

John Hyma
John Burnick
Jamm. Bond

Martin County, Va. April Court 1774 then the above Instrument of writing was proved by the oath of John Burnick a notary then and on motion ordered to be recorded

State of North Carolina

In the name of God amen I Thomas Hymon of the County of Halifax in the province of N. C. being sick and weak of Body but of sound and perfect mind & memory thanks be to god & calling to mind the mortality of mankind and knowing it is appointed for all men once to Die do make ordain constitute and appoint this my last will and testament in manner and form following (To wit) First, I leave unto my well beloved wife Elizabeth Hymon the use of my House and third part of Land & tenements joining during her natural life, Item I give and bequeath to my said loving wife Elizabeth Hymon her heirs or assigns my Gray mare one Feather Bed and Furniture Twelve head of Cattle Two Iron Pots one Hayrick Two one Broad Baker one chest one Table Two wheels and the use of my negro woman Lucy During her widowhood. Item I Give and bequeath to my son John Hymon his heirs or assigns my Plantation and part of the Land as far as the middle of the Ridge between the upper pasture of Benjamin Singelton this being the Land and plantation that I purchased of Newham Boyant. Item I Give and bequeath to my son Thomas Hymon his heirs or assigns my Land and plantation whereon I now live. Item I Give & Bequeath to my son Huse Hymon his heirs or assigns the Land plantation that I purchased of Jeph. Boyant. Item I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Susan Hymon her heirs or assigns my negro boy Solomon. Item I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Hymon her heirs or assigns my negro girl Quaker. Item I Give and bequeath to my son William Hymon his heirs or assigns the Remainder part of the Land

that I had of Newham Boyant from the middle of the Ridge between the upper pasture and Benjamin Singelton the whole of Land above that Ridge. Item, I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Brown her heirs or assigns my negro woman Lucy after my wife Elizabeth Hymon widowhood. Item, my Land and plantation that lies in Swell County near poplar point William Bruce is to have if he pays the money by the first day of January and my Executors will make him a title of the money and paid by the time mentioned the said Land and plantation to be sold at public sale to the highest bidder the said price is to Give seventy pounds good money and the money is to be let out on Interest. Item, I Give and bequeath the use of my whole Estate consisting of Every kind whatsoever that is not herein before mentioned or given in Legacies to my said wife Elizabeth Hymon During her widowhood and at her death the whole of it to Equally be Divided between all my Children Assuming that my Executor herein after named is to pay my just debts out of the said Remainder of my Estate. Item Lastly I nominate constitute and appoint my Brother William Hymon and my Friend Arthur Borden Executors of this my last will and testament hereby Revoking and disannulling all other heretofore by me made In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal 9th day of September 1773

Thomas Hymon

signed sealed published and
acknowledged by the said Thomas
Hymon to be his last will &
testament in presence of us

Isab. Leonard Miggins
Sarah Hymon
Blake B. Miggins

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