

In the name of God Amen, Isaac Hamell son of Gates County and son
of Abott Carolina being of sound and perfect mind and memory
(blessed be God) do this twentieth day of March in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and five make and publish this my last
Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say First
my Will and desire is that all my just debts be first paid &
satisfied by my executor hereafter named. Item I give to my son
David Hamell five shillings Virginia currency as his full part
of my estate to him his heirs & assigns forever. Item I give to
my son Noah Hamell five shillings Virginia currency as his full part of
my estate to him his heirs & assigns forever. Item I give to my daughter
Leah Hinton five shillings Virginia currency as her full part of
my estate, to her her heirs & assigns forever. Item I give to my grand
son John Lewis, son of my daughter Leah Hinton one negro man
named Jack, to him his heirs and assigns forever. also my Will
& desire is that after my death the said Jack be hired out, & the
money rising for his hire be converted to schooling & raising the
John Lewis. Item I give to my son Isaac Hamell

currency, as her full part of my estate to her & her heirs & assigns forever.
Item I give to my daughter Rhodney Parker five shillings Virginia
currency as her full part of my estate to her & her heirs & assigns forever.
Item I give to my daughter Leonor Dure five shillings Virginia currency
as her full part of my estate to her & her heirs & assigns forever.
Item I give to my grand daughter Christian Jones five shilling Van-
ginia currency as her full part of my estate to her & her heirs & assigns
Item I give to my two grand children Abigail & Thomas Trotman children
of my daughter Christian Trotman, five shillings a piece Virginia
currency, as their full part of my estate to them & their heirs & assigns
forever. - Item I leave to my beloved Wife Judith Hamell, the use of my
negro woman named Moll, during her natural life and after her death
I give the said negro Moll to my son Isaac Hamell to him & his
heirs & assigns forever. - Also I leave to my said wife the use of
all my estate not already given so far as to afford her a
decent maintainance during her natural life or so long as
"Also my desire is that she act as mistress as she did in my
time & without interruption."

Then I give to my son Isaac Harrell, the tract of land I purchased of
David Laffiter, also the tract of land I purchased of Kella day
Walton to him his heirs & assigns forever. Also give to my son
Harrell the following negroes to wit: Delany, adder, Conney, Sam, Dutty,
Charles Jacob, James, Esther & Will, and their increase, also I give him
all the rest of my property, not all ready given befit of what nature
or kind soever, I say to him and his heirs and assigns forever.
And I hereby make and ordain my son Isaac Harrell executor of this my
last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof, I the said Isaac
Harrell do here to this my last will & Testament, set my hand
& seal, the day & year above written.

Signed, sealed, published & declared by the said Isaac Harrell
as the testator as his last will & Testament in the presence of us who
were present at the time of signing & sealing thereof

Chas W. Harvey Swat

John Granberry

Thos Hudgins

State of North Carolina

Isaac ^{his} Harrell sr. (seal)
mark

John Granberry
By Hudgins

Isaac ^{his} Hamrell ^{cc} ^{Seal}
mark

State of North Carolina

Gates County

2/5 November County Court of Pleas to 1885

The within and above will was exhibited into court by Isaac Hamrell
the executor therein appointed and was proved by the oath of John
W. Harvey required one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and on motion
was ordered to be recorded. At the same time the said executor came
into court and qualified himself for that office, and prayed
for letters testamentary thereon which was accordingly granted.

Teste L. Baker cc.

In the name of God Amen I Levi Eason of Gates County & State of North Carolina
being at this time in a weak state of body but of a sound mind and
memory and having a mind to dispose of this my worldly property
which it hath been pleased God to bless me with do make & ordain
this my last will and Testament in the following manner to wit
I give and bequeath to my loving Wife Grace Eason the sum