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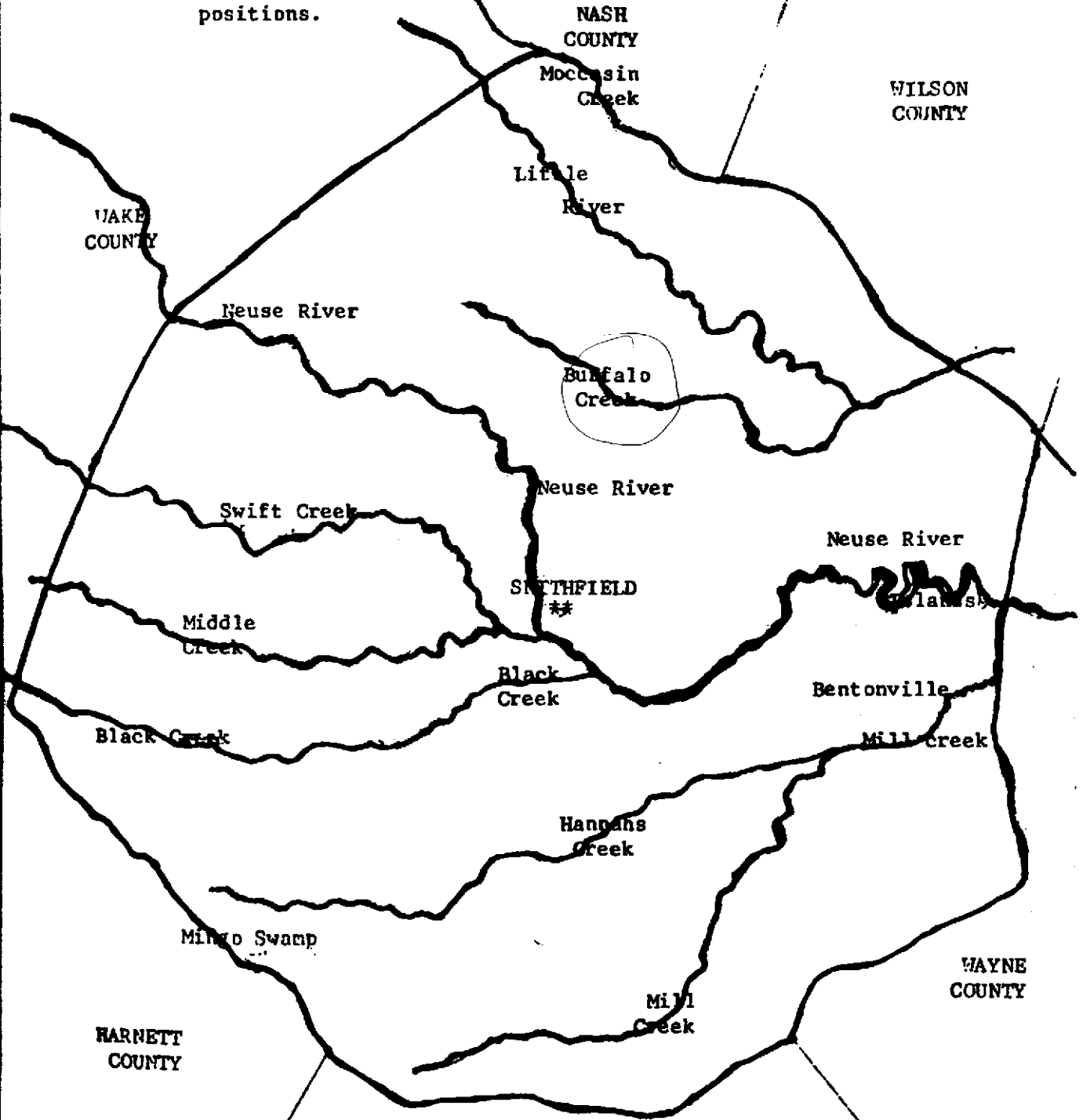
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JOHNSTON COUNTY MAP 1975

This drawing of Johnston is a free hand sketch, not to scale. The locations of rivers and creeks are in approximate positions.



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171 JESSE BRITT 19 Mar. 1805 Prob. Aug. Ct. 1805
Wife NANCY - Use of plantation where I live, with the adjoining land, containing 180 ac.; livestock, tools; household furniture; food for family use, during her lifetime or widowhood, then to be disposed of as follows:
Daughter ELIZABETH REAVES - 5 Shillings.
Son JOHNATAN - Tract of land on North side of Little Ck., joining Wm. Dodd, 190 ac., $\frac{1}{2}$ blacksmith tools.
Son REDDING - 5 Shillings.

Son CALVIN -) Plantation where I now live & adjoining land, left to wife,
Son LITLBERRY -) reserving her right; to be divided equally at her death.
Son CALVIN - $\frac{1}{2}$ Blacksmith tools.

All property lent to wife during widowhood, for support of family, and after her death or marriage, to be sold by Exec. and money divided between wife and daughters, to wit: RACHEL MOORE, CLARY BRITT, LIDDY BRITT, POLLY BRITT, CHARLOTTE BRITT, NANCY BRITT & WINIFRED BRITT.

1 Tract of land to be sold by Exec. 128 ac. joining James Norris, to be used to pay debts. Any remaining money to be used in raising small children.

Exec: Nancy Britt, Janathan Britt, son.
Wit: Cader Willoughby, James Moody, S. Boon.

Jesse (B) Britt

174 JOSHUA EVAINS (EVANS) 22 Dec. 1801 Prob. Aug. Ct. 1805
Wife SARAH - Land where I live, during her lifetime or widowhood, then to son IVEY; livestock; household furnishings; working tools.

Son ETHELRED -) Remainder of Estate to be divided between two sons.

Son WRIGHT -)

Exec: Sarah Evains, John Holliman.

Wit: Mason (x) Hainn.

Joshua Evains

175 JOHN WILDER 29 Sept 1804 Prob. 1805
Wife CATTY - All land during widowhood. If she marry, her dower to be laid off as law directs; 1 horse.
Daughter VINEY WILDER - Furniture after she marries. If she dies before she marry, her portion to son DAVID; 60 ac., part of a tract purchased from Robert Wittington, on North side joining Joseph Frost, Jr., to belong to her after death or marriage of wife.

Remaining stock to be sold, debts paid, \$270.00 to daughter VINEY, to make her part equal to son DAVID. Any remaining money, to be divided between 2 children.

Son DAVID - Remaining land after wifes' dower is divided, when he comes of age.

Exec: (none named)

Wit: Jonas Frost, Daniel Wilder, Fannah (x) Avera.

John (x) Wilder

178 ADAM STARLING 24 Nov. 1805 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1805
Son JOHN - 5 £ money.
Son HILBERT - River plantation & 34 ac. in Long Pond.
MARY BATTEN - Plantation where she now lives, if she lives single, 422 ac., then to her son ARTHUR BATTEN. If he die, to STARLING BATTEN; Negroes Jesse, Lilly, & Fanny for her use or until she marry.
Daughter RACHEL STARLING - Feather bed & furniture.
Daughter PEASEY - Feather bed & furniture.
Daughter LOVELEY - Feather bed & furniture.
Son ELISHA STARLING - The Roben Place, 250 ac. land & orchard, when he comes of age.
ADRAHAM BATTEN - 620 ac. on Little Ck.; 1 gun; Negro Jesse, after death of MARY.
SAMUEL BATTEN - Livestock; Negro Charlotte; 5 £ money.

