

John Ferguson Will

for ever and an equal part of the Orchard and the benefit of the upper Meadow for the term of four years and likewise all my wearing clothes that I shall have not otherwise disposed of - Fourthly I leave and bequeath to my son John Ferguson that part of the plantation that he now lives upon provided he shall find his Mother in all the above disposing Matters - And fifthly I give and allow that out of the remainery part of my personal estate not hereafter disposed of that my daughter Betty Hodge be allowed to the amount of forty dollars and likewise out of the same to my daughter Esther Ben also forty dollars and then what remains of the Personal estate be equally divided among the whole of my daughters - And sixthly and lastly I do hereby appoint and authorize my knowledge Sam Ferguson and my son Samuel Ferguson to be my sole and only executor of this my last will and testament and as above I do hereby revoke & rescind all former wills testaments and bequeaths whatsoever - And in testimony whereof I have hereunto set to my hand and affixed my seal this twenty seventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six in the presence of us

John Ferguson Deceased

Witness my hand and seal this twenty seventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six in the presence of us
Joseph Duncan
George Bell
George Bell two of the delaware witnesses thereto at May Leppons 1807 & added to the record. Samuel Ferguson qualified as executor to the foregoing will

John English Senr. Will

I John English of the State of Georgia & County of Washington being weak in body but sound in Memory thanks to God for the same and calling to mind the Mortality of my body and that it is appointed for all men to die I do Make & Ordain this my last will and testament in writing & revoking all former & acknowledging only this and first I commend my soul to God that gave it and my body to the earth to be buried in a decent & Christian manner at the discretion of my executor hoping by the power of God that I shall perceive the same at the resurrection of the just - and as touching such worldly goods as it hath pleased God to bestow on me I give and bequeath in the following manner - All last debts to be paid out of my estate and all claims to be collected by my executor - I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Agnes English One third part of all my moveable property to be enjoyed by her as also her Maintenance from the house & the profits of the land I now live on during her natural life or widowhood - Item I give & bequeath to my son Thomas English the half of the plantation I now live on & that being the part he now lives on to him & his heirs for ever to be divided the long way of the survey as nearly equal as can be attained to - Item I give & bequeath to my son John English the other half of the land I now live on with the improvement belonging to the same to him & his heirs for ever also two surveys of the land of the branch containing one hundred acres and he is to my two grandsons John and Thomas English children to my son Andrew Ben give paid to each of them when they come of age - Item I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty seventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six in the presence of us

John English Will

I give & bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth English one house & if she leaves her brother John is to take the house and pay her fifteen pounds in other trade - I give & bequeath to my daughter Sarah Dodridge to Shillings - I give & bequeath to my daughter Agnes English one black man of four years old and lastly I appoint my two sons Thomas & John English executors of this my last will and testament signed sealed & confirmed this twentieth day of December 1798 in presence of us
John English Deceased
Thomas Robinson
John English
The foregoing will was proven in court by the Oath of Isaac White - Thomas Robinson & John English the delaware witnesses thereto at August 1807 & added to the record. Thomas English & John English qualified as executors to the foregoing will

John McClure Will

In the name of God Amen
I John McClure being weak in body but in perfect mind & memory (blessed be God) do Make & publish this my last will & testament in manner following that is to say - My land to be equally divided between my sons Robert and John so that Robert may have one half and Ewen the other by a line run from west through the front and if they cannot agree about a choice of sides they are to let in person of my executor said Robert & Ewen my sons are to have said land and conditions they pay to my legatee the same hereafter as Maria and my wife Rebecca McClure have and enjoy the fruits & profits of said land for life time and she is also to have the use & benefit of my moveable effects except such things as may be considered as necessary for my maintenance and said property or personal estate or the amount thereof is to be equally divided among my children after the death of my wife - Robert & Ewen are to pay the same through and in house or other property if it lasts the parties as well. The first payment is to be paid by my executor at which time said Robert & Ewen are to pay one hundred dollars each and so on to one hundred annually untill all the sums hereafter directed are paid and applied by my executor to the use of my legatee as hereafter directed - I give to my son John the share of the products of my land as heretofore directed - and his son John twenty dollars but if my son John doth not arrive at the age of twenty one years said sum to be equally divided amongst my legatee after my James deceases the same heretofore directed and increased he is to receive no more of my estate - I also give to my son William McClure two hundred & ten dollars together with what is heretofore included to be paid as heretofore directed by Robert & Ewen my sons. Said Robert & Ewen are also to pay my son John two hundred & thirty dollars in manner aforesaid. Said Robert & Ewen are further directed to pay my daughter Mary one hundred dollars in manner aforesaid - Said Robert & Ewen are also to pay my daughter Mary one hundred dollars in manner aforesaid - and I hereby constitute and ordain William Rogers William McClure and John McClure myself executors - and I hereby revoke and rescind all former wills and testaments and bequeaths whatsoever - and I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twentieth day of December 1798 in presence of us

John McLure will

to be my last will & testament In witness whereof I the said John McLure have to this my last will and testament set my hand and seal this fourth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight -

John McLure (Seals)

In presence of
William brother, Thomas Maing, May & Abner Clayton two of the Subscribing witnesses Thos. at February Samuel Clayton Sep. 1808 and as to the second - William McLure & John Watson both names, qualified as executors to the foregoing will.

