

the said Benjamin I. Drew the only Executor therein named who made oath and together with Henry and George Wray his executors entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of one thousand dollars, conditioned as the Law directs certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.

Teste J. R. Edwards. Secy.

Chas. L. Love's Will

I Chas. Love of the County of Southampton do make and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, to-wit:

1st It is my Will and desire that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid.

2^d I give and bequeath to my son Benjamin Love twenty dollars, which is to be paid him at the death of Stephen Prudden to him and his heirs forever.

3^d I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Love one feather bed and furniture to her and her heirs forever.

4th I lend to Stephen Prudden the use of all my lands during her natural life - also I lend her all my personal Estate of what nature and kind soever, and at her death it is my Will and desire that my land or the one hundred acres that I now live on and purchased of Allen and Thomas Delbeck should be equally divided between my two sons that I have had known of Stephen Prudden by the names of Nathan Prudden and Thomas Prudden provided that they let all my daughter that I have had known of Stephen Prudden by the names of Joshua, July, Martha, Sarah, Annas & Peggy live on the plantation during their single life to them my two sons and their heirs forever.

5th I give and bequeath by my son Elizabeth Prudden the lands that I purchased of Henry Love containing by estimation sixty five acres to him and his heirs forever.

6th I constitute and appoint my friend Peter Bothe my sole Executor to this my last will and Testament (as annexed) and overruling all the Will heretofore made by me. And it is also my desire that my Executor should make no public sale of my house or any part of my property but should there not be money enough in the house at my death, that he should consult Stephen Prudden of what property he could best spare and that he make private sale of the same. And Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hands and affixed my seal this 14th day of July 1837.

signed, read and acknowledged

in the presence of

William Spry

Robert A. Hart

Richard B. Ellis

Chas. L. Love
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At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 17th day of October 1836.

This last Will and Testament of Chas. Love said was proved by the oath of William Spry and Robert A. Hart witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded. And Peter Bothe the Executor therein named being dead, on the motion of J. J. Bailey who made oath and together with deans A. Branch William A. Bailey and Matthew Harris he was entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of one thousand dollars conditioned as the Law directs. Certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of said Chas. Love and with his said deans annexed in due form.

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