

At the name of Jesus Christ I renounce the power of the enemy of Conscience of Flesh & Man
Ordains being weak of body but of power respecting mine I may say I be the Almighty
God for it, I now make known this my last will & testament as followeth first
that is to say, I recommend my soul to almighty God that gave it me my body
to be decaying buried in a place where it should please my Creator to keep the same
But as to what Estate it hath been pleased God to bestow on I give & dispose in
manner as followeth.

Now I wish to write my son about the land of plantation where snow birds containing
fifty acres more or less to have of his line forever.

I also give to my S. son Joseph, severally one piece of Land and extry buying the 2^d.
Land I now give upon to him, this being given.

I also give to my p. son Isaac my negro boy calls Charles to him I his husband
I also give to my p. son Isaac one hand mill thought of Solomon Jarrow told me

Dear Sarah I have some feathers of my black hen called Tanager from last year which
has very beautiful blue & yellow feathers. I have also some from a blackbird from my
pott's his choice of them to have and his love forever.

12. *My wigwagath unto my daughter Uphan one negro woman Rose of
her child she is now big with to her and her former I also give to my af-
frightful Uphan. One cow yeaves from feather bed of brother I give white
one blackish from my gone Iron pot the most chain from living wheel which
is call'd here to her and she shall forever.*

then I give to my two Daughters Sophia & Lenner my side saddle & my Lovers Fall the
hacking belonging to it to be equally divided between them to them when they

I have frequently sold to my daughter Leann my Negro girl called Helen. I have
I have her forever sold to me by my said daughter Leann one feather bed & flower
two sets one blanket & my said ~~and~~ Helen some of colors her choice some more
cash called flower to her & her heirs forever I also gave to my daughter Leann
thirty pounds in hand money silver dollars at Eight shillings on the pound
thereof in other coin to be raised out of my estate to her and heirs forever

I also give to my daughter Leanne one from both the next choice from Linns natural
which is commonly called hair to hair of her hair forever. - I also give to my
daughter Ephraim one from both to her and her line forever -

I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Sarah Simmons my Negro man Samuel
 to her and her heirs forever. I also give to my Daughter Sarah Simmons one bed and
 patch garments as in her possession from down both that is in her possession. I also
 cover & calve to her and her heirs forever. I also give to my Daughter Sarah Simmons
 one side saddle which she has in her possession to her and her heirs forever.
 I also give unto my son David four stacks of beer he first shown to him and
 his heirs forever. But after all my lawful debts & charges of settling my Estate is
 paid, I give the remainder of my personal estate which is not
 to be mentioned in this will to be equally divided between my daughters.
 I wit, William Elbridge, Charles Simmons, James Elbridge to them their heirs &c.

Yours affectionate son
John Biggs

I also constitute & appoint my law friend Ebenezer Phelps as my attorney
 & executor of this my last Will & Testament to see all my business settled according to the
 my last will in the law shall require - as Witness my hand & face this 27th day
 of February Anno Dom. 1822

signed and delivered in presence
in the presence of - - - }

Willis Ethington
 (Amos Ethington's son)
 Amos Ethington (bro.)

Received of
 Thomas Glavin this 24th July 1882
 £100

In the name of God Amen, I Elijah Nelson of Connecticut County N.Y. do hereby
perpetuate and memory sleep to be had at this 20th day of May in the year of our
lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six my last will & testament in manner following
to wit I give and bequeath all my whole Estate to be Equally divided
my brother Thomas Nelson John Nelson And hereby make and declare my
worthy friend Thomas Nelson Joseph Smith Executors of this my last will
Testament in witness whereof I have signed my hand and placed my seal this 20th day of May
in the year of our lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six

The Debtor as his last will & Testament in the presence of
us who were present at the time of signing & sealing
thereof

