

William Hesteron J.B.

State of North Carolina

State of Indiana
Jones County Court August Term 1872
Then was the aforesaid Port Wile & Testimony
of William Harrison Esq. brought into open
Court which approved the protocols thereof and added
the same to be recorded Attest W. Morgan &c

A True Copy from Original filed in
the Clerk's office of said County

Mr. A. Morgan & Co

In the name of God Amen
I the Gilt of Jones County son very sick in body but
of sound mind & memory but being much afflicted with
Mortality and the care of my family I make this my last
Will and Testament Revolving all other Wills written by me
before - First of all I recommend my soul to God that good
He thanks be to God for the same and my body to be duly
Buried at the direction of my Wife & Executors - and as
for such worldly goods as God hath been pleased to bless me
with I dispose of the same as follows -
First of all I deem that all my just dible shall be paid
also I lend to my well beloved wife Rachel Gilt during
her life all my land and at her death if Thomas Gilt
should be alive I give & bequeath all the land I now
own to him & his heirs and assigns for ever - and if the
said Thomas Gilt should not be alive at the death
of my Wife Rachel Gilt my will & desire is that the
above mentioned land should be divided among my
sisters children - also I give and bequeath to my
well beloved wife Rachel Gilt one negro man by
the name of Moses and also one third of Pleasant and
one third of Dennis to her and her heirs and assigns
for ever - Then I lend unto my wife Rachel Gilt
during the time of her natural life & no longer negroes
Joe & Amos and after her die the same to be equally
divided between my brother Thomas Gilt and the children
of sister Betsey Gilt, Polly Ramsey & Polly Monroe to
share & share alike, then their heirs and assigns
for ever - Then I give unto my said wife one
horse Dark for Colours & three Colours, one Yoke of Oxen
Three feather beds & furniture Two Sows & twenty
chicks, four hives of bees & woman saddle, one riding
Chair & harness three tables & one Dark iron Chair one
Loom one tea kettle two Pots one spider one Trough
up on fire dogs & pan tong & a fire shovel her her
heirs and assigns for ever -
Then the Residue of my estate real & personal not
before disposed of I authorize my Executors to sell
on a credit of six months the proceeds thereof after
deducting necessary charges payment of my debts &c
the same I give the said Executors to my wife Rachel
Gilt her her heirs and assigns for ever -
Last of all I constitute and appoint my wife Rachel
Gilt & Samuel Davis Executors of this my will
reserving all others by me made - In Witness whereof
I this day set my hand & Seal the 15th day of
May 1842 -
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Nelly Simmons
Mitten Amos
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Little X Gilt
mark
In probate the other side

State of North Carolina
Jones County Court August Term 1812
Then was the foregoing Last Will & Testament of
Jeth. Giddet de: duly proved in open Court by the
Oaths of J. Dudley & William Simmons two of the
Subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded
at same time the Executors therein named qualified
as such agreeable to Law - Ordered that Letters Testamentary
issue accordingly - Attest W. Ryan &c
A True Copy from Original
filed in Office Attest W. Ryan &c

In the name of God Amen
I Nancy Aquest of the County of Jones & State
of North Carolina being in good State of Body &
Health but of perfect mind and of sound mind and
memory and calling to mind that it is appointed
once for all men & women kind to die, I now make
and ordain this my last will & Testament in manner
and form as follows - First of all I recommend
my Body to the Earth of which it was made and
my Soul I recommend to God that gave it, and
as for those worldly goods that God hath bestowed on me
I have in manner & form as follows to wit -
First of all I give & bequeath unto my daughter Nancy
Dudley a negro man by the name of John & his
wife Peg and a boy by the name of Abel to her &
her heirs lawfully begotten of her Body by her paying to
David B. Rolfe Fifty pounds of good & lawful money
when he comes to the age of Twenty one years old and
if he should die before he comes to age & without heirs
lawfully begotten for the above sum of Fifty pounds
for to be equally divided between Urban Williamson
heirs lawfully begotten of his body, also my Will & desire
is that my daughter Nancy Dudley should pay out
of the above mentioned property to my son James
Williamson the sum of Twenty seven pounds -
also my Will & desire is that my son James
Williamson pay all the rest of my just debts and
also my Will & desire is that my son James
Williamson pay unto my son Urban Williamson
Twenty pounds of good & lawful money -
also I give and bequeath unto my son James
Williamson a certain negro boy by the name of

Osiah and all the rest of my Property &c. 16
that has not yet been mentioned except one
feather bed which give & bequeath unto my
Grand Daughter Nancy Williamson to her
and her heirs and assigns for ever -
also I give unto my J. G. Rolfe one shilling & thirty
to be paid by my Executors -
And last of all I recommend & appoint my
son Urban Williamson & Jacob Dudley Executors
to this my last Will & Testament revoking all
others & former Wills acknowledging this to be
my last will & Testament Witness the 15th day
1807. -

Signed sealed & attested
in the presence of us
Richard Roberts
Benjamin Meadows
Nancy Aquest
Mark

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Then was the foregoing Last Will & Testament
of Nancy Aquest duly proved in open Court
by the Oaths of Benjamin Meadows one of the
Subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be
recorded - at same time the Executors therein
named qualified as such agreeable to Law
Ordered that Letters Testamentary issue accordingly
Attest W. Ryan &c
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Clerks Office of Jones County
Attest W. Ryan &c