

231 Against me against N. M. Sobrell & one against John Drake, and if there should be any bond or  
 bonds that I have omitted to name I also give I or them to my daughter Cordis Ann Myron Reardon  
 & her heirs forever. I also give to my daughter Cordis A. M. Simmons, my John Melch  
 & three weeks, which weeks I wish my daughter to keep and not dispose of. And in the event of  
 my daughter Cordis A. M. Simmons' death before she is of age, or if she dying without issue, I give all my  
 property above disposed of unto Henry Simmons youngest son of John Simmons. I further desire that  
 my daughter Cordis A. M. Simmons should be sent to school until she has acquired a liberal education.  
 I also constitute and appoint N. Melchill Executor of this my last Will & Testament, hereby making all  
 former Wills & Testaments. In Witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand & set my seal this 23<sup>rd</sup> day  
 of February in the year 1836

signed read & approved by N. S. Simmons as & for  
 her last Will & Testament in our presence she  
 being requested by her & in her presence do sub-  
 scribe our names as Witnesses this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of  
 February the year 1836

Nancy A. Simmons (S)

Fredrick Jordan.  
 Augustus J. Simmons.

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1836.  
 This last Will and Testament of Nancy A. Simmons deceased was proved by the oath of Augustus J. Simmons,  
 a Witness thereto, and continued. And at a Court held for the County aforesaid the 19<sup>th</sup> day of December  
 1836 the same was fully proved by the oath of Fredrick Jordan a Witness thereto and ordered to be  
 recorded. And on the motion on Nicholas M. Sobrell the only executor therein named who made oath, and  
 together with William J. Sobrell and Zebulon L. Simmons his securities entered into and subscribed a  
 bond in the penalty of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law in this behalf is granted him for  
 obtaining a probate of the said Will in due form.

Teste - L. R. Edwards Clk.

Thos. Briggs a Lunatic

Now seek with M<sup>rs</sup> Nicholson Seaman etc.

Thos Briggs  
 Lunatic etc.

1835			
Octo 31	By balance due the est as per acct of report returned	\$1299.34	264.29
	" Int acct.		12.99
	" Int on \$1299.34 to Dec 31. 1835	18.50	
Decr 31	" Thos's hire due this day	1317.34	277.38
1836			
Octo 17	To Spain blackbirds	\$1.44	
	" "	30.00	
Decr 14	" " board & wages of John in 1835	175.00	
	" " support of family to Dec. 31. 1835		45.00
	By Thos's hire due 31 <sup>st</sup> dec.	3.15	
	The bond on \$60 two yrs hire	\$1132.75	
	" 31 Balance due the estate	1313.36	183.36
			67.96
	By Int on \$1132.75 to 31 <sup>st</sup> Dec. 1836	\$1132.75	345.24
	By balance due the estate Dec. 31. 1836		