

William Jett

in the Virginia, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1652-1900

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Name: William Jett
 Gender: Male
 Residence Date: Abt 1799
 Residence Place: Culpeper
 Will Date: 25 Jul 1799
 Probate Date: 25 Jul 1799
 Probate Place: Culpeper, Virginia, USA
 Inferred Death Year: 1799
 Inferred Death Place: Virginia, USA
 Item Description: Mixed Records, Vol C, 1783-1791

Others Listed

Relationship

William Jett

Susanna Jett		Wife
Edger Jett / <i>Edgar</i>		Son
Milly Jett		Daughter
William Jett		Son-in-law
Molly Jett		Daughter
William Williams		Son-in-law
George Jett	<i>Sons of "Molly"</i>	Son
Urban Jett		Son
Ezra Jett		Son
Lephamah Jett <i>Zepraniath</i>		Son
Margaret Jett		Daughter
James Witters Downs		Son-in-law
Betsy Jett		Daughter
William		Son-in-law
Phebe Jett		Daughter
Jan??s Witheri Doores		Son-in-law
Anne Jett		Daughter
Susanna Jett		Daughter
Diecy Jett		Daughter
Matthew Jett		Son

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Culpeper, Mixed Records, Vol C, 1783-1791

532 Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety
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The above Decd was signed sealed
& published by the herein mentioned
Aaron Lane as and for his Testament
and Last Will in whose presence &
at whose instance and request
we have written our names as Witnesses

Samuel Richardson
John Strode
Wm McGee
Robert Lane
James Lane
Wm Lane
John Lane

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 28th day of September 1795

This last Will and Testament of Aaron Lane dec'd was
exhibited to the Court and was proved by the oaths of John
Strode and William Adams two of the witnesses thereto and
it appearing to the Court that Samuel Richardson one of
the subscribing witnesses thereto hath departed this life and
John Strode being sworn to answer questions saith that he
was present when this said Richardson subscribed the same
as a witness the same being first duly acknowledged
before him by the Testator it is therefore ordered
to be recorded and on the motion of Aaron Lane
the only executor therein named certificate is granted
him for obtaining a probate thereof in and from the Court
made saith Strode and given bond and security according
to Law

Teste
John Jamison Esq

In the name of the said William Lott of Culpeper County
being of sound mind and memory do make and ordain this
my last Will and Testament in the following manner first
I bequeath my wife and desire is first of all that my just

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debt and funeral charges to first discharged and paid

Then it is my Will that my loving Wife Susanna may have
full enjoyment of my whole Estate real and personal for her
support and maintenance during her natural life or
widowhood but it is provided in case she may marry it is then
my Will that the whole of my aforesaid Estate shall then be
immediately disposed of amongst my children and their
issue in such proportions as I shall hereinafter direct to be
made unto them either by her death or again intermarrying

Item to my son Edgar Lott to be legal representative and trustee
part of my aforesaid Estate, but provided he may depart this
life without issue it is then will my Will that the same shall
devolve to my ~~children~~ surviving children or their legal
representatives as I may hereafter dispose of my aforesaid Estate

Item to my daughter Elly who intermarried with a certain
William Lott one of the heirs of my aforesaid Estate and
at her death to descend to her surviving issue or their legal represen-
tatives and it is my Will and desire that her said
husband shall not sell or charge his part of any part of the
aforesaid one tenth part so disposed of in any manner what
soever to the prejudice or injury of my said daughter Elly or
her issue but on the contrary if he should attempt to do the
same on their application to the Court whereon this my said
last Will and Testament shall be admitted to record my
Wife and I shall be bound to take such measures as they may judge most expedient to
bring into the execution I have for the same to be used for
their support & maintenance

Item whereas my daughter Elly who intermarried with a cer-
tain William Hilliard who has since departed this life and
leaving issue since that George Hilliard Esq & Elizabeth to
whom I bequeath one tenth part of my Estate is in divided
among one of them in four equal proportions or to their legal
representatives

Item whereas my daughter Margaret intermarried to a certain
James (brother) Jones who has since departed this life leaving
Issue Jane Edger and William Lott to whom I bequeath
one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be divided and

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These equal proportions to them or their legal Representatives