Daughter SALLY PHILLIPS - 1 Negro girl Claricy; cattle.
Daughter ZELPHA - Negro girl Silva; furniture; \$25.00.
Remaining cattle to be divided equal between two sons and daughter ZELPHA GULLEY.
3/4 of land bought from Josiah Rinnant to be sold, money used to pay d. bts; \$25.00
legacy to ZELPHA.
Remaining property, except Negroes, to be sold and money equally divided between
wife and surviving children, except \$20.00 to ELIAS BARNES.
Granddaughters ELIZA & CASANDY WISE - All accounts I have against them.
Exec: Robert Newsom Gulley, Elias Barnes.
Wit: S. G. Smith, Elias Barnes.

Geo. Gulley (signed)

359 ISAAC JOHNSON 24 Dec. 1822 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1823
Wife ? - Remaining household furnishings not mentioned.
Son Stephen - All land I own on North side of North Prong of Beaver Dam Branch,
where I now live, including house & plantation, reserving the use of it for wife
during her lifetime.
Son FREDRICK - Remainder of land.
Daughter BETHANY - Bed & furniture; cattle; 1 loom; Pewter ware.
Remaining property to be sold and money divided between 3 daughters: BETSY, SALLY
and BETHANY JOHNSON.
Exec: Barney Johnson, son.
Wit: Edwin Smith, W. Sinton (?Hinton).

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360 HARDY ADAMS 30 Aug. 1823 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1823
Wife RIDLY - All land that is not to be sold by Exec.; household furnishings.
Daughter LOUIZA - Land to be dividrd between wife and daughter LOUIZA when she
becomes 20 years; Negro boy Guilford.
KITITISE WOODALL - \$30.00
HORATIO GRIFFIN -
Exec: to sell land on North side of Elisha Branch, my 1/2 share of JESSE ADAMS lands,
my right of belonging to Estate of SAMUEL CARR, dec., land in possession of
RIGDON RYALS, dec. Estate.
Exec: Jesse Adams.
Wit: Lazirus Mathews, John Dupree.

H. Adams (signed)

363 MARY GARNER 27 Aug. 1823 Prob. Feb. Ct. 1824
Son MOSES GARNER - 1 Mare colt. Daughter FATTY GARNER - Geese.
Son LEAVY GARNER - 1 Sorrel mare. Son ASA GARNER - Bed & furniture.
Son STEPHEN GARNER - 1 Mare colt. Daughter LEXEY GARNER - Bed & furniture.
Remaining property to be sold and money equally divided between all children.
Exec: Moses Garner, Leavy Garner, sons.
Wit: Chas. Wilkinson, Edny (x) Pace.

Mary (x) Garner

364 SHADRICK YELVINGTON 17 Jan. 1822 Prob. Feb. Ct. 1824
Wife FENNELOPE - Whole of property during natural life or widowhood. After death
of wife, property to be divided equal between children : LEVI YELVINGTON, ELIE
YELVINGTON, ASA YELVINGTON & SNATH? WILKINSON.
Son LEVI - 'to have care of Mother.
Exec: Levi Yelvington.
Wit: S. Barnes, G. Grice, N^m. Whitley, Jr.

Shadrick (S) Yelvington

Daughter ARPEY - Livestock; furniture. Daughter CHARITY - Stock at John Hales.
Brother CHARLES BRYANT - Cattle at Dick Edward's place.
Remaining estate to be sold and money divided equal between wife & children.
Exec: William Hinton, Charles Bryant, Charity Bryant.
Wit: Ben. Bryant, Alce Bryant, Elizabeth Page.

Robert Bryant

768 JOSHUA WILKERSON (WILKINSON) 27 Apr. 1761 Prob. July Ct. 1761
Wife ALBECNAS - Remaining personal estate not mentioned, during lifetime, then
to be divided equal between CHARLES & BENJAMIN WILKERSON, at her death.
Son JAMES - 1 Shilling.
Grandson JAMES WILKERSON - 1 Horse.
Exec: Charles Wilkerson, Benjamin Wilkerson.
Wit: (Court Minutes, July 1761 - Wit: Samuel Holliman, John Salter. Name is
spelled WILKINSON in Court Minutes)

Joshua Wilkerson

769 JOHN MONK 12 Sept. 1860 Prob. Oct. Ct. 1761
Wife MARY - All moveable estate.
Son JONATHAN - 200 ac. Land.
Exec: Mary Monk, Jonathan Monk.
Wit: James (O) Olive, Josiah (x) Cato Carter, William Balsover.

John Monk

770 JOHN WHITLIFF (WHITLEY) (no date) Prob. Oct. 1761
JOSEPH BOON - 100 ac. Land in the Islands.) 500 ac. Land in the Islands.
Son JOHN - 200 ac. Land in the Islands.) (The Islands are located in the
Son NEEDHAM - 200 ac. Land in the Islands.) Neuse River in Southern Johnston Co.
Son JOHN - Manor plantation where I now live; 350 ac. adjoining land; Negroes
Primus, Phillis & Seasor.
Son NEEDHAM - 1 Tract of land on Spoil Cunny Ck. joining Tolar. 100 ac.; Negroes
Ned, Dick & Jenny.
Daughter FEREBY - Household furniture; livestock; 20 Shillings for care of Negro.
Daughter JERUSHA - Household furniture; Livestock; 20 £ money.
Daughter DELILAH - 20 £ money. Daughter NANCY - 20 £ money.
Daughter HONOUR - 20 £ money. Grandchild HESTER BALLARD - 5 £ money.
Sons are to have 4 years schooling, daughters 1 year schooling.
Remainder of estate to be equally divided between 2 sons JOHN & NEEDHAM.
Exec: Benjamin Williams, Joseph Boon.
Wit: Nathan Gurley, Thomas (T) Whitliff, Henry Bulls.

John J. (x) Whitliff

(Court Minutes, Apr. 1764- Guardians appointed for DNOTY, HONOUR, ANNA, NEEDHAM
& JOHN WHITLEY, orphans of JOHN WHITLEY, dec. - Pg. 182)

772 ANDREW HARTSFIELD 13 Nov. 1761 Prob. Jan Ct. 1762
Wife SARAH - 1/3 of remaining moveable estate, not willed, during lifetime.
Son GODFREY - 1 Gun.) 2 Plantations to be divided equal between 3 sons.
Son RICHARD - 1 Gun.) GODFREY to have plantation where I live.
Son JOHN - 1 Gun) John to have plantation where Thomas Smith lives.
Son ANDREW - Livestock. Daughter REBECCA - 1 Horse.
2/3 of moveable estate to be divided equal between children: JACOB, MARY, SARAH,
ANDREW, BETTIE, REBECCA.
Exec: William Mackleroy, Jacob Hartsfield, Godfrey Hartsfield.
Wit: James Martin, Thos. Smith; Elizabeth (x) Cook.

