

gord well dente in the yard at the Expence of my Estate. 3<sup>rd</sup> Guarans by will  
to the above mentioned Norman Hamblin a Negro Woman Fenny and two moneys to his  
wife for her service also two cows two hord and one year's provision of Corn and hore  
as in addition to the above before named. Squre and beyond to the said Hamblin Fifty dollars  
annually to be paid out of my Estate lastly I recite that Hamblin has two three  
children Richard Harry Carter Hellberg and other names where they are now on my  
plantation and their Expenses to be paid out of my Estate until my Executors make the  
provision I have provided for them Item 1<sup>st</sup> I do give and bequeath to my deceased  
brother Henry C. Edmunds three Children Carter Rebecca & Eliza Edmunds  
Item Thirteenth to clear to the County avaried between them proportion as the same may  
interfere with the statement of their late Father's Estate should either one do so  
I declare him or her from any interest in my Estate and do give him or her portion  
to the other brother or sister or the two sisters as the case may be Item 5<sup>th</sup>  
The residue of my Estate of every kind description wheresoever Bonds Money &c  
I give to my brother Nicholas Edmunds to dispose of in such manner as he may see  
proper in and my will which I give to my Nephew Carter Edmunds Item 6<sup>th</sup>  
My two boy Negro Miles and Betsy the son of Negro Norman Lucy Servt the  
said Nicholas Edmunds to said Miles some trade and to keep the profits of them mind  
the he come twenty four years of age then to be set free should they prove to be  
tractable and well behaved servants. Item 7<sup>th</sup> I set my will and desire shortly  
the law of Virginia and of Carolina to govern such that the women Hamblin  
cannot remain in the jurisdiction of either Commonwealth that my Executors will  
have written her pay over to her the proceas of the sale of the land & pay the  
Expence of removing to said free State as she may choose to go out of my Estate  
Item 8<sup>th</sup> I leave my brother Nicholas Edmunds my sole Executor to the my  
last will and Testament.

Will. Th. Harper

C. Edmunds *Test.*

Attest. A. Edmunds

*Erased underlined before signed*

Renewed. Th. Brantley.

C. Edmunds

Codicil All and Every purchase which I have made during my life  
above written I do hereby convey you and bequeath to Nicholas Edmunds to him  
another time forever

C. Edmunds *Test.*

North Carolina County of Pasquotank  
Norfolk County 3 June 1829.

This last will and Testament of Carter Edmunds was exhibited in open  
Court and proved in due form of Law by the oaths of Thomas J. Harper  
of the subscribing Wm. Edwards and the Edict to the said will was  
proved by the oaths of Wm. Edwards and Thomas J. Harper who with  
the signature of Carter Edmunds to said Codicil was the proper Person making  
the said Carter Edmunds to said Codicil was the proper Person making  
and recording. Whereupon Nicholas Edmunds the Executor named in the will  
qualified in open Court as the Law directs

Test. John W. Hamblin

Attest. John W. Hamblin *Test.*

Matt Gilbert *Test.*

At a Com. held for Southampton County on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 1829  
This Authenticated copy of the will of Carter Edmunds and was presented by  
Nicholas Edmunds the Executor there named and sworn to be recorded. And on the  
Motion of the said Executor who made and according to Law and together with  
Wm. Edwards and John W. Hamblin first deponent on this side acknowledged to be in the