

Item 9th I now give and bequeath to Betha Ann Horton and Julia Ann Horton daughters of my wife Decilew all the residue of my property both real and personal that I have not heretofore given away, or directed to be disposed of to be equally divided between them and should either of them die leaving no bodily heir I direct that the surviving sister shall have the whole of said residue, and in case both die leaving no bodily heir I desire that the said property given to them shall be equally divided between Joseph P. Casati Thomas P. Casati Rebecca Ann Casati children of John Casati dec^d. And Mary Smith daughter of Rebecca Smith.

Item 10th And lastly I do hereby appoint my trusty friend Thomas Bell my Executor to execute this my last will & Testament and settling all other made by me. In witness whereunto I set my hand and seal the 18th day of December A.D. One thousand eight hundred & Forty eight.

Witness

Simon Upchurch
Moses Upchurch

Bernette Casati dec^d

Chatham County February Term 1849
This certifies that the foregoing last will & Testament of Bernette Casati dec^d was proven in open court by the oaths of Simon Upchurch & Moses Upchurch the subscribing witnesses thereto & recorded, whereupon Thomas Bell the Executor therein named appeared in open court & renounced his right to qualify as such.

Teste J. A. Newman C. C.

I do the name of God Amen I William M. Barham of the County of Chatham & State of North Carolina, Being in a declining state of health but of sound mind & disposing memory, do hereby & ordain this my last will & Testament in form & manner as follows, to-wit:

First I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that governs & my body to the earth to be buried as a Christian man, and teaching such worldly goods as it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow on me, I give & dispose of the same in the following manner. Item first I direct my Executor to pay all my just debts & funeral expenses to-

Item 2nd I leave unto my dearly beloved wife Nancy Barham all my lands and tenements with all its improvements & every crop of every kind together with all my stock of provisions on hand also all my negroes and then increase with the exception of my negro Salus, which I leave to be sold to the highest bidder and the money applied to the payment of my debts & what remains to be put to interest, or buy some useful property for the benefit of my wife and children also all my stock of horses, cattle & hogs & sheep to all my most debts during her natural life or widowhood & should she see fit or think proper to marry to have an equal share of all the property with my children as the law directs as she had and intestate. Item 3rd I leave at the death of my wife for all my Estate of every kind at the death of my wife to be equally divided among all my children making Sabell an equal heir with the rest of the children (though being born out of wedlock) I also desire if any of my children (including Sabell with the rest) should marry and settle off if there should be any part of my property that my wife could spare; to help her children, keep an account of the same, as I would if I were alive, so at the division of my property every one may be made equal, and my children all to be raised without expense on more than the rest. And I do appoint my worthy & trusty friend Russell Collins to be whole & sole Executor of this my last will & Testament & I do hereby revoke and disannul all other wills here before made by me In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 22nd of December A.D. 1848 signed sealed and executed in the presence of us Thomas Regland James S. Battle

Chatham County February Term 1849
This certifies that the foregoing last will & Testament of the said Wm. M. Barham was proven in open court by the oaths of Thos. Regland & James S. Battle the subscribing witnesses thereto & recorded, whereupon Russell Collins the Executor therein named appeared in open court & duly qualified.

Teste J. A. Newman C. C.