

CHOWAN (24)



STAW-WALKER

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In the name of God Amen I the twenty one day 1730 I John Hinton of the County of Albemarle and present of Chincote in North Carolina being very sick and weak in body out of sense and perfect memory blessed be Almighty God for it and calling to remembrance the uncertain estate of this transitory life and that all flesh must yeare and death when it shall please God to call doe make ordaine and declare this my last will and testament in manner and forme following (that is to say) first being penitent and sorry from the bottom of my heart for all my sins past humbly begging pardon for the same I commit my soule to Almighty God that gave it me in sure and certaine hope of the resurrection at the last day by Jesus Christ and my body to be buried in such decent manner as shall please my executor hereafter named to appoint; and secondly making null and void by this my word or writing and this to be taken for my last will and testament and none other and thirdly my will and pleasure is that all such debts that I owe in right or conscience to any person or persons what so ever be fully contented and paid in convenient time after my decease by my executor hereafter named and none as touching such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to far beyond my deserts to bestow upon me I give and dispose of the same in manner and forme following

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son Hardy Hinton my plantation by the Honey pott Swamp with two hundred acres of land more or less adjoyning to it beginning at a sycamore stump where I formerly gott boards and running thence a cross to Graces pught road and then a Long the road to the head line and then to the first station and I also give to my afore said son my negro boy called guy and five Cows and five Calves and four horses and pigs all to be delivered to him when he comes to the age of eight years old and also fifteen pound silver money of Virginia and also the horse that is commonly called my horse and also my long gun all and every of the articles above written I say to him and his heirs for ever

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son John Hinton one hundred and fifty acres of land more or less beginning at the sycamore stump above mentioned and running thence down the honey pott Swamp to the white pott branch and then up the branch to the head line and so adjoyning upon his brother's land before mentioned to the first station and I also give my afore said son John Hinton my negro boy called mingo and five Cows and five Calves and four horses and pigs all to and every of the above articles to be delivered to him when he comes to the age of eighteen years old and also my long gun and fifteen pound silver money of Virginia all and every of the articles above mentioned I say to him and his heirs for ever

I give and bequeath to my well beloved son William Hinton all the remainder piece of my land before mentioned lying on the east side of the honey pott and white pott Swamp be it one hundred and fifty acres more or less and I also give my afore said son William Hinton my negro girl called Penny and five Cows and five Calves and four horses and pigs and a young horse of two or three years old and my long gun all and every of the articles above written to be delivered to him when he comes to the age of eighteen years old and also fifteen pound silver money of Virginia all and every of the articles above mentioned I say to him and his heirs for ever

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son Mallice Hinton the plantation where on I now live with the land belonging to it and also my negro girl called Dinah and five Cows and five Calves and four horses and pigs and ten pound current silver money of Virginia all and every of the articles above mentioned to be delivered to him when he comes to the age of eighteen years old and then I say to him and his heirs for ever

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved sons Hardy John William and Mallice Hinton all my tools belonging to the carpenters cooper and shoemakers trades to be equally divided amongst the four sons before mentioned and my will and pleasure is that my son John Hinton have a young horse of about two or three years old delivered to him when he receives the cattle and other goods above mentioned and then I say to him and them and their heirs for ever

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved Sister Ann Hinton one feather bed with one rug one flax kett and one pair of coarse shoes with the rest that she hath all ready received I say to her and her heirs for ever

I leave my well beloved wife Mary Hinton the use of all the rest of my personall estate dur-
 ing the time of her widowhood and at the change of her condition either by death or marriage which
 shall first happen to be equally divided between my children to wit Mary, David, Isaac, Ab-
 raham, Sarah, Parity, Harry, John, William and Elizabeth Hinton and my will and pleasure is that
 if the change should happen by marriage that my wife shall have an equal part with my
 children before mentioned and so I say to them and their heirs for ever
 Lastly I nominate appoint and ordain my well beloved wife Mary Hinton and my well beloved son
 David Hinton and my trusty and well beloved brother William Hinton to be my whole and
 lawful execut^{rs} to see this my last will and testament duly executed according to Law and
 further my will and pleasure is that my well beloved brother William Hinton be an overseer
 and trustee over my sons before mentioned in witness whereof I have hereunto set my
 hand and fixed my seal the day and years first written

Signed sealed declared and
 pronounced in the presence of us
 James Hinton
 Joseph & Ashley Jun^r Jurat
 marks
 Tho. Bowntree Jurat

John Hinton
 marks

Cowan & Co. October Court 1732.
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The above Will was proved in Open Court by
 the Oaths of Joseph Ashley Jun^r & Thomas
 Bowntree Jurats thereto in due form of
 Law

John Hinton
 Will

Dec^d granted 25th April
 1732
 R. H. S.

John Hinton test
 last will and testament