Andrew (A) Hartsfield

789 WILLIAM THOMPSON 22 July 1769 Prob. May Ct. 1769
Wife SARAH - Plantation where I now live on Horsepen ___?; use of livestock.
Daughter SALLY THOMPSON - Household furnishings, livestock.
Daughter MOLLEY THOMPSON - Household furnishings; livestock, at age 18 or marry.
Son JOHN - 5 Shillings. Son WILLIAM - 5 Shillings.
Son ISHAM - 5 Shillings. SILAS MONK, for use of daughter BETTY MONK - 5 Sh.
EDWARD GREEN, for use of daughter JEMIMA GREEN - 5 Shillings.
Son ELIJAH - All land & livestock on Horse ___?, after death of wife; to maintain
and keep son JOHN sufficient & wholesome.
Exec: Sarah Thompson, Elijah Thompson.
Wit: Ben. Hardy, Isaac Bledsoe, Henry (H) Kemp.

William (x) Thompson

790 JOHN TINER 15 Nov. 1780 Prob. Nov, Ct. 1780
Son JESSE - Tract of land where I now live; 1 other tract of land; all my personal
estate.
Son JOHN - 1 Hard Spanish Dollar.
MILLIE HOOD - Household furnishings; 1 wheel; cotton & flax.
Exec: (none named)
Wit: Ben. Williams, Jr, Bether (x) Ballard, Barbara (B) Caps.

JOHN (f) Tiner

791 JOSEPH THOMAS 23 June 1763 Prob. Jan. Ct. 1764
Wife ANN - Use of plantation for 15 years; 1 Negro Sam.
After 15 years, plantation to be sold and money or a slave, be divided between
2 daughters MARY & TEMPERANCE - 2 years schooling to be paid out of estate.
Exec: James Wooten, Elisha Thomas.
Wit: William Wall, Joseph Bennett, John (x) Starling.

Jo^s. Thomas

792 THOMAS TOMLINSON 28 Nov. 1780 Prob.
Daughter ANN O'NEAL - 1 Negro Joosey & her increase; 1 mare; household furniture.
CLARISSAH OGBURN - Furniture; livestock.
LITTLE BERRY OBBURN - Land & plantation where I now live.
MARY OGBURN - 2 Pewter dishes. THOMAS OGBURN - Livestock.
ANNA OGBURN - 1 Chest; 1 cow. JOSEPH OGBURN - 1 Cow.
JAMES BRANAN, JR. - Cow. HARRIS BRANAN - 1 Cow.
Remainder of estate to be sold by Exec. and divided between grandchildren.
Exec: Zacharias O'Neal.
Wit: Joseph Bridgers, William Syms, Elisha Thomas.

Thomas Tomlinson (signed)

793 FREDRICK TARVER 15 July 1772 Prob. Aug. Ct. 1772
Brother JOHN - All land & plantation on North side of Neuse River.
Brother WILLIAM - All land on South side of Neuse River & plantation where I live
Remaining estate to be divided between brothers and sisters.
Exec: James Wooten, Mark Simms.
Wit: Rob^t. Gulley, James Barnes, William Wall.

Fredric (f) Tarver

793 MARY THOMAS Prob.
Son MALICAH - Plantation I bought at sale of my Father JOSEPH THOMAS, Estate.
Sister TEMPERANCE THOMAS - Remaining estate for raising & schooling son MALICAH.
Exec: Temperance Thomas, Benjamin Jones.
Wit: James Hollomon, Jas. (f) Price.

Mary (x) Thomas

Granddaughter MARY JERNIGAN - Negro Pherbe
Remaining estate to be equally divided at discretion of Exec. among all the children.

Exec: Lewis Jernigan, John Jernigan.

Wit: Willis Wiggins, John Faile, Joseph Sandefur.

Henry Jernigan (signed)

277 ELIZABETH JOHNSON 25 Apr. 1790 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1790
Son MOSES - 1 Shilling. Daughter POLLY - Livestock; 1 pr. cotton cards.
Son STERLING - 1 Shilling. Daughter SARAH - Livestock; 1 Flax wheel.
Daughter ELIZABETH - Livestock; 1 pr. Cotton cards.
Daughter REBECKAH - Livestock; 1 tub & churn.
Son HENRY (under age) - Livestock; 1 dutch oven.
Exec: Moses Johnson, son, Elizabeth Johnson, daughter.
Wit: John McQuillere, Sr., James Woodall

Elizabeth Johnson

278 WILLIAM INGRAM 21 June 1771 Prob. Aug. Ct. 1771
Wife ELIZABETH - Plantation during lifetime or widowhood; 1 Negro Ceasor, and
after death of wife to son JOSEPH.
Son SHADRACK - Bed & furniture.
Son JOSEPH - All land. If he die without heir, land to be equally divided
among daughters HESTHER & POLLY; Negro Ceasor at death or marriage of wife.
Daughter HESTHER - Negro boy Led.
Daughter POLLY - Negro Hager.
Exec: Elizabeth Ingram, Joseph Ingram.
Wit: Benjamin Killingsworth, Benjamin Williams, Leonard (x) Misslewhite.
William Ingram.

280 RICHARD INGRAM 5 Dec. 1780 Prob. Feb. Ct. 1781
Wife ANNIE - Plantation and all personal estate during widowhood; Negroes Tom.
Violet, Rachel & Penny; livestock.
Son JOHN - 75 ac. Land whereon he has a plantation; Negroes Ben & Tom.
Son ABNER - 1 Negro boy Toney.
Son WILLIAM - 200 ac. Land whereon he has a plantation; 75 ac. whereon I live;
Negroes Boston & Violet.
Daughter PHERIBY - Negroes Nel & Fillis.
Daughter MARY LEE - Negroes Pen & Caleb.
Daughter ELIZABETH AVERA - Negroes Peter & Sally.
Daughter ZILPHIA AVERA - Negroes Tena & Rachel,
Remaining estate, after death of wife, to be divided equal among above mentioned
children.
Exec: John Ingram, William Ingram.
Wit: William Avera, Sam. Avera, Shadrack Ingram.

Ric^h. (X) Ingram

282 JOSEPH GARNER 19 Jan. 1769 Prob. Aug. Ct. 1772
Daughter SARAH WHITLEY - 5 Shillings. Son WILLIAM - 5 Shillings.
Daughter FRUDENCE POWELL - 5 Shillings. Son JOSEPH - 5 Shillings.
Daughter ESTHER HONEYCUTT - 5 Shillings. Son JOHN - 5 Shillings.
Daughter CHARITY HONEYCUTT - 5 Shillings.
Son JACOB - 5 Shillings; all rights to a tract of land where he now lives on
South side of Great Buffalo Swamp.
Son LAZERUS - All of tract of land & plantation where I live; remaining estate.
Exec: Lazerus Garner.
Wit: Ann Hollomon. Charles Wilkerson, James Holloman.

