

for this to be my last will and testament, this day and date above
dated signed sealed in presence of

Wiley Moore

Wm. Davis

Charles ^{his} Moore 
made

State of North Carolina

Madison County Court Jan'y Court 1868

The due execution of the foregoing and within paper writing
purporting to be the last will and testament of Charles Moore was
proved by the oaths of Wiley Davis and the subscribing witnesses
whereby whereon it was ordered by the Court that this will and
certificate be recorded

Wm H. Hanna Clerk

In the name of God Amen

I Ann C. Hyman of the County of Madison and
State of North Carolina being of sound mind and memory do hereby make
declare and publish this my last will and testament, in

First. I direct, my just debts to be paid

Secondly I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth B. Hyman and
her heirs forever my negro slaves Richard, Phillis, Jane, Joshua
and their increase from the date of this will.

Thirdly I give and bequeath to my granddaughters Anna Th. Ottum
and her heirs forever the sum of five hundred dollars

Fourthly I give and bequeath to my grand daughter Ann B.
Shrage and her heirs forever the sum of five hundred dollars

Fifthly I give and bequeath to my grand daughter Ann Hyman
daughter of Wm. B. Hyman the sum of five hundred dollars and
also I give five hundred dollars to my son Wm. B. Hyman ^{his hundred dollars to my son}

Sixthly I give and bequeath to my son John Hyman and his heirs
forever my negroes Peter, Mariah, Fanny, Nancy, Betty, Belcy
and Fanny's child Jane and their increase from the date of
this will. These negroes are given to him on the condition that
he pays to my estate three thousand dollars within two years

after my death
hereby

To my daughter Mary C. Shrage and her heirs I give and bequeath Ten
now in her possession and five hundred dollars now in cash.

Eighthly I give devise and bequeath to my son John Hyman and my
daughter Elizabeth B. Hyman and their heirs my house and land on which
I live with all my household and kitchen furniture of every kind on the
death of either or married the whole is to go to the other

Ninthly After the payment of my debts and the money legacies and the
foregoing devises and bequests are delivered all the residue of my
estate of every kind and description is to go one half to my
son John Hyman and the other half to my daughter Elizabeth
B. Hyman and their heirs forever

I hereby appoint my son John Hyman Executor
to this will

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this the 17th October 1857

Signed & sealed in our presence who
with the request of the testatrix
signed our names in her presence
Geo. L. Tarrant
P. H. Winston

Ann C. Hyman 

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions
Jan'y Term 1868

The foregoing paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament
of Ann C. Hyman was exhibited in open court by the executor John
Hyman and offered for probate. John L. Tarrant one of the subscribing
witnesses thereto being dead his hand writing being was duly proved by
the oath of Wm. H. Mathews and Wm. S. Crawford. Ordered by the
Court that said paper writing be filed with the Clerk and that
subpoena issue for P. H. Winston to appear at next term of this
court

Wm H. Hanna Clerk

State of North Carolina Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions
Madison County July term 1868

The foregoing paper writing purporting to be the last

will and testament of Aaron G. Hyman was this day in open Court exhibited and presented for probate whereupon its execution as the last will and testament of Aaron G. Hyman was proved according to law by P. H. Moulton one of the Subscribing Justices. And thereupon it was ordered that said will with this and the preceding certificate be recorded

Mr. H. Hanna etc

State of North Carolina. Martin County. I Henry Gray of the State and County aforesaid being of sound mind and best considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make this my last will and testament in the following manner

When the first after paying all my just debts I gave unto my son N. H. L. Gray all of my property of every denomination at the death of myself and his mother except one bed and one furniture which have been called in and that I gave unto my grand daughter Mary M. Gray the daughter of my son A. G. Gray.

I am second if the negro should brought back and made properly I want them the
did belong to me to equally divided between my son J. F. Briggs children and
my son A. H. D. I say lastly I hereby appoint my son A. H. D. Briggs executor of this
my last will and testament whereof and hereunto I have set my hand and seal
this the 5th of December 1865 signed in the the presence of

H. D. Roberson

J. H. Roberson

Henry Gray Esq

The foregoing and within paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Henry Gray, was exhibited in open court by A. H. L. Gray and the due execution of the same was proved by the oath of H. D. Robinson & W. Robinson the subscribing witnesses thereto whereupon the court doth declare the same to be the last will and testament of the said Henry Gray whereupon A. H. L. Gray the executor therein named appeared in open court and qualified as executor thereto let the will and said this certificate be recorded & filed

Wm. H. Hamill Esq

Being now (thru the mercy and goodness of Almighty God) in the full enjoy-
ment of my mind. I now do make this my will and Testament

On consequence of the disturbed state of our country I feel unable to form any estimation of value to my property it is my desire and wish that my beloved wife Mary Anne and our son Francis A. Boyle both of whom I hereby constitute and appoint Executors to this my will with full powers to manage and settle my estate as they in their judgment may deem best and feeling entirely satisfied with the distribution and division ^{part} as made by our own State laws. I desire no change in the distribution of my estate there is ~~made~~ thing and I do furthermore constitute and appoint my said wife Mary Anne Boyle and my son Francis A. Boyle guardians to all my beloved children who may be under age at the time of my death with full power to manage and disburse such portion that they may be entitled to as they may deem to be ^{such children} ~~the~~ advantage. Given under my hand in Windsor N. H. Dec^r 6th 1862

Ind. M. C. Boyle

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of John Mc Coy is exhibited in open Court by Francis A. Boyle one of his executors named in said paper writing and propounded for probate and it is proved by Lordman Darden Franklin F. Fagan & Francis A. Rhoady three creditable witnesses that such will and every part thereof is in the hand writing of the said John Mc Coy and it is also proven by the oath of Henry C. Darden that the said paper on the 8th day December, 1862 was by the said John Mc Coy enveloped by the said John and deposited by him among his valuable papers and effects and that the same was found after his death among said valuable papers and effects. It is therefore declared and adjudged by the Court that the said paper writing is duly proved and as the last will and testament of the said John Mc Coy and it is ordered that the same be recorded.

Know Anne Poyle one of the executors named in said will and the widow of said testator, renounces his right to qualify as executor and enters her dissent to said will and claims under the last Francis A. Poyle the other executor named qualified according to law by taking the oath prescribed by

The estate is estimated at \$3000 and is stamped accordingly

Jno Hyman Adm.

Pro Hyman