Item to my Daughter Betty who intermarried with a certain William Whitehead one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be disposed of & arranged in the same manner & form as is herein before mentioned as fully as if the same had been again repeated and expressed with regard to my Daughter Elly and her issue

Item to my daughter Rebe who intermarried with a certain James White Doers one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be disposed of and arranged in the same manner and form as is herein said with regard to my Daughter Elly & her issue as fully as if the same had been again repeated and expressed

And to my Son Matthew one third tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be disposed of in the same manner and form as is herein expressed with regard to my said Son Degan

Item to each of my daughter and Susanna & Betty each one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate or to each of their ~~respective~~ legal representatives and in case they or either of them ^{are} die without legal issue then their issue so dying without such issue to descend to the survivors of my aforesaid legates or in case they or either of them shall marry and have issue as aforesaid then each separate part as aforesaid shall be subject to the same disposal and arrangement in as full and ample manner as is directed to be provided with regard to my daughter Elly and her children in as full and ample manner as if the same had been again repeated & expressed

Item I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my loving Wife Susanna Doers and my two Sons Degan & Matthew Executors of this my last Will and Testament discharging all other Wills & Bequests by me made in any manner whatsoever Ratifying this and no other be. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and had this 25th day of

July one thousand seven hundred & ninety nine

Sealed Published pronounced & declared by William Lett to be his last will and Testament

William Lett [L.S.] marks

In the presence of us

the words Anne Susanna & Betty in page 191 in the eleventh line from the bottom thereof & three erasements in page 191 interlined before signing as well as the erasements

James Lett +

James Lett junr +

At a Court held for the purpose before the 25th day of September 1801

This last Will and Testament of William Lett dec'd. was exhibited to the Court and proved by the oath of James Lett and James Lett Junr both of which and oaths to be Records and in the matter of Susanna Lett the execution thereof in due form she having made oath thereto and given bond and security according to Law

John Jameson Clerk

William Duncan

In the name of God Amen I William Duncan of the County of Guilford State of Virginia being in perfect health and memory do make and ordain this my last will and Testament first and principally I recommend my soul to the hands of the divine and then my body I commit to the earth to be decently interred at the discretion of my Executors my worthy good Friends of as follows to wit I had to my beloved wife Susanna the sum and value of all my estate both real and personal wherever in widowhood and after her intermarriage a debt I owed her name to be paid by my Executors and disposed of as follows my last will and funeral expenses being first paid

I give to my Son William Duncan or his legal representatives one hundred pound current money of Virginia or less if said

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Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety
Seven

Aaron Lane

The above Decd was signed sealed
& published by the herein mentioned
Aaron Lane as and for his Testament
and Last Will in whose presence &
at whose instance and request
we have written our names as Witnesses

Richardson

John Grode

Wm McBeth

Robert Glane

James Lane

John R Lane

John Lane

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 25th day of September 1800

This last Will and Testament of Aaron Lane decd^d was
exhibited to the Court and was proved by the oath of John
Grode and William A Lane two of the witnesses thereto and
it appearing to the Court that Daniel Richardson one of
the subscribing witnesses thereto hath departed this life and
John Strode being sworn to answer questions saith that he
was present when this said Richardson subscribed the same
as a witness the same being first duly acknowledged
before him by the Testator it is therefore ordered
to be recorded and on the motion of Deanna Lane
the only executrix therein named certificate is granted
her for obtaining a probat thereof in due form she having
made oath thereto and given bond and security according
to Law

Teste
John Jamison

In the name of God Amen I William Lill of Culpeper County
being of sound mind and memory do make and ordain this
my last Will and Testament in the following manner viz
Impress My will and desire is first of all that my just

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debt and funeral expenses be first discharged and paid

Item it is my Will that my loving Wife Susanna may have
full enjoyment of my whole Estate real and personal for her
support and maintenance during her natural life or
widowhood but it is provided in case she may marry it is then
my Will that the whole of my aforesaid Estate shall then be
immediately disposed of amongst my children and their
issues in such proportions as I shall herein after direct to be
made unto them either by her death or again intermarrying