Joseph Garner

JOHN CONNERLY 17 Oct. 1751 Prob. July Ct. 175
Wife KESIAH - The plantation she had at the time of marriage, 150 ac. (Survey)
Brother RICHARD JONES -)
STEPHEN HERRING -) Remainder of Survey? divided.
Son WILLIAM - 1 Mare & colt.)
Son CULLEN - 1 Colt.) 300 ac. Land equally divided.
Daughter PATIENCE CONNERLY - 1 Mare.
Exec: Anthony Herring.
Wit: Elizabeth Jones, Griffin Jones,
Jn^d. (\$) Connerly

SARAH EASON 2 Mar. 1794 Prob. Sept. Ct. 1795
Eldest daughter ELIZABETH WOOD - Coat; 20 Shillings.
Daughter MARY ALLEN - Coat; 20 Shillings.
Grandson ASHLEY WOOD - 1 Gold Ring; 1 Note due me for \$71½ dollar, dated 30 Oct.
1790.
Son JOHN - Negroes Sal, Mine, Amy, Tim, Letty.
Exec: John Eason, David Bell.
Wit: David Bell, Isaac Kindace?, Thomas Lankford.
Sraah (x) Eason

RICHARD EDWARDS 6 Jan. 1762 Prob. Ppr. Ct. 1762
Wife MARY - Land & plantation where I now live, during widowhood, then to be sold
and equally divided between son SAMUEL & daughter MARY EDWARDS.
Livestock to be equally divided between wife & children.
Pewter ware to be divided equal between wife, SAMUEL & MARY EDWARDS.
Remaining household furnishings to wife.
Exec: Mary Edwards, Thomas Hollimon, Charles Wilkinson.
Wit John Talton, Thomas (T) Whitley, Samuel Holliman.
Richard Edwards

JOHN FITZGARROLD 14 Aug. 1749 Prob. Sept. Ct. 1751
Wife ANNA - ½ of money from land.
Son-in-law Arthur PIERCE - Land in Edgecombe Co, on North side of Fishing Ck.,
to be sold & ½ money to ARTHUR PIERCE.
Son JOHN - 5 Shillings. Son THOMAS - 5 Shillings.
Wife - All remaining household furnishings & livestock.
Exec: Arthur Pierce, Rich^d. Pierce.
Wit: Rob^t. Butler, Anthony (A) Fulgum, Anne (A) Pierce.
John (x) Fitzgerrold

JOHN FORT 16 May 1748 Prob. June Ct. 1748
Mother MARY FORT - Use of Negro man during her natural life, then to brother
MOSES FORT. (Negro Simon - Will of father- JOHN FORT, D- Craven Co. 1745-Wife MARY)
Brother ARTHUR - 3 Cows & calves. Brother MOSES - 2 Horses
Remaining estate, land & livestock, to be divided between brothers DRURY & MOSES,
& sister JERUSHA FORT.
Exec: William Holmes, father-in-law, Drury Fort.
Wit: Robert Butler, John Pipkin, Jethro (x) Pipkin.
John Fort.

THOMAS GIDDINGS 13 July 1747 Prob. (no date)
Granddaughter ELIZABETH - My plantation & all lands belonging to it.
Son Jacob - Livestock. Son BENJAMIN - 1 Cow.
Son WILLIAM - 2 Pots. Son ABRAHAM - Livestock.
Son ISAAC - Bed; livestock.
Exec: (none named) Wit: Geo. (s) Dyches?, Tho^s. Grisard, Th. Lambertson.
Tho^s. P. (J) GIDDINGS

HENRY BULLS

Aug. Court 1780

Pg. 144 - Last Will & Testament of HENRY BULLS exhibited in court for probate. Prov. by John Garnor, Wit.

Pg. 154 - HENRY BULLS, SR., was qualified in open court as Executor to the Last Will & Testament of HENRY BULLS, dec.

Pg. 160 - Presented in court, inventory of Est. of HENRY BULLS, dec. Ord. to be recorded.

Pg. 161 - RACHEL BULLS came into court and Qualified as Exec. to the Est. of HENRY BULLS, dec.

PETER JOHNSON

May Court 1781

Pg. 169 - Last Will & Testament of PETER JOHNSON exhibited in court for probate. Prov. by Henry Rains & Philip Raiford, Wit. Benjamin Johnson Qualified as Exec.

Feb. Court 1783

Pg. 247 - Ord. that Sheriff bring to next court WINEFRED, SARAH, MARY, WRITE & MICAHAH JOHNSON, orph. of PETER JOHNSON, dec. to be bound out agreeable to law.

May Court 1783

Pg. 249 - Ord. that MOLLEY JOHNSON, orphan of PETER JOHNSON, dec. be bound appt. to James Butler, until 18 years, now being about 7 years old.

May Court 1786

Pg. 318 - Ord. that WRIGHT JOHNSON, orphan of PETER JOHNSON, dec. be bound appt. to John Whitley until age 21, now being about 8 years old.

Pg. 318 - Ord. that MICAHAH JOHNSON, orphan of PETER JOHNSON, dec. be bound appt. to Philip Raiford, Esq., until age 21, now being about 6 years old.

Aug. Court 1781

Pg. 180 - Ord. that James Butler be appointed Guradian to ARTHUR JOHNSON, orphan of PETER JOHNSON, dec.

Pg. 180 - Ret. by Sheriff, acct. of sales of Est. of PETER JOHNSON, dec., Amount 9500 £. Ord. to be recorded.

MARY ODOM (Deed)

18 Sept. 1798

Prov. Nov. Ct. 1819

Son JAMES - All goods, chattels & all debts; moveable & unmoveable estate, for use of son JAMES ODOM.

Wit: John Holliman, Jesse Sillivant. Recorded Deed Book K-2 Pg. 174

Mary (x) Odom

(This is recorded in a Deed Book, but has all the implications of a Will, therefore, it is included in these Abstracts.)

349 JOHN SMITH, SR. 29 May 1813 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1813
Wife PATIENCE - All lands, livestock; household furnishings; tools, during her natural life or widowhood. Then to be divided equal between children herein mentioned: JOSHUA SMITH JANE SMITH ELIZABETH SIMS
JAMES SMITH LEWIS SMITH EDITH STRICKLAND
SAMUEL SMITH OBEDIENCE ALLEN IZABEL STRICKLAND
Exec: James Smith, son.
Wit: William Bryan, Asa Bryan.

