Hunter the sole executors of this My last will & Testament and I the said John Hunter do hereby declare this and do likewise bequeath my last will and Testament In witness whereof I do hereunto set My hand and seal this twenty fifth day of February in the thirty second year of American Independence and in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and nine signed sealed published and declared by the said John Hunter as his last will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence have subscribed our names

Samuel Bayley
Wm Bayley
Hughes Bayley

John & E. Hunter

John Hunters Will

John Hunter on the 27th day of January 1819 being myself approaching towards to Mortality and having a Black Slave named Bet who has been a faithful Slave and Concourer of My Wife & Maker such arrangements that said Bet shall be manumitted or free after the decease of Myself and wife, and have her and all her wearing clothes and bed clothing & Household and with that My concourer of My last will & Testament do faithfully execute My will & concourer relation to said Bet, and promise her emancipation according to the laws of the State of Georgia, and as William bequeath the above appointed executor is about to remove from this State (if he should) I nominate John C. Harris as an executor in the same manner & with the same trust as the said William In witness whereof I have hereunto set My hand and seal the day & date above written in presence of

Test Nat Taylor
Elizabeth Murray

John H Hunter

John & E. Hunter
The foregoing will was proven in court by the Oaths of Samuel Bayley & William Bayley two of the subscribing witnesses Shants and the order to read wills by the Oaths of Nat Taylor & Elizabeth Murray two of the subscribing witnesses Shants at July Sessions 1823 & recorded

Archibald Blackburns Will

Be it remembered that I Archibald Blackburn of Washington County State of Georgia being weak in body but of sound mind and Memory and considering the uncertainty of all human life do hereby make & publish this My last will & Testament in manner & form following (1823) First I give and bequeath to My beloved wife Elizabeth Blackburn the use of My house & kitchen and furniture belonging to each during her life and at her death she shall have the liberty to convey the furniture among all her Children also My Negro boy Sam to be on the farm with the content of My son William 2^d I give & bequeath to My son Nathaniel Blackburn one hundred and thirty dollars in property at the Market price - 3^d I give & bequeath to My son Thomas Blackburn one hundred and thirty dollars in property at the Market price - 4th I give & bequeath to My son James Blackburn one hundred and thirty dollars in property at the Market price - 5th I give & bequeath to My son Thomas Blackburn one hundred and thirty dollars in property at the Market price - 6th I give & bequeath to My son William Blackburn all the remainder of My plantation including all the buildings that I have on it and the land thereon is to have the same while she lives and he also Maintenance in security while she lives also My Negro boy Sam after his Mothers death - 7th I give & bequeath to My daughter Polly fifty dollars in property at the Market price - 8th I give & bequeath to My son Thomas Blackburn one hundred and thirty dollars worth of land in Georgia - 9th I give and bequeath to My daughter Elizabeth Blackburn one hundred and thirty dollars worth of land in Georgia - 10th I give and bequeath to My son Archibald Blackburn one hundred and thirty dollars worth of land in Georgia and two hundred dollars in property at the Market price - And finally I give & bequeath all the debts due unto me after My last debts are paid out of it to be given