Hannah Helms last Will & testament

I Hannah Helms of the County of Union & State of North Carolina being of sound Mind and Memory but considering the uncertainty of my earthly Existence do make and declar this my Last will & Testament.

1st Item First that there shall be suitable provision made for my decent interment & Burial.

2nd Item I give to my son Albert one Bed Stead & furniture

3rd " I give to my daughter Martha one Bed & Stead three Sheets & four quilts & one chest.

4th " I will & give to my son Giles Helms one Bed & Stead & furniture & my Grey Mare.

5th " I will that the Ballance of my property be Sold and all my Just debts paid & the ballance if any I give & bequeath to my son Giles.

In witness whereof I the said Hannah Helms do hereunto Set My hand & Seal this 27th March 1852.

Signed & Sealed in presence of

G. M. May Jr.

Wm A. Helms

Hannah her + mark Helms (Seal)

all My Just debts paid & The balance if any I give & bequeath to My Son Giles.

In witness whereof I the said Hannah Helms do hereunto set My hand & Seal this 27th March 1852.
Signed & Sealed in presence of
G. W. May Jrt)
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State of North Carolina } Court of Pleas & quarter Sessions
Union County } April Term 1852

The above instrument of writing the last Will and Testament of Hannah Helms was exhibited in Open Court and proven in due form of Law by G. W. May one of the subscribing witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded. Whereupon the Court appointed G.W. May administrator with the will annexed who entered into bond in the sum of two hundred dollars with David Bush & G.W. May Security bond approved by the Court. Letters issued & the said Gardner duly sworn

J.M. Stewart Clk