John (J) Smith

352 JOHN HINTON, SR. 19 Mar. 1823 Prob. May Ct. 1823
Wife CHARLOTTE - 13 Negroes- Nead, Winney, Davy, Cain, Daniel, Lewis, Rias, Telsy, Winey, Pallace, Kizzy, Leeseey, Edney & their increase, during her lifetime or widowhood; Land & plantation where I now live; livestock & tools.
Son MATTHEW - Plantation where he now lives, until his son THEOPHOLDS HINTON comes of age, then I give to THEOPHOLDS the land I lent to son MATTHEW, land I bought from Daniel Tucker.
Grandson THEOPHOLDS - 2 Negroes, Fanny & May & their increase, in possession of son MATTHEW HINTON.
Son MATTHEW - \$5.00. Daughter CANDIS LEE -\$5.00
Daughter HARRIET COOPER - Negro Virget & her increase, then to Daughter of HARRIET.
Daughter BETSY HINTON - Negro Tilsey & her increase, furniture & saddle.
Daughter DELILAH HINTON- Negro Pallace & increase....
Daughter PATSY HINTON - Negro Viney & her increase.
Son WILLIS - All land & plantation where I now live, & 150 ac; Negroes Nead, Abel, Winny, Talton, Lewis, Kizzy, Edney & increase, after death of mother.
Son JOHN, JR. - Land & plantation where he lives & 100 ac. adjoining land ; Negro Ben; all notes I hold against him.
Son ISAAC - Land lying on West side of Joseph Hinton's line on Rocky Branch, and 150 ac. piney woods; 6 Negroes, after death of wife- Davy, Cain, Daniel, Sasy, Leacy & Rias.
Daughter MARY - Negro Tamy & her increase.
Exec. to sell remaining property not devised, and give money to wife and daughters BETSY, PATSY, DILILAH & MARY, divided equally between them.
Exec: Joseph Hinton, Isaac Hinton.
Wit: William Hinton, Charles A. Hood, Jesse (x) Ellington.

John Hinton, Sr.

355 FREDRICK HOLLEMON 25 Oct. 1823 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1823
PATSY HOLLOWAN, daughter of SETH HOLLOWAN - All real & personal estate, 300 ac. land where I live; 11 Negroes, Simon, Moses, Jim, Ben, Tom, Miley, Mourning, Rosa, Charity, Ruffin & Abel; livestock; household furnighings, cash in hand; and all money from debts due to me.
Exec: Patsy Hollomon.
Wit J^o. Richardson, Jos. Hollimon.

Fredric Hollomon (signed)

356 GEORGE GULLEY 16 Sept. 1823 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1823
Wife ZILPHIA - Livestock; household furnishings; growing crops; Negroes, Sarah, Arthor, Jinna; Land, Low Ground Plantation, during her lifetime.
Son GEORGE STEVENSON GULLEY - Land on North side of Rocky Branch, after death of his mother; Negro Ollif: $\frac{1}{2}$ blacksmith tools.
Son ROBERT NEWSOM GULLEY - 1 Tract of land on North side of Neuse River joining Elias Barnes; Negro girl Edith; $\frac{1}{2}$ blacksmith tools.
Daughter BETHANY HINNANT - Negro girl Zena & her increase; furniture & cattle.
Daughter BETSY PHILLIPS - 1 Negro woman Happer; furniture & cattle.

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Son STEPHEN GARNER - 1 Mare colt. Daughter LEXEY GARNER - Bed & furniture.
Remaining property to be sold and money equally divided between all children.
Exec: Moses Garner, Leavy Garner, sons.
Wit: Chas. Wilkinson, Edny (x) Pace.

Mary (x) Garner

364 SHADRICK YELVINGTON 17 Jan. 1822 Prob. Feb. Ct. 1824
Wife FENNELOPE - Whole of property during natural life or widowhood. After death
of wife, property to be divided equal between children : LEVI YELVINGTON, ELIE
YELVINGTON, ASA YELVINGTON & SNATH? WILKINSON.
Son LEVI - To have care of Mother.
Exec: Levi Yelvington.
Wit: S. Barnes, G. Grice, N^m. Whitley, Jr.

Shadrick (S) Yelvington

Daughter ARPEY - Livestock; furniture. Daughter CHARITY - Stock at John Hales.
Brother CHARLES BRYANT - Cattle at Dick Edward's place.
Remaining estate to be sold and money divided equal between wife & children.
Exec: William Hinton, Charles Bryant, Charity Bryant.
Wit: Ben. Bryant, Aice Bryant, Elizabeth Page.

Robert Bryant

768 JOSHUA WILKERSON (WILKINSON) 27 Apr. 1761 Prob. July Ct. 1761
Wife ALBECNAS - Remaining personal estate not mentioned, during lifetime, then
to be divided equal between CHARLES & BENJAMIN WILKERSON, at her death.
Son JAMES - 1 Shilling.
Grandson JAMES WILKERSON - 1 Horse.
Exec: Charles Wilkerson, Benjamin Wilkerson.
Wit: (Court Minutes, July 1761 - Wit: Samuel Holliman, John Salter. Name is
spelled WILKINSON in Court Minutes)

Joshua Wilkerson

769 JOHN MONK 12 Sept. 1860 Prob. Oct. Ct. 1761
Wife MARY - All moveable estate.
Son JONATHAN - 200 ac. Land.
Exec: Mary Monk, Jonathan Monk.
Wit: James (O) Olive, Josiah (x) Cato Carter, William Balsover.

John Monk

770 JOHN WHITLIFF (WHITLEY) (no date) Prob. Oct. 1761
JOSEPH BOON - 100 ac. Land in the Islands.) 500 ac. Land in the Islands.
Son JOHN - 200 ac. Land in the Islands.) (The Islands are located in the
Son NEEDHAM - 200 ac. Land in the Islands.) Neuse River in Southern Johnston Co.
Son JOHN - Manor plantation where I now live; 350 ac. adjoining land; Negroes
Primus, Phillis & Seasor.
Son NEEDHAM - 1 Tract of land on Spoil Cunny Ck. joining Tolar. 100 ac.; Negroes
Ned, Dick & Jenny.
Daughter FEREBY - Household furniture; livestock; 20 Shillings for care of Negro.
Daughter JERUSHA - Household furniture; Livestock; 20 £ money.
Daughter DELILAH - 20 £ money. Daughter NANCY - 20 £ money.
Daughter HONOUR - 20 £ money. Grandchild HESTER BALLARD - 5 £ money.
Sons are to have 4 years schooling, daughters 1 year schooling.
Remainder of estate to be equally divided between 2 sons JOHN & NEEDHAM.
Exec: Benjamin Williams, Joseph Boon.
Wit: Nathan Gurley, Thomas (T) Whitliff, Henry Bulls.

John J. (x) Whitliff

(Court Minutes, Apr. 1764- Guardians appointed for DHOTY, HONOUR, ANNA, NEEDHAM
& JOHN WHITLEY, orphans of JOHN WHITLEY, dec. - Pg. 182)

772 ANDREW HARTSFIELD 13 Nov. 1761 Prob. Jan Ct. 1762
Wife SARAH - 1/3 of remaining moveable estate, not willed, during lifetime.
Son GODFREY - 1 Gun.) 2 Plantations to be divided equal between 3 sons.
Son RICHARD - 1 Gun.) GODFREY to have plantation where I live.
Son JOHN - 1 Gun) John to have plantation where Thomas Smith lives.
Son ANDREW - Livestock. Daughter REBECCA - 1 Horse.
2/3 of moveable estate to be divided equal between children: JACOB, MARY, SARAH,
ANDREW, BETTIE, REBECCA.
Exec: William Mackleroy, Jacob Hartsfield, Godfrey Hartsfield.
Wit: James Martin, Thos. Smith; Elizabeth (x) Cook.