Item to my son Edgar Lill or his legal representatives one tenth
part of my aforesaid Estate, but provided he may depart this
life without issue it is then will my Will that the same shall
devolve to my ~~my surviving~~ surviving children or their legal
representatives as I may hereafter dispose of my aforesaid Estate

Item to my daughter Elly who intermarried with a certain
William Lill one other tenth part of my aforesaid Estate and
at her death to devolve to her surviving issue or their legal represen-
tatives and it is my Will and desire that her said
husband shall not sell or otherwise dispose of any part of the
aforesaid one tenth part so disposed of in any manner what
soever to the prejudice or injury of my said daughter Elly or
her issue but on the contrary if he should attempt to do the
same on their application to the Court wherein this my said
last Will and Testament shall be admitted to record may
take such measures as they may judge most expedient to
comply with the intention I have for the same to be used for
their support & maintenance

Item whereas my daughter Elly who intermarried with a cer-
tain William Williams who has since departed this life and
leaving issue four sons George William Ezra & Ephraim to
whom I bequeath one tenth part of my Estate is divided
among each of them in four equal proportions or to their legal
Representatives

Item whereas my daughter Margaret intermarried to a certain
James (Dillon) Cowser who has since departed this life leaving
Issue Jane Edgar and William Lill to whom I bequeath
one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be divided

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Three equal proportions to them or their legal Representatives

I Will to my Daughter Patsy who intermarried with a certain William Colchester one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be disposed of & arranged in the same manner & form as is devised herein before mentioned as fully as if this same had been again repeated and expressed with regard to my Daughter Ellyly and her issue

I Will to my daughter Patsy who intermarried with a certain James Wether Doover one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be disposed of and arranged in the same manner and form as is herein devised with regard to my Daughter Ellyly & her issue as fully as if the same had been again repeated and expressed

I Will to my Son Matthew one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be disposed of in the same manner and form as is herein expressed with regard to my said Son Edgar

I Will to each of my daughters Anne Susanna & Dicey each one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate or to each of their ~~respective~~ ^{many} legal representatives and in case they or either of them ^{many} all without legal issue then their part so dying without such issue to descend to the survivors of my aforesaid legates or in case they or either of them shall marry and have issue as aforesaid then each separate part as aforesaid shall be subject to the same disposal and arrangement in as full and simple manner as is devised to be pursued with regard to my daughter Ellyly and her children in as full and simple manner as if the same had been again repeated & expressed

I Will I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my loving Wife Susanna executrix and my two Sons Edgar & Matthew Executors of this my last Will and Testament disannulling all other Wills & Bequests by me made in any manner whatsoever Ratifying this and no other do. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 25th day of

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July one thousand seven hundred & ninety nine

Sealed published pronounced & declared by William Lett to be his last Will and Testament

In the presence of us

the words Anne Susanna & Dicey in page 21 in the eleventh line from the bottom thereof & three erasements in page (1) interlined before signing as well as the erasements

James Lett +

James Lett junr +

William Lett ^{his} [S] marks

At a Court held for Bulfinch County the 26th day of September 1801
His last Will and Testament of William Lett dec^d was exhibited to the Court and proved by the oaths of James Lett and James Lett Junr witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded and on the motion of Susanna Lett the executrix therein named certificate is granted her for obtaining a probate thereof in due form she having made oath thereto and given bond and security according to Law

John Jameson Clerk

William Duncan
Will

In the name of God Amen I William Duncan of the County of Bulfinch State of Virginia being in perfect health and memory do make and ordain this my last will and Testament First and principally I recommend my soul to the hands of its divine author my body I commit to the Earth to be decently entred at the discretion of my Executors my worldly goods I dispose of as follows to wit I Will I bequeath to my beloved wife Rebecca the use and benefit of all my estate both real and personal during her widowhood and after her intermarriage or death I direct the same to be sold by my Executors and disposed of as follows my last debts and funeral expences being first paid

I give to my Son William Duncan or his legal representatives one hundred pounds current money of Virginia in case of said

Transcription of William Jett's Will, July 1799

1791-1803 Culpeper County, Virginia Will Book D;
[Sparacio]; Page 332-335

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN. I WILLIAM JETT of Culpeper County being of sound mind and memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in the following manner Viet. Imprimis My will and desire is first of all that my just debts and funeral expences be first discharged and paid. Item It is my will that my loveing Wife SUSANNA may have full enjoyment of my whole Estate during her natural life or widowhood but it is provided in case she may after direct to be made unto them either by her death or again intermarrying.

