

Will, NC, Northampton, Dempsey Winborne 1816

In the name of God, Amen.

I **DEMPSEY WINBORNE** of the county of Northampton and state of North Carolina being in my perfect senses, do you make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following, to wit:

ITEM I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife **PHEREBY WINBORNE** my Negro woman **NANCY**, one feather bed and Furniture, one bay horse, on riding chair and harness and one side saddle.

ITEM I give and bequeath unto my son **LEMUEL WINBORNE** the following Negroes, to wit: my Negro Boy **GEORGE** and Negro girl **MARIA**: also one feather bed and furniture and one sorrel horse to him and his heirs forever, provided however that should the said **LEMUEL** die without lawful issue, the property bequeathed to him is to returned my lawful issue.

ITEM I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife **PHEREBY WINBORNE** until the expiration of her life or widowhood all the rest of my property except so much as may be sufficient for the payment of my lawful debts.

ITEM at the death or marriage of my wife **PHEREBY** I give and bequeath unto my four children **GUILFORD [WINBORNE]**, **HENRY [WINBORNE]**, **WILLIAM [WINBORNE]**, and **RHEESA WINBORNE** all the property Lenten to my wife, as aforesaid, to be equally divided among them, to them and their heirs forever.

LASTLY I nominate and appoint my friend **WILLIAM GOORLEY [GOURLAY]** and **RICHARD WHITAKER** whole and soul Executives of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of January 1816.

DEMPSEY WINBOURNE

Signed sealed and presence of us and each of us the date above written

ROBERT SHERROD

WILLIAM WEBB

POLLY BRAZILL {her x mark}

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I **DEMPSEY WINBORNE** and mature consideration, do think proper to amend the for going well and Manner and form following to wit:

For whereas by the second item inside will I have bequeathed to my son **LEMUEL WINBORNE** certain property specified and said item, with reservation that should he die without lawful issue the property so bequeathed should return to my proper and legal heirs. Now it is my will and desire the said **LEMUEL WINBORNE** should enjoy the said property in fee simple to him and his heirs forever without any reservation whatsoever.

Witness my hand and seal the 17th day of January 1816

DEMPSEY WINBORNE

Signed and sealed in the presence of us

**ROBERT SHERROD
WILLIAM WINBORNE
RICHARD HARRISON**

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Northampton
March Court 1816

This will of **DEMPSEY WINBORNE** deceased was proved by the oaths of **ROBERT SHERROD** and **WILLIAM WEBB** and the coat isil was proven by **ROBERT SHERROD** all of which was ordered ordered to be recorded

Test

J. C. HARRISON Clerk

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DEMPSEY WINBOURNE will
March 1816

Recorded **TOM HUGHES**

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