Andrew (A) Hartsfield

Granddaughter MARY JERNIGAN - Negro Pherbe
Remaining estate to be equally divided at discretion of Exec. among all the children.

Exec: Lewis Jernigan, John Jernigan.
Wit: Willis Wiggins, John Faile, Joseph Sandefur.

Henry Jernigan (signed)

277 ELIZABETH JOHNSON 25 Apr. 1790 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1790
Son MOSES - 1 Shilling. Daughter POLLY - Livestock; 1 pr. cotton cards.
Son STERLING - 1 Shilling. Daughter SARAH - Livestock; 1 Flax wheel.
Daughter ELIZABETH - Livestock; 1 pr. Cotton cards.
Daughter REBECKAH - Livestock; 1 tub & churn.
Son HENRY (under age) - Livestock; 1 dutch oven.
Exec: Moses Johnson, son, Elizabeth Johnson, daughter.
Wit: John McCullers, Jr., James Woodall

Elizabeth Johnson

278 WILLIAM INGRAM 21 June 1771 Prob. Aug. Ct. 1771
Wife ELIZABETH - Plantation during lifetime or widowhood; 1 Negro Ceasor, and after death of wife to son JOSEPH.
Son SHADRACK - Bed & furniture.
Son JOSEPH - All land. If he die without heir, land to be equally divided among daughters HESTHER & POLLY; Negro Ceasor at death or marriage of wife.
Daughter HESTHER - Negro boy Led.
Daughter POLLY - Negro Hager.
Exec: Elizabeth Ingram, Joseph Ingram.
Wit: Benjamin Killingsworth, Benjamin Williams, Leonard (x) Musslewhite.

William Ingram.

280 RICHARD INGRAM 5 Dec. 1780 Prob. Feb. Ct. 1781
Wife ANNIE - Plantation and all personal estate during widowhood; Negroes Tom. Violet, Rachel & Penny; livestock.
Son JOHN - 75 ac. Land whereon he has a plantation; Negroes Ben & Tom.
Son ABNER - 1 Negro boy Toney.
Son WILLIAM - 200 ac. Land whereon he has a plantation; 75 ac. whereon I live; Negroes Boston & Violet.
Daughter PHERIBY - Negroes Nel & Phillis.
Daughter MARY LEE - Negroes Pen & Caleb.
Daughter ELIZABETH AVERA - Negroes Peter & Sally.
Daughter ZILPHIA AVERA - Negroes Tena & Rachel,
Remaining estate, after death of wife, to be divided equal among above mentioned children.
Exec: John Ingram, William Ingram.
Wit: William Avera, Sam. Avera, Shadrack Ingram.

Ric^h. (X_p) Ingram

282 JOSEPH GARNER 19 Jan. 1769 Prob. Aug. Ct. 1772
Daughter SARAH WHITLEY - 5 Shillings. Son WILLIAM - 5 Shillings.
Daughter PRUDENCE POWELL - 5 Shillings. Son JOSEPH - 5 Shillings.
Daughter ESTHER HONEYCUTT - 5 Shillings. Son JOHN - 5 Shillings.
Daughter CHARITY HONEYCUTT - 5 Shillings.
Son JACOB - 5 Shillings; all rights to a tract of land where he now lives on South side of Great Buffalo Swamp.
Son LAZERUS - All of tract of land & plantation where I live; remaining estate.
Exec: Lazerus Garner.
Wit: Ann Holloman, Charles Wilkerson, James Holloman.

Joseph Garner

JOHN CONNERLY 17 Oct. 1751 Prob. July Ct. 175
Wife KESIAH - The plantation she had at the time of marriage, 150 ac. (Survey)
Brother RICHARD JONES -)
STEPHEN HERRING -) Remainder of Survey? divided.
Son WILLIAM - 1 Mare & colt.)
Son CULLEN - 1 Colt.) 300 ac. Land equally divided.
Daughter PATIENCE CONNERLY - 1 Mare.
Exec: Anthony Herring.
Wit: Elizabeth Jones, Griffin Jones,

Jn^d. (S) Connerly

SARAH EASON 2 Mar. 1794 Prob. Sept. Ct. 1795
Eldest daughter ELIZABETH WOOD - Coat; 20 Shillings.
Daughter MARY ALLEN - Coat; 20 Shillings.
Grandson ASHLEY WOOD - 1 Gold Ring; 1 Note due me for \$71½ dollar, dated 30 Oct.
1790.
Son JOHN - Negroes Sal, Mine, Amy, Tim, Letty.
Exec: John Eason, David Bell.
Wit: David Bell, Isaac Kindace?, Thomas Lankford.

Sraah (x) Eason

RICHARD EDWARDS 6 Jan. 1762 Prob. Ppr. Ct. 1762
Wife MARY - Land & plantation where I now live, during widowhood, then to be sold
and equally divided between son SAMUEL & daughter MARY EDWARDS.
Livestock to be equally divided between wife & children.
Pewter ware to be divided equal between wife, SAMUEL & MARY EDWARDS.
Remaining household furnishings to wife.
Exec: Mary Edwards, Thomas Hollimon, Charles Wilkinson. *RZ*
Wit John Talton, Thomas (T) Whitley, Samuel Holliman.

Richard Edwards

JOHN FITZGARROLD 14 Aug. 1749 Prob. Sept. Ct. 1751
Wife ANNA - ½ of money from land.
Son-in-law Arthur PIERCE - Land in Edgecombe Co, on North side of Fishing Ck.,
to be sold & ½ money to ARTHUR PIERCE.
Son JOHN - 5 Shillings. Son THOMAS - 5 Shillings.
Wife - All remaining household furnishings & livestock.
Exec: Arthur Pierce, Rich^d. Pierce.
Wit: Rob^t. Butler, Anthony (A) Fulgum, Anne (A) Pierce.

John (x) Fitzgerrold

JOHN FORT 16 May 1748 Prob. June Ct. 1748
Mother MARY FORT - Use of Negro man during her natural life, then to brother
MOSES FORT. (Negro Simon - Will of father- JOHN FORT, D- Craven Co. 1745-Wife MARY)
Brother ARTHUR - 3 Cows & calves. Brother MOSES - 2 Horses
Remaining estate, land & livestock, to be divided between brothers DRURY & MOSES,
& sister JERUSHA FORT.
Exec: William Holmes, father-in-law, Drury Fort.
Wit: Robert Butler, John Pipkin, Jethro (x) Pipkin.

John Fort.

THOMAS GIDDINGS 13 July 1747 Prob. (no date)
Granddaughter ELIZABETH - My plantation & all lands belonging to it.
Son Jacob - Livestock. Son BENJAMIN - 1 Cow.
Son WILLIAM - 2 Pots. Son AMRAHAM - Livestock.
Son ISAAC - Bed; livestock.
Exec: (none named) Wit: Geo. (z) Dyches?, Tho^s. Grisard, Th. Lambertson.