Robert Mitchell Will

In the Name of God Amen.

Know all y^e whom it may concern that I Robert Mitchell of the County of Washington & State of Tennessee being low in health but of sound and perfect Memory and considering the uncertainty of the life and various other good causes one hereunto moving do constitute this my last will and testament and request that it may be so taken by all in the manner and form following First I do hereby will that all my last will be paid Secondly I will that my dear wife for her support and the support of my children and the enabling her to take and support them all my household furniture and cattle hogs and all and every part of the stock together with what house the executor hereafter mentioned with himself may think necessary for her support and convenience and for the enabling to support and raise the children aforesaid during their minority - Thirdly That the plantation on which I now live & the plantation that I have being Adam Rader on the water of East Creek be rented out by the executor of this my last will & testament and the income to be applied to the support and education of my children and likewise to the support of my dear wife Fourthly That the plantation I have being Christopher Taylor and Samuel Bayles shall be in possession of my wife during the time that my children shall abide together with her or if they abide not together with her until the youngest of my children come to lawful age and that when it shall be convenient for her to build for her and my children excepting a piece or parcel of land tract or part of that plantation and which James Brown has a claim for clearing provided he build a cabin and shall agree to transport them & after his term of time he ended said part of plantation to fall into the possession of my wife as above mentioned - Fifthly That the house that may not be sold for my wife for the benefit or use of my wife and children together with the back lots I have in the town of Lonsborough be applied as far as the executor hereafter mentioned may think necessary to the finishing of the house that I have begun on a lot in said town except a lot number twenty four which if the heirs of William Ferguson shall pay the purchase and tax money then and afterwards the claim of my heirs shall be extinguished and the lot be theirs and another in the same manner and place known by eleven lots Anthony Sharp - Sixthly That the slaves that I have shall be managed by the support and education of my wife & executor until the children come to lawful age and that my dear wife shall be her trustee and executor.

Robert Mitchell will

Seventhly That a certain tract or parcel of land which by my Grand mother to me shall remain my father disposed of it and I hereby extend my claim to said land - first I will & request unto my dear wife Elizabeth that she or her heirs or assigns in Article Sixth that may choose from among the slaves that shall be in their possession at the time mentioned in said Article and that notwithstanding what shall be said hereafter concerning the plantation where now live the my wife Elizabeth shall have a decent support from said plantation from the time that my children shall come to lawful age during her natural life - Then to my son James a tract of land and plantation whereon I now live to be his from and after the time first mentioned - Then to my daughter Mary the half of land and plantation being Christopher Taylor & Samuel Bayles before to be hers at the time before mentioned - Then to my daughter Eliza all that land and plantation mentioned on West Creek joining East Creek at the house as before mentioned - And further I will and order that the lot on which the building is begun to be equally among my three children as above mentioned - and likewise what stock and household furniture there may be in possession when the children come to lawful age shall be equally divided among them either with what slaves shall be in their possession divided equally among them as they may have proper after my wife Elizabeth shall make her choice as above said - And I do hereby constitute Robert Allison Jr. & William Fair last mentioned and my wife Elizabeth executors of this my last will and testament Witness my hand and seal this fourth day of November in the year of our Lord eight hundred and eight -

The presence of

John C. Harris,

John Fair

Robert Allison Jr. & William Fair two of the Subscribing witnesses

Thos. at February Sep. 1808 & as to the second - Robert Allison Jr. & William Fair and Elizabeth Mitchell qualified as executors of the foregoing will.

Robert Mitchell (Seals)

Michael Ingles Will

In the Name of God Amen

I Michael Ingles of Washington County & State of Tennessee being weak and sick of body but of perfect mind & Memory and knowing that it is appointed for me now to die do make & ordain this my last will & testament and as touching the debts which it both pleases God to bless me with I give leave to & dispose of in the manner & form to wit: First of all I give & bequeath to my wife beloved wife Mary a half & singular my real estate together with its appurtenances & during her natural life to be disposed of provided she continues in wedlock & also give to her two hundred and two hundred twenty four one black mare & one bay mare all the farming utensils on the place all the household furniture all the sheep belonging to the place except one also the hogs on the place belonging to me together with all the stock & corn now on hand and to be sold at the time of her death.