John Bennett
John Bennett Jurat

Received of Cash this 27th day of July 1878
Edw. H. Bennett Secy

In the name of God Amen. William Gibbons of Dorchester being
very sick and weak in body, but of perfect mind and memory, thanks be
unto God, calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed
for all men once to die, do make certain this my last Will & Testament that it shall
be, principally & first of all I give & recommend my soul into the hand of
Almighty God that gave it & my body to the Earth to be buried in a decent
Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at
the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the power of Him that
God has touching such worldly Estate whom with it has pleased God to visit me
in this life I give and dispose of the same in the following manner, I give
give and bequeath to my son Wm. Gibbons my plantation whereon

beginning at Peter Paricks line and running west half way
between my fence and Jean Thommas fence with a shale coat to my other
side to him and his caryes and affiges forever, And Give and bequeath to my
son John Gibbens the plantation which my sister Jean Thommas lives from
the line of his brothers line bending on Benjamin Evens line to him and his
caryes and affiges, forever, And Give to my well beloved wife Elisabeth Gibbens
all my lands and moveables Estate during her natural life or her widowhood
if then to be Equally divided between my two sons Elias And John and the
Lands to be rented out till they com of age, And I make for me & confirm
Spence Hall Sec & my brother John Gibbens sole & sole Executors at this my
last will Testament & I do hereby utterly disannul all and every other
former Testaments Wills by me signed till this twenty six day of July in
the year one thousand seven hundred & eighty two and also I delivered
in presents of us test

David Aydelott

W^m Written
Stephen Gibbens Jurat

Witnessed & Exam^d this 7th day of February 1883

William Gibbens fac seal

In the name of God Amen, John Thomson of Amherst county living in a
State of health full of perfect memory, thanks be to Almighty God for the same
do make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following
first aye principally I commend my soul into the hands of the Almighty
God hoping through the merits & death and passion of my saviour Jesus
Christ to have full and true pardon of all my sins and to inherit everlasting
life. And as touching disposing of such temporal Estate as I hath please
Almighty God to bestow upon me, I give and dispose of in the following manner
first my will and desire is that all my just debts be paid & discharged

Item I give and bequeath unto my son John Thomson the one half of my tract and
plantation it being the north & Easter end of said land & plantation which
I now live on to him and his heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath unto my son William Thomson the other half of my land &
plantation which I now live it being the south and West end of said plantation
to him and his heirs forever

Item my Will and desire is that my beloved wife have the use of all my perishable
Estate and land my son John not to be disturbed when he now lives during
her natural life or her widowhood but not to make master of any of the said Estate
willingly. If my Executors hereafter mentioned should see or discover that
my wife Mary Thomson should be making sale of any of my Estate lands
to anybody it or to keep the same from any of my children at her death
or marriage then for my Executors to take the Estate in their hands and
bestow it in the manner and form following which is my will that after
my wife Marys decease or death that my perishable Estate be equally divided

Between Elisabeth Thomson, Mary Thomson, Malachi Thomson, Thomas Thomson,
Jane Thomson, Martha Thomson, Lucy Thomson, Ephraim Thomson, and
my children to them and their heirs forever. I leave my son John Thomson
my whole and sole Executors of this my last will and Testament
Signed sealed pronounced, published and delivered in presence of
Deceased in the presence of

Jonah Nicholas Jurat
Killed Walker
Mary Thomson
Witnessed & Exam^d this 7th day of March 1883
John Thomson fac seal

In the Name of God Amen, Thomas Lee of the county of Amherst
living in sound mind & memory thanks be to Almighty God for the same
do therefore make & ordain this to be my last will & Testament in
manner and form following First I commend my
soul unto the hands of the Almighty God who gave it to me & my body
I give to the Earth from which it was taken to be buried in a Christian
like manner by or at the direction of my Executors & finally to be laid to rest
for my temporal Estate I dispose of as followeth

Impremis I give and bequeath unto my son Zephiah Lee & his heirs
of Land to him and his heirs forever, also one cow or calf or
my hunting gun also one acre or land to him or his heirs forever

Item I give to my son Lemmy Lee one cow or calf or one acre or land to him
to his heirs forever

Item I give to my son Thomas Lee one cow or calf and one acre or land
to him or his heirs forever

Item I give & bequeath unto my well beloved wife Lettische Lee all
things which does us without during her natural life & then
to be equally divided between my two sons Lemmy Lee and
Thomas Lee.

I also appoint my well beloved wife Lettische Lee & Richard Brent to be
my Executors of this last will & Testament. In Testimony whereof I
hereunto set my hand & seal this 26th day of April one thousand seven
hundred & eighty three, signed sealed pronounced & delivered in presence

of
Nathan Lee
Ephraim E. Dunge Jurat
Witnessed & Exam^d this 26th day of June 1883
Thomas Lee fac seal