Tho^s. P. (L) GIDDINS

349 JOHN SMITH, SR. 29 May 1813 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1813
Wife PATIENCE - All lands, livestock; household furnishings; tools, during her natural life or widowhood. Then to be divided equal between children herein mentioned: JOSHUA SMITH JANE SMITH ELIZABETH SIMS
JAMES SMITH LEWIS SMITH EDITH STRICKLAND
SAMUEL SMITH OBEDIENCE ALLEN IZABEL STRICKLAND
Exec: James Smith, son.
Wit: William Bryan, Asa Bryan.

John (I) Smith

352 JOHN HINTON, SR. 19 Mar. 1823 Prob. May Ct. 1823
Wife CHARLOTTE - 13 Negroes- Nead, Winney, Davy, Cain, Daniel, Lewis, Rias, Telay, Winney, Pallace, Kizzy, Leasey, Edney & their increase, during her lifetime or widowhood; Land & plantation where I now live; livestock & tools.
Son MATTHEW - Plantation where he now lives, until his son THEOPHOLUS HINTON comes of age, then I give to THEOPHOLUS the land I lent to son MATTHEW, land I bought from Daniel Tucker.
Grandson THEOPHOLUS - 2 Negroes, Fanny & May & their increase, in possession of son MATTHEW HINTON.
Son MATTHEW - \$5.00. Daughter CANDIS LEE -\$5.00
Daughter HARRIET COOPER - Negro Virget & her increase, then to Daughter of HARRIET.
Daughter BETSY HINTON - Negro Tilsey & her increase, furniture & saddle.
Daughter DELILAH HINTON- Negro Pallace & increase...
Daughter PATSY HINTON - Negro Viney & her increase.
Son WILLIS - All land & plantation where I now live, & 150 ac; Negroes Nead, Abel, Winty, Talton, Lewis, Kizzy, Edney & increase, after death of mother.
Son JOHN, JR. - Land & plantation where he lives & 100 ac. adjoining land ; Negro Ben; all notes I hold against him.
Son ISAAC - Land lying on West side of Joseph Hinton's line on Rocky Branch, and 150 ac. piney woods; 6 Negroes, after death of wife- Davy, Cain, Daniel, Sasy, Leacy & Rias.
Daughter MARY - Negro Tempy & her increase.
Exec. to sell remaining property not devised, and give money to wife and daughters BETSY, PATSY, DILILAH & MARY, divided equally between them.
Exec: Joseph Hinton, Isaac Hinton.
Wit: William Hinton, Charles A. Hood, Jesse (x) Ellington.

John Hinton, Sr.

355 FREDRICK HOLLEMON 25 Oct. 1823 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1823
PATSY HOLLOWAN, daughter of SETH HOLLOWAN - All real & personal estate, 300 ac. land where I live; 11 Negroes, Simon, Moses, Jim, Ban, Tom, Miley, Mourning. Rose. Charity, Ruffin & Abel; livestock; household furnighings, cash in hand; and all money from debts due to me.
Exec: Patsy Hollomon.
Wit J^o. Richardson, Jos. Hollimon.

Fredric Hollomon (signed)

356 GEORGE GULLEY 16 Sept. 1823 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1823
Wife ZILPHIA - Livestock; household furnishings; growing crops; Negroes, Sarah, Arthor, Jinna; Land, Low Ground Plantation, during her lifetime.
Son GEORGE STEVENSON GULLEY - Land on North side of Rocky Branch, after death of his mother; Negro Ollif: 1/2 blacksmith tools.
Son ROBERT NEWSON GULLEY - 1 Tract of land on North side of Neuse River joining Elias Barnes; Negro girl Edith; 1/2 blacksmith tools.
Daughter BETHANY HINNANT a Negro girl Zena & her increase; furniture & cattle.
Daughter BETSY PHILLIPS - 1 Negro woman Happer; furniture & cattle.

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299 NOEL RENFROW 14 Aug. 1817 Prob. Aug. Ct. 1819
 Wife CHARITY - Land & plantation where I now live; household furnishings, live-
 stock during life or widowhood, then to son WILLIE RENFROW.
 Son NOEL - 150 ac. Land; 20 Shillings. Daughter SARAH SANDERS - 10 Shillings.
 Son WILLIAM - 20 Shillings. Daughter PATIENCE BARRENS? - 20 Shillings.
 Son STEPHEN - 20 Shillings. Daughter PENELOPE BARRENS? - 20 Shillings.
 Son JAMES - 10 Shillings. Daughter EDITH FERRELL.- 10 Shillings.
 Son JOSIAH - Bed & Furniture; 20 Shillings.
 Daughter CHARITY - Bed & furniture; 20 Shillings.
 Daughter ZILPHIA - All working utensils.
 Remaining property not mentioned, to be sold and legacies paid. Remaining money to
 be for use of NOEL, JOSIAH, CHARITY, ZELPHIA & WILLIE RENFROW.
 Exec: Hardy Hinnant, William Renfrow, son.
 Wit.: Jesse Grice, Jesse Hinnant.

Noel (x) Renfrow

301 WILLIAM HOLLOWAN 16 Nov. 1817 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1819
 Son JESSE - All lands & plantation where I now live, and several tracts joining;
 1 Negro Ellek; plantation tools.
 Granddaughter ~~DEBORAH~~ BAILEY - \$50.00.
 Remaining estate to be sold, money due me to be collected; debts paid. Remaining
 money to be divided between 2 sons & daughter: JOSIAH & TOBIAS HOLLOWAN & ELIZA-
BETH BAILEY.
 Exec: Joseph Richardson.
 Wit: Fredrick Holloman, Barden Holliman.

William Holliman

302 JOHN WHITLEY 15 Sept. 1817 Prob. Nov. Ct. 1819
 wife ESTHER - Upper part of plantation where I now live. during widowhood or life;
 Negroes Primus, Treasey, Abba, Violet, Hardy, Abram; livestock; household furniture
 6 Windsor chairs; 6 Pewter plates; 6 Pewter Spoons; 1/2 tools.
 Brother NEEDHAM WHITLEY & 3 sons - \$70.00, out of sale of stock not mentioned - :
 Brother NEEDHAM WHITLEY - \$25.00 Nephew JESSE WHITLEY - \$10.00.
 Nephew KEDAR WHITLEY - \$20.00 Nephew WILLIAM WHITLEY - \$15.00.
 SARAH ATKINSON, wife of ELIAS ATKINSON - \$15.00, to build a house 14'x18' of logs,
 with a shingle roof.
 Negroes PHILLIS & MILY - free forever from bondage or servitude. Under care &
 protection of wife ESTHER & then son JOHN, JR.
 Negro Chena, to look after PHILLIS until her death.
 Negro Rhoda to look after MILY during her life, then to wife ESTHER or son JOHN, JR.
 All Negroes & property, after death of wife, to son JOHN, JR.
 Exec: Esther Whitley, Joseph Ingram, Sr., John Williams.

John (x) Whitley, Senr.

