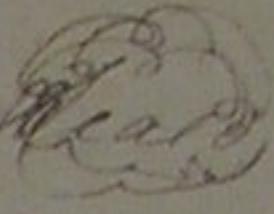


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Witness whereof I have counterset my hand & seal this
7th day of October 1827.

Lem. Burkett 

Northampton County N.C. December first 1827

That the above Will of Lem. Burkett was brought into Court
and read & sworn to by Sam Parker & William Chamberlayne who
swore he had ^{witness of the Testimony} before upon ^{whereupon} Testimony qualified as Executor named
to be Recorded.

(Witness)

R. H. Bryan Esq. Clerk

Sarah Bedingsfield's Will

In the Name of God Amen, I Sarah Bedingsfield of the
State of North Carolina & County of Northampton being weak in body,
but of sound mind & memory Alfred the First do this 9th Day of
July in the Year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred & Sixty
make & publish this my last Will & Testament in manner following hereunto
expressed, my Will is that all my just debts with my funeral expenses be paid.

Item I provide Nathaniel Gordon contrary to stay with me while I live,
I then give & bequeath unto the said Nathaniel Forty Dollars to him
this his fee.

Item I leave unto Elizabeth Bedingsfield my Heirs Bed & Furniture and my
Peculators shall stand prepared to take it for the use of my Daughter
Lucy Johnson. Her Children

I leave to the care of my Executors herein after named all the
Remainder of my personal Estate for the use & benefit of my
Daughter Lucy Johnson, & do hereby authorize them so to retain said Estate
in their hands, to be disposed of & expended with or may be necessary
from time to time for the support & maintenance of my said Daughter
Lucy Johnson during her natural life & after her death, I then bequeath unto
Grand Son Dudley G. Johnson, my Negro Woman named Lucy to him
this his fee; & then the residue of any remaining to be equally
divided between my said Daughter Lucy Johnson & Alfred the