

beat in the presence of us who were called upon by him to
Witness the same this 26th day of April 1837.

Signed sealed & acknowledged

Published in the presence of

Wardly C. C.

Thomas Ellis

James Enson Seal

Northampton County September Court 1837.

This last Will & Testament of James Enson
did together with the Codicil thereto annexed was presented in
open Court & the said last will & Testament was proved in
due form of law by the oaths of Thomas Pette & William B
Lockhart the subscribing Witnesses thereto & the Codicil was
also proved in due form of law by the oaths of Wardly C. C.
and Thomas Ellis the subscribing Witnesses thereto. Whereupon
James L. Enson one of the Executors named in said Will, qualified
according to Law, some being reserved for the other, to qualify
and intended to be Certified and recorded.

Test: John Williamson Secy.

Joseph Vassier's Will. In the name of god
amen I Joseph Vassier of the County of Northampton and state
of North Carolina being weak of body but of sound disposing
mind and memory call me to mind the mortality of man & that
it is appointed unto man once to die. I recommend the soul
to god who first gave it and as to what worldly goods it has
pleased god to bless me with I dispose of in the following
manner to wit.

Item 1st I leave unto my beloved wife Valathea Vassier one third part of
all my land and plantation for and during her natural life.

Item 2nd My will & desire is that all my personal estate of every description
be sold by my Executors the money arising therefrom after the
payment of my just debts & other expenses that may occur
I give one sixth to my said wife Valathea Vassier to have
and her heirs forever.

Item 3rd My Will and desire is that my land be sold subject to the
dowry of my said wife Valathea Vassier & the money arising
therefrom, with the money that may arise from my personal estate
be equally divided between all my children.
And lastly I do hereby nominate & appoint George Rice my whole
Executor to this my last will & testament, as my hand & seal
this 22nd day of May Eighteen hundred and twenty seven.

Witness

Wm. Hardie

James Vassier

Joseph + Vassier Seal
mark

Northampton County September Court 1837.

This last Will & Testament of Joseph Vassier did
was presented in open Court and proved in due form of law by
the oaths of Wm. Hardie & James Vassier the subscribing Witnesses
thereto. Whereupon George Rice the Executor therein named qual-
ified according to Law & intended to be Certified and recorded.

Test: John Williamson Secy.

Everitt Lapsiers Will. In the name of god amen I Everitt Lapsier
of Northampton County and state of North Carolina being of this time very weak
in body but of a sound mind and memory thanks be to god for it. Therefore
call me to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed
for all flesh once to die, as for all the worldly goods as it hath pleased god
to bless me with I give in the following manner and form.

Item I give and bequeath unto Harrison L. Lapsier and Charles Lapsier my two sons
all my land to be equally divided between them two when my son Harrison
L. Lapsier comes to be twenty one years of age also I give each of my sons one
fourth part of my furniture as belongs to them a piece to each and their
heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Druscha Lapsier one fourth part of my
furniture as belongs to it that she has now in possession to she and her heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Valathea Lapsier one negro girl by the
name of Mason & one fourth part of my furniture as belongs to it to she and
her heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Julia Lapsier one negro girl by the name
of Mary & one fourth part of my furniture as belongs to it to she and
her heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Persula Woodward one negro girl by the name of Sarah and one feather bed and such furniture as belongs to it to she and her heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my grand daughter Annina Lafayette one hundred Dollars to she and her heirs forever.

Item My will and desire is that all my stock of horses and carted sheep hogs also all my Crop of Corn Tobacco Cotton plantation animals &c. Eggs Cakes shall be sold also all my household Kitchen furniture that is not mentioned before shall be sold to the highest bidder and the money arising from the sale to pay this Legacy given to Annina Lafayette and all my just debts also my will and desire is that all my negroes that not given away before shall be hired out until my son Harrison C. Lafayette comes to be twenty one years of age then the hire and negroes to be equally divided between all my children to wit, Persula, Susan, Tabitha Lafayette, Julia Lafayette, Persula Woodward, Harrison C. Lafayette, Charles Lafayette also the balance after paying my debts to be equally divided amongst the above named children.

And I do nominate and appoint my two Executors W. B. Lockhart and James M. Wood, he and sole Executors of this my last will and testament disannulling all other wills heretofore made by me as Witness my hand and seal this first day of August 1827.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged

In the presence of us

Collier Patrick

his

Witness

Sepa B. Woodard

Northampton County December Court 1827.

This last will and Testament of Cornelia Lafayette dec'd was exhibited in open Court and proved in due form of law by the oath of Lemuel Patrick and Sepa B. Woodard two of the subscribing Witnesses thereto; W. B. Lockhart and James M. Wood the Executors therein named came into Court and swore to qualify. An order of Administration with the will annexed of all and singular the goods chattels rights and credits of the said Cornelia Lafayette dec'd was granted to Collier Woodard & Jacob Patterson who entered into Bond in the penalty of Fifty thousand Dollars (expressed as the law directs) with Cressie Byrd, Stephen of the County of Jordan, Breach sureties, & qualified as my

to law. and then said Will be testified and recorded

Test John W. Harrison Att

William Watson's Will. In the name of god amen I William Watson of the County of Northampton and state of North Carolina being weak of body but of sound mind and memory blessed be god for the same do make published this to be my last will and testament in manner and form following that to wit. In the first and foremost place my will and desire is for all my just debts to be paid and the residue of my estate both real and personal &c. purchable I send unto my beloved wife Milly Watson during his life and after her decease my will and desire is for the balance of my estate to be equally divided among my seven Children to wit, Nancy, Polly, Milly, King, Eliza, Edgath and Catharine Watson all about and about alike then and their heirs forever. And I do hereby nominate and appoint my beloved wife Milly Watson my sole and sole Executor to this my last will & Testament revoking all former wills hereby made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27th day of August 1827.

Signed sealed and pronounced by me William Watson the Testator in the presence of us who were present at the time of signing thereof

Lewis Woodard

Charles Vann

William Watson Decd

Northampton County December Court 1827.

This last will and Testament of William Watson dec'd was exhibited in open Court and proved in due form of law by the oath of Lewis Woodard one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto. Whereupon Milly Watson the Executor therein named qualified according to Law and ordered to be testified & recorded

Test John W. Harrison Att

Francis Parker's Will. In the name of god amen I Francis Parker of the County of Northampton and state of North Carolina being weak of body but of sound mind and memory blessed be god for the same do make and publish this to be my last will and testament, in manner & form following (expressly)

Item I give and bequeath unto Lemuel Patrick for nothing to him this his present

Item I give unto my grandson David Parker Patrick one feather bed, furniture, one blue painted chest one further chest, one further bedstead, one further plate one glass also two notes which I hold against Lewis Woodard and Isaac Carter