306 WILLIAM HATCHER 7 Aug. 1818 Prob. Feb. Ct. 1820
 Son BENJAMIN - 1 Cow & calf. Daughter MARY GARNER - 1 Cow & calf.
 Daughter MARTHA COCKRELL - 1 Mare. Daughter AVEY BRUER - Livestock.
 Daughter SALLY WOODARD - 1 Cow & calf. Daughter ELIZABETH FERRE - 20 Shillings.
 Daughter FRISSA GARNER'S Heirs - \$10.00 each.
 Son WILLIAM - Land & plantation where I live, 250 ac.; feather bed & furniture.
 Remaining property to be sold and money divided equally between BENJAMIN HATCHER,
 MARY GARNER, AVEY BRUER, SALLY WOODARD & WILLIAM HATCHER.
 Exec: Benjamin Hatcher, William Hatcher, sons.
 Wit: Cha^s. Wilkerson, Moses (x) Garner.

William (x) Hatcher

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PLEASANT BATTEN

15 Feb. 1865 prob. Feb. ct. 1865

Wife LUCINDA - All tract of land on which I now live & belonging to me, not devised to children.

Son RANSOM - Tract of land joining home tract and lands of Asa Talton, 133 ac., in fee simple, if son returns from Confederate Army. Otherwise to be equally divided among all living heirs.

Son WESLEY - 150 ac. from the Hamilton tract joining Levi Batten, dec'd. If son dies without issue, to be equally divided among my heirs; horse or \$75.00.

Daughter CATHRINE BATTEN - Bed & furnishings.

Son WILLIAM BATTEN - Already given \$100.00 in land & livestock.

Daughter DOLLY BATTEN - Already given household furnishings & stock.

Daughter MARTHA, wife of John Batten - Already given stock & furn.

Daughter NANCY, wife of Larkin Brown - Already given stock & furn.

Son RICHARD - Already given livestock.

Son LEVI - Livestock & 100 ac. land advancement is equal to above share

PLEASANT G. WARD, son of EMILY WARD - All real & personal property given to wife, after her death.

Exec: Jesse Parker.

Wit: Willie H. Wellons, C. F. Gerold.

his Pleasant (M) Batten mark

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DAVID BAYLEY (BAILEY)

16 Oct. 1846 prob. May ct. 1853

Wife TEMPE - 140 ac. including plantation where I now live, during her life, then to daughter DILSEY HOLLEMAN; livestock.

Daughter DILSEY HOLLEMAN - Negro Cherry; 1 mare after death of wife.

Daughter ELIZABETH - 1 horse after death of wife.

Son HANDY - Livestock, after death of wife.

Son JOHN C. - Negro Lettice, after he pays \$50.00 to daughter AMELIA PRIVET.

Daughter CHARITY NANNEN - Negro boy Gilbert, after she pays \$50.00 to daughter AMELIA PRIVET.

Daughter ELIZABETH JOHNSON - Plantation where she now lives, with exception of plantation during wife's lifetime, where GARRY JOHNSON lives.

50 ac. of land lying between Handy Baily & Gary Johnson to be sold & 1 tract joining Simon Godwin called Hawley place.

Remaining money to be divided between 4 daughters and son JOHN.

Remaining livestock to be sold to pay debts.

Exec: Simon Godwin.

Wit: Berry Godwin, Simon Godwin.

David (x) Bailey

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JOHN BEAL

3 Sept. 1835 prob. Nov. ct. 1835

Wife (not named) - All land in this county during life or widowhood; household furnishings; livestock; Negro Julia, and after her death, to Daughter LIDDIA.

Daughter LIDDIA - Negro boy Anderson.

Wife to have part with all legatees, equal.

Remaining property equally divided between all heirs & wife.

Exec: Wm. Hinton.

Wit: Jo. Broughton, J. G. Gully.

John (x) Beal

(Record of Estates- #58.501.18 pg. 145-Heirs: Wife EDNEY BEAL, JOHN MORRIS & wife ELIZABETH, BENJ. BOON & wife NANCY- 1836)

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JOHN BEDDINGFIELD

16 Nov. 1857 prob. May ct. 1858

Daughter ELIZABETH POOL & husband ANDERSON - All tract of land on

*M. JESSE
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JOSIAH HOLLOWOM

4 June 1842

prob. Feb. ct. 1845

Wife DILSEY - 650 ac. land including plantation where I live, during life or widowhood.

Son MANLEY HOLLOWOM - Land lent to wife, after her death. If he die without heirs, to daughter LUSENDY, CLARY & CLARKIN HOLLOWOM, Daughter CLARKIN - 50 ac. land joining Ben. Hollowom; livestock; furniture.

Daughter LUSENDY - Livestock & furniture.

Son MANLEY - Rifle gun & shot bag.

Remaining estate to be sold by executor and money equally divided between three daughters.

Exec: Josiah Houlder, Stephen O'Neal.

Wit: John Hardy, John Stansell.

Jos. Hollowom

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ETHELDRED HOLT

22 June 1847

prob. Aug. ct. 1847

Wife (not named) - Bed & furniture; livestock during life or widowhood.

Youngest son HENRY - Household furniture; negro Quilla & her son Anderson & future increase; Delia & increase, Harry; 1 gun.

Son JAMES - \$400.00.

Son JOHN - Household furnishings; livestock; negro boy Jerry.

Daughter SARAH STRICKLAND - Bed & furniture; negro Tamer; Aneca & increase; livestock already in her possession.

Son JOSEPH - Bed & furniture; livestock; negroes Phillis, Eliza & Matthew.

Son WILIE - Negro women Cherry, Hanner & their increase.

Children of deceased son JESSE - \$1.00.

Grand-son ETHELDRED HOLT -son of JESSE - \$75.00.

Mechanic tools & books to be divided among children WILLIE, JOHN, JOSEPH & HENRY.

Remaining estate to be sold at public auction and money equally divided among children HENRY, JOHN, SARAH, WILIE & JOSEPH.

Exec: Willie Holt, son; John Holt.

Wit: Daniel Finlayson, L. P. Bouldin, John Hollowell.

Etheldred Holt, Sr.

Codicil - Negro girl Eliza and increase & \$250.00, part of property to son JOSEPH HOLT, I make null & void.

Wit: Daniel Finlayson, John Hollowell.

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JAMES HOLT, SR.

6 Mar. 1843

prob. May ct. 1844

Grand-children to divide estate equally, Negroes Alfred & wife Milly; property & money, viz:

JESSE HOLT

JOSEPH HOLT

SALLY HOLT

WILIE HOLT

HENRY HOLT

NANCY HOLT

JAMES HOLT, JR.

ELBERT HOLT

RAMSOM HOLT

CALVIN HOLT

DANIEL HOLT

SOPHIA HOLT HOLLOWELL, wife of Thomas T. Hollowell.

Exec: Etheldred Holt & Grand-son Jesse Holt.

Wit: F. Phillips, Reden Raiford, John Edwards.

James (x) Holt, Sr.

Will was reaffirmed, 18 May 1843- Wit. D. Whitley, Reden Raiford, Z. Edwards.

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WILLIAM HUDSON

15 Feb. 1864

prob. Aug. ct. 1865

Wife CAROLINE - All land; household furniture; tools; livestock; one years support of crops; during life or widowhood.