

200. In the name of God, Amen

I William Gilbert Gray jun^r of Jones County & State of Georgia
being weary of bodily but of sound & perfect mind & memory do
make & ordain this my last will & Testament in manner and
form following

form following
Inprimis, I give & bequeath to my Wife Percilla all my House-
hold furniture of every kind, all my Plantation Tools of every
kind, one head of two years old Hogs most fat, two Cows and
Eight young Shoats, a Mare call'd Bon, (reserving the Colt
that the said Mare is now big with for my Brother James) I
also give my said Wife Two Cows, One Yearling & young Calf
I bind unto my said Wife, one third part of the Manor Plan-
tation & land wheron I now live which descended to me
by my father's last Will during her natural life. I give unto
my said Wife Ten Barrels of Indian Corn & all the Meat
which is said for family's use.

which is saved for family usage. **Item** - It is my Will & desire that so much of my personal Estate not herein bequeathed to be sold by my Executor to pay off my just debts & necessary expenses, & the residue thereof together with all my Estate both Real & Personal, (except fifty Acres of land I bought of Henry Kirby) I give & bequeath to my Child ^{only} ~~and~~ my Wife is now pregnant with to him or her whichever her Hours and Design for me.

It is my further Will & desire that my Executor herein named make a division of the personal Estate which descended by my Father's last Will between my Brother Parker Gray myself together with the remaining part of the Estate which is yet undivided between my said Father & myself, as also all the Stock & all other property remaining undivided; be divided by my Executor this part which may be so allotted off to my Estate be sold by Executor at six Months credit, & the Money arising therefrom to be applied towards discharging my just debts, & the residue to be applied to the use & benefit of my Child which my Wife is now pregnant with. I also desire that my Executor sell at six Months credit the fifty Acres of Land & Tract of Henry & Kirby before mentioned, & that he execute a sufficient Deed of Sale therefor, & the Sale of the said Land I desire to be applied to the use of my Child before mentioned.

Lastly I nominate constitute & appoint my friend Edm.
Hatch to be the executor of this my last Will & Testament,
ratified & confirmed under my hand & seal this 10th day of
March 1800 — J. M. Grant.

Signed, sealed, published & declared
 as his last will & testament in presence of

f James ^{the} Wells
John ^{Wells}
Wm ^{Wells}
C. ^{Wells}
North Carolina
Jones County Court, February Term 1806
Then was the foregoing last Will &

Testament of William Gilbert Gray jun^r dec'd do duly
proved in open Court by the Oath of William Crome of the Sub-
scribing witnesses thereto in due form of Law & order to be re-
corded; at the same time Edmund Hatch the Executor
therein named qualified as such according to Law
Ordered that letters issue accordingly to Wm. Crome 66

202) In the name of God, Amen

I James Melton of the State of North Carolina, Jones County being sick & weak of body but in perfect Mind Come-ry do make & declare this my last Will & Testament in manner and form following

I will that all my just Debts should be paid by my Executor
hereafter named

Here - I give & bequeath to my well beloved Wife Mary Melton

Two Cows, Hides, one Bed & Furniture, Crochery ware, household
Furniture &c; one Mare, a sow, & seven sheep.

Item - I give & bequeath to my Daughter Susannah one Feather

Bed & furniture, one wooden Wheel & one Keifer.
 Item. I give & bequeath to my Daughter Mary Sutton my Heir.

one Bed Furniture, one wooden Wheel
Hem. I am the same as I was.

Item, I give bequeaths to my son Williams one Horse —
Item, I leave to be sold one black Horse & one roan of Queen

at the plantation tools, & the Harry to be divided among all my children.

my children. I also nominate & appoint Thomas
Lee my sole Executor to this my last Will & Testament—

as witness my Hand this 21st day of November 1802 —
Signed sealed & delivered
James M. Thompson

signed, sealed & delivered
in presence of us
James H. Milton
Moses

Richard Rogers?
Jonathan Lee?

Jonathan - 12
Rich^d Melton &
Wm. H. H. H. H.

State of North Carolina
James County Court February Term 1886—

There was the within last Will & Testament of James Melton

de. duly proved in open Court by the Oath of Jonathan

See, one of the subscribing, witnesses should be recorded at same time. Thomas Lee the Executor therein

that Letters Testamentary issue accordingly — (Ordered)

Attest Wm. R. R. 66.

A true Copy from the Original H H Stone & Co.

Will in the Clerk's Office of Jones
County 4th Nov 1888

County - *Alfred Wm Prime Co*

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