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8 JASPER JERNIGAN

17 Apr. 1787

Prob. Aug. Ct. 1787

Exec. to pay all debts.

Son MARTIN - Whole of my estate, real & personal. if he dies before coming of age and has no heirs, nor make a will, the estate is to be divided as follows:

Sister-in-law- SARAH YATES, daughter of DANIEL YATES of Onslow County - Negro Pegg and her increase.

Niece ZELPHA JERNIGAN Negroes - China & Tiner and their increase.

Nephew HENRY STEVENS - Remaining part of estate both real and personal, after the death of his mother, who I desire not to be molested from my estate.

Perishable goods to be sold by Exec., and not by the Sheriff. Money from sale is to be used to school my son, in the settlement, or where ever my Exec. think it necessary to send him in this state. Land is to be rented, Negroes to be hired out, and money applied to the raising of my son MARTIN.

Exec: Father-in-law Daniel Yates, Henry Stevens, Jesse Tiner.

Wit: Charles Stevens, Abraham Gemelion, Jos. Sandifur.

Jasper Jernigan

10 HENRY BULLS

1 Oct. 1787

Prob. Nov. Ct. 1787

Wife MARY - 3 £ money.

Son BARNEY - Manor plantation where I live, 200 ac.; 150 ac. of a tract joining my plantation on the road, during his lifetime, and then to his heirs; 4 Pewter plates; plantation tools.

Son WILLIAM - 400 ac. land on Swamp joining my plantation, formerly belonging to William Caps, during his lifetime, then to his heirs; tools; 4 Pewter plates; gun; livestock; Bible; household furniture; Negro Dol & her child Dorkis.

Daughter RACHEL BULLS - 1 Sh. Silver.

Daughter ELIZABETH TALTON - Household furniture; 1 woolen wheel; 4 Pewter plates; livestock.

Daughter ESTHER BULLS - Household furniture; 1 loom; 4 Pewter plates; livestock.

Daughter ZILPHA BULLS - 75 ac. land, including plantation where my son HENRY BULLS formerly lived; 35 Sh.

Daughter POLLY BULLS - 75 ac. land joining tract of ZILPHA BULLS: 35 Sh.

Daughters ELIZABETH & ESTHER - 250 ac. land, a tract on Watery Branch, equally divided.

Remaining tools; livestock; clothing, to be divided between my 2 sons.

Son WILLIAM is to collect all debts due my estate. Daus. ELIZABETH & ESTHER are to have 40 Sh. each, and remaining amount to be divided equal between sons.

Exec: Hardy Talton, Joseph Ingram. Vary Bulls.

Wit: John Whitley, Benjamin Parnold.

Henry Bulls

14 ROBERT BUNCH

27 Aug. 1787

Prob. Feb. Ct. 1788

Wife MARY - Household furnishings; livestock; 1 flax wheel.

Son GIDEON - 1 Roan horse.

Daughter LEANATH(?) BUNCH - Household furniture; newest of wheels.

Remainder of estate to wife MARY.

Exec: Mary Bunch, Gideon Bunch.

Wit: Elisha Thomas, Moses (x) Rainwater, Ann (x) Adkinson.

Robert Bunch

15 ROBERT LEE

28 Oct. 1782

Prob. Feb. Ct. 1788

Wife ELIZABETH - Household furniture; 1 horse

Son GODFREY - Negroes - Hannah & her 2 youngest children, Negro girl Jean, & boy Page; all my lands.

Grandson BENJAMIN ODOM - 1 Negro Buck.

Grandaughter SARAH LEE, Dau. of LEVIN LEE - 1 Negro Jemima.