

HOBBY, Jacob

1758

EDGEcombe



SHAW-WALKER

Third Cut #9203R

North Carolina
To all Christian people whom the Spirit
shall come blessing know that I
Jacob Hobb of Edgecombe county plant
do make and ordain this my Last will and
Testament being sick of body but of sound
mind and perfect memory in manner
following in the Name of God Amen
first I give my spirit to God who gave
it and when he shall call me hence and
my body to be buried in the Earth in
Christian manner and as for what worldly
goods it hath pleased God to bless me
with I give and bequath in manner
following

Item I give and bequath unto my beloved
Son Matthew Hobb the plantation where
I now dwell and all my Land -
Item I give and bequath to my beloved daughter
Rhoda Hobb two cows and calves
Item I give and bequath unto my beloved
daughter Sarah Hobb two cows and calves
Item I give and bequath unto my beloved
daughter Francis Hobb two cows and calves
Carried over.

I do give and bequeath my Negro Boy named
Bob to be sold in the year of our Lord one
thousand seven hundred and seventy by
my Executors and the money arising by
the sale to be equally divided by my Execs
amongst my three daughters above
named

I do give and bequeath unto my dear wife
Dominia Hobbs all the remaining
part of my Estate of whatsoever kind
it be and I ordain and constitute my
said wife and John Baker Executors of
this my Last will and Testament in
witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this twenty second day of
January in the year of our Lord one
thousand seven hundred and fifty eight
in presence of us signed sealed published
and delivered

Test Andrew Prince Jacob Hobbs
Bracewell Bridges
Joseph Kelley Junr

Co. Qualifed

Essex County

September Court 1758

The within Will was in Open Court Exhibited on Oath by the Executor within named and proved by the Oath of Joseph Shelley an Evidence and at the same Time the Executors within Named Were Qualified according to Law Which on Motion was ordered to be Registered

Test

J. Montfort. Sur

Attest

Essex County