

Very impeded & soon say this paper writing is the last will & Testament of Thomas Garrett - A true copy taken from the Records of the Court

Set John Luten Clerk

A same Term Elizabeth Garrett widow of Thomas Garrett appeared in her proper Person in open Court and Presented from the will of her Husband Thomas Garrett and thereupon it was ordered that the Decree be recorded in the Court & in the county Court.

Set John Luten Clerk

State of North Carolina I James Bennett of the County and State aforesaid Martin County Being in perfect mind and memory do make this my last Will and Testament.

My will and desire is that my Executor dispose of any kind of my property either at private or public sale at his own direction for the purpose of discharging all my debts.

I lend the whole of my property of every description to my beloved wife Lucy Bennett during her life or widowhood at her death or marriage my will is that the whole of the property be divided between my wife

Lucy Bennett and my daughter Sally Ann Bennett and the child which my wife is now pregnant with as the Law directs in cases of Intestates in case of the Death of my daughter Sally Ann Bennett and the unborn which my wife is now pregnant with Therein that case I Give and Bequeath unto my wife Lucy Bennett one half of all my property for ever the other half of my property to be equally divided between John Walker and James Pollard I appoint John Walker my sole executor to this my last will and Testament.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set

my hand and seal this 12 April 1819

Signed sealed and acknowledged

in presence of us

Saml Hyman

Saml Folk

Set Bennett

State of North Carolina June Term 1819 the above paper writing purporting to be the last will & Testament of James Bennett

Was offered for probate by John Walker the executor therein named and was proven in open Court by the oath of Samuel Hyman & Samuel Folk the subscribing witnesses thereto ordered to be recorded

#B Hunter Clerk by Jos. Briggs DC

State of North Carolina In the name of God Amen I Rachel Hyman of the County and State aforesaid being low in health though of sound mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner (W)

Item I give unto my grand son John Hyman son of Timothy Hyman the sum of fifty Dollars to him and his heirs forever  
Item I give and bequeath unto my son John Hyman my negro girl Hagar and her increase to him and his heirs forever  
Item I give unto my son Timothy Hyman fifty Dollars to him and his heirs forever  
Item It is my desire that my son should give my negro girl Hagar one small chest out of my property & dispose of my wearing apparel as he thinks proper a most of the neighborhood in the neighborhood

Item I Give the residue of my property that has not already been given to be equally divided between my four children William Hyman Joseph Hyman & Nancy Hyman & Elizabeth Hyman and it is my will that my Executor should sell my perishable Estate at any time when he thinks proper so as to prevent it from being Exposed to damage I do further nominate and appoint my worthy friend Jordan Watson Executor to this my last will and Testament In witness I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 1819

Signed sealed and delivered in presence of  
Rachel Hyman  
and delivered in presence of  
William Hyman  
Joseph Hyman  
Nancy Hyman  
Elizabeth Hyman

Rachel Hyman  
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State of North Carolina June Term 1819 the above paper writing purporting to be the last will & Testament of Rachel Hyman do was offered for Probate by Jordan Watson the executor therein named and was proven in open Court by the oath of Edwin Smith one of the subscribing witnesses thereto ordered to be recorded

#B Hunter Clerk by Jos. Briggs DC

I James Rawls of the County of Martin and State of North Carolina being weak in body but sound in mind and memory I desire to give and bequeath to my dear wife the custody of the same the uncertainty of the time when it may commence do make and ordain this Testament as my last will and Testament in the manner and form following that is to say

I give unto my Beloved Daughter Elizabeth one tract of Land Beginning on the side of the Wiley Branch at the road running Down said Branch to Stanville Branch thence down said Branch to James Collier line thence along said line to the road leading from Williams to Greenville thence down said Road to the Beginning to her and to her heirs forever

I give to my Beloved son James one tract of Land Lying on flat Swamp Beginning on said Swamp at a logpost near the road thence up the various corners of said