Item To my Son EDGAR JETT or his legal representative one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate but provided he may depart this life without issue it is then my will that the same shall descend to my surviving children or their legal representatives as I may hereafter dispose of my aforesaid Estate.

Item to my Daughter MILLY who intermarried with a certain WILLIAM JETT another tenth part of my aforesaid Estate and at her death to descend to her surviving issue or their legal respresentatives and it is my further will and desire that her said husband shall not sell or otherways dispose of any part of the aforesaid one tenth part so disposed of in any manner whatsoever to the prejudice or injury of my said Daughter Milly or her issues but on the contrary if he should attempt to do the same on their application to the Court wherein this my said last Will and Testament shall be admitted to record may take such measures as they may judge most expedient to comply with the intentions I have for the same to be used for their support and maintenance.

Item Whereas my daughter MOLLY intermarried with a certain WILLIAM WILLIAMS who has since departed this life leaving issue four sons, GEORGE, URBAN, EZRA & ZEPHANIAH to whom I bequeath one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be divided among each of them in four equal proportions or to their legal respresentatives.

Item Whereas my daughter MARGARET intermarried to a certain JAMES WITHERS DOURES who has since departed this life leaving issue JANE, EDGAR and WILLIAM JETT to whom I

bequeath one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be divided in three equal proportions to them or their legal representatives

Item to my Daughter BETSEY who intermarried with a certain WILLIAM WHITEHEAD one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be disposed and arranged in the same manner & form as is devised herein before mentioned as fully as if the same had been again repeated and Expressed with regard to my Daughter Milly and her issue

Item To my Daughter PHEBE who intermarried with a certain JAMES WITHERS DOORES one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be disposed of and arranged in the same manner and form as is herein devised with regard to my Daughter Milly & her issue as fully as if the same had been again repeated and expressed

Item to my Son MATTHEW one other tenth part of my aforesaid Estate to be disposed of in the same manner and form as is herein expressed with regard to my said Son Edgar Item to each of my daughters, ANN, SUSANNA & DICEY each one tenth part of my aforesaid Estate or to each of their respective legal representatives and in case they or either of them may die without legal issue then their part so dying without such issue to descend to the survivors of my aforesaid Legatees or in case they or either of them shall marry and have issue as aforesaid then each separate part as aforesaid shall be subject to the same disposal and arrangement in as full and ample manner as is directed to be pursued with regard to my daughter Milly and her children in as full and ample manner as if the same had been again repeated & expressed.

Item I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my loveing Wife Susanna Executrix and my two sons Edgar & Matthew Executors of this my last Will and Testament disannuling all other Wills ... In Testimony whereof I have set my hand and seal this 25th day of July one thousand seven hundred & ninety nine.

Presence JAMES JETT, William Jett
JAMES JETT JUNR.

At a Court held for Culpeper County the 21st day of September 1801

This Last will and Testament of William Jett decd was exhibited to the Court and proved by the Oaths of .. witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded And on the motion of Susanna Jett the Executrix therein named

certificate is granted her for obtaining a probat thereof
in due form she having made oath thereto and given bond and
security

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1791-1803 Culpeper County, Virginia Will Book D;
[Sparacio]; Page 350-352

IN OBEDIENCE to an order of Culpeper Court bearing date
September Court 1801 we the Subscribers being first sworn
do value and appraise the negroes and personal estate of
WILLIAM JETT decd in current money (to wit) .. items listed
and valued but not totalled which inventory lists 16
negroes; also mentioned Bond GAVIN LAWSON to Wm. Jett dated
28th January 1800 payable on demand .. Given under our
hands this 21st day of November 1801 made by appraisers
FRANCIS SETTLE, BENJA MIRSHON, ANDREW MIRSHON, JAMES JETT
JUNR At a Court held for Culpeper County the 18th day of
January 1802

This Inventory of the Estate of William Jett decd was
returned into Court and ordered to be recorded