## Will, NC, Edgecombe, Faithey Bryant 1803

In the name of God Amen.

I **FAITHEY BRYANT** of the county of Edgecombe and state of North Carolina being weak in body yet of perfect mind memory and understanding, thanks be to God for the same, and knowing it is once appointed for man to die & c., I do hereby constitute and make my last will and testament, desiring it may be received by all as such.

First I recommend my soul to God who gave it and my body to the dust to be buried in a decent Christian like manner and as touching my worldly Goods which it has pleased God to bless me with I desire to leave as follows viz.

First I give to my daughter **POLLY** [**BRYANT**] **CLARK** a note of hand which I have against **JESSE CLARK**.

Secondly I give to my granddaughter CHARLOTTE CLARK one hat and one heifer.

Thirdly I give to my granddaughter **DELILAH JONES** one feather bed and furniture.

Fourthly I give to my daughter and **NANCY [BRYANT] JONES** the residue of my estate in full which I have not already given away to them and their heirs forever.

And I do hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend **JESSE JONES** the whole and sole executor of my last will and testament utterly revoking all others by me heretofore made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and fixed my seal this 12th day of October in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and three.

FAITHEY BRYANT {seal her X mark}

Signed sealed & c. in presence of

EXUM LEWIS
HANNAH JONES {her X mark}

Edgecombe County

May Court 1804

The within last will and testament of **FAITHEY BRYANT** deceased was exhibited for probate and proven by **EXUM LEWIS** a subscribing witness there too and the executor there in named at the same time qualified ordered that the same be certified and the wheel recorded.

Test E. HALL, CC

FAITHEY BRYANT

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