

time that Julia comes to thirteen years of age for the sup-
port of my least children.

Fifthly - I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Anna Lurry one
negro girl by the name of Rose to her & her heirs forever -
Also I give & bequeath to the child that my wife is now with
child with, one feather bed & furniture - Also I give & bequeath
to my beloved wife her lawful part of my moveable property
after my just debts being paid -

Sixthly I give & bequeath to my five youngest children viz. Nathan,
Polly, Nancy & Sally & Julia the remaining part of my moveable
property after my wife takes her lawful part to be equally
divided between them at Julia coming to thirteen years of age.

Also. I make & appoint my son Demsey Lurry and Eian Lurry
senr & Eian Lurry Junr Executors & Executors to this my
last will & Testament -
Signed, Sealed & delivered in
presence of us.

John L. Lurry

Jess Barnard

Nathan Lurry

Camden County Court - February Term 1827.

The last will & Testament of Jno Lurry dec^d was exhibited
in open Court and proved by the oath of Jess Barnard a sub-
scribing witness thereto in due form of Law. And Demsey
Lurry one of the Executors therein named appeared and
Qualified as Executor thereto - Ordered that letters Testamentary
issue.
Teste. M. S. Lewis Clk

In the name of God Amen I Franky Capts of the County
of Camden State of North Carolina being of sound mind & memory
blessed be God for the same do this 30 day of January
in the year of our Lord 1827 make and publish this my last
will & Testament in manner & form following that is to say
I give & bequeath unto my friend Samuel Wilkins at whose house
I live all my right title and Interest which I have to an
undivided tract of land lying in Currituck County, which
land formerly belonged to Peter Moss and adjoins the
lands of Joseph Dozier Esq^r & the lands which formerly
belonged to Richard Dozier & lies near Camels creek, and

contains as is supposed about fifty acres - Also all my part
right title & Interest which I have unto an undivided tract
of land lying in this County (Camden) which tract formerly
belonged to Eian Stanley & lies near where Philip Stanley
lived - also one pine stand.

I give and bequeath unto Mrs Lydia Wilkins half dozen
China cups & saucers -

I give and bequeath unto Edward Wilkins (son of Samuel
Wilkins) 1 Drunk -

Signed & Sealed with the presence of Franky ^{his} Capts. ^{Teste}
Demsey Grandy
Malachi Saville.

State of North Carolina
Camden County February Term 1827.

This was proved as the last will & Testament of Franky
Capts dec^d by the oath of Malachi Saville one of the sub-
scribing witnesses thereto - Ordered to be Recorded

Teste. M. S. Lewis Clk

In the name of God Amen. I Thomas Gordon of Camden
County in the State of North Carolina Merchant, being sound
of mind and in good bodily health at the present period, but well
aware of the uncertainty of this life do make and ordain this my
last will and Testament -

1st I give and bequeath to my son Alexander the plantation on Arden
creek on which I built a store, with all appurtenances
thereunto belonging also four hundred dollars in good promissory
notes.

2^d I give and bequeath to my daughter Eleanor, the sum of one
Thousand dollars in good promissory notes - also negro girl Betty -

3^d I give and bequeath to my daughter Hester, One thousand dollars
in good promissory notes, also negro boy Lindsay -

4th Should the promissory notes and Cash remaining after my
decease be found insufficient to fulfill these bequests it is my
will that the deficiency be made up out of the remaining part of
either my personal or real property, as my Executors may consider
most beneficial to the concerned -

5th To my dearly beloved wife Fanny Gordon and those children I have

had by her, namely Thomas Samuel Edward Gilbert George William Anne and Francis, as also whatever other children I may have by her. I give and bequeath the remainder of my property, be it of what nature or kind soever, say my remaining Land Estate both in this State and Virginia - Chattel property of every description, remaining money notes and other securities for money, Stock of Goods on hand or any other kind of property which I may hold at the time of my death, on the proviso, that whatever debts I owe be paid out of this bequest - This bequest is made under a strong conviction of the extreme love which my wife has for her children and that while she lives their interests will be a paramount consideration with her, and as they come of age or get settled in the world she will hand over to them a distributive share of this bequest retaining in her own hands a comfortable subsistence, and at her death whatever remain of said bequest to be equally divided between her said children or the survivors of them -

6. I do hereby appoint my wife Fanny Gordon and my son Alexander Gordon joint Executors & Executor of this my last will & testament revoking & annulling all hitherto made giving & granting unto my said Executors & Executor full power and authority to sell or otherwise dispose of such part of my real and personal property as the interest of my children to clothe, Educate or forward their future interests in life in the opinion of my said Executors & Executor may require -
7. With respect to my funeral my desire is, for it to be performed in the plainest manner & to be put in the ground on the plantation where I now reside - In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal 5. day of July, 1826.

Thomas Gordon *(Signature)*

Camden Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions of the County of Camden. February Term 1827.

The foregoing last Will & Testament of Thomas Gordon deceased was offered for probate and the following person being duly sworn deponee that they believe the foregoing last Will & Testament and every part thereof to be in the

Hand writing of Tho. Gordon - (signed J. L. Bailey -
(or) W. J. Lewis -
(or) J. Morgan -
(or) J. G. Lamb.)

George Seiber being duly sworn deponee that the foregoing paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Thomas Gordon deceased was found amongst his valuable papers.

Signed Geo. Seiber
Fanny Gordon and Alexander Gordon the Executors & Executor named in the foregoing last Will and Testament of Thomas Gordon deceased appeared & qualified in open Court as Executors & Executor thereof - Ordered that this last Testamentary issue & that the will be recorded.

Test. W. J. Lewis Clerk.

In the name of God Amen I Sarah Ogden of Camden County & State of North Carolina being of sound & perfect mind & memory (blessed be God) do this the 10. day of December in the year of our Lord 1826 make & publish this my last will & testament in manner & form following (viz) -

Item 1. I give & bequeath to my grand daughter Sarah Keaton one bed & necessary furniture & one large trunk with all my wearing apparel forever.

Item 2. I give & bequeath to my grand son Saml. Keaton one hundred Dollars in note to be kept & deposited in the hands of my executor to be dealt out to my said grand son or his father Zachariah in case of sickness, or any accident as my executor may think proper.

Item 3. I give to my grand son Raynold Keaton forty dollars in note to be put on interest for him till he may come of age - I also give to my son Thomas G. Keaton one note against himself of three dollars.

Item 4. I give & bequeath to my son Dennis Keaton one bedstead & all its furniture, two chests one note of \$100.00 one roof of \$280 & all the balance of my Estate in doors & out of doors of every kind after paying all my just debts & funeral expenses. I do hereby ordain & appoint my brother Raynold S. Bell executor to this my last will & testament in witness whereof I