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I William A. C. and do hereby make my last Will and Testament in manner following First I divide my Estate into two Lots the first Lot to consist of the balance of my military land by my wife Alice also that I have at said the above lot to consist of every species of property both real and personal that I now had and shall hereafter have future and all not excepted and desired that husband mentioned in the last will be said & the said property divided between my son Sidney Anne Bernard & my son C. Bernard many named and the said Bernard. and of the said lot I give to my children Henry and C. Bernard & my son (Bonds). & the balance of that Lot I give to be equally divided between my four children that are at present unmarried and my friend William H. Abbott as the rest of the estate contained in the last cannot be conveniently divided as it may be said and the proceeds of said estate have been given to my friend William H. Abbott it given in Trust for the use & benefit of my sister Elizabeth Wily wife of Walter Wily & her children meaning what children she may have in future as well as those she now hath it is my order that the said Elizabeth Wily & her children standing henceforth have the sole & separate control and use of the Legacy herein given to the said William H. Abbott and that the same shall not in any manner be subject to the liabilities debts and encumbrances of her Husband the said Wily.

Wells; and I do desire that the said Mr Wells Secu-
rity advised shall make any haul for an conveyance
of the said legacy and any part of it shall be required
by the said Elizabeth Will that circumstances may requi-
re to carry into effect the intent and a case mentioned
I signed that my friends William H. Wells Secretary
Wells shall execute the will without my hand
Signed the 23rd of April 1804 -
acknowledged in the presence of 3 Mrs J. Bernard (seal)
Partlet, David
H. Bernard
William Wells

At a Court held for Buckingham County the 11th
day of June 1804 The will was proved by the oath of
Barth Davis, H. Burnard, and William White, who
were there to and sworn to be correct.

Little Red Ellanage above
above Little Red Ellanage, p. 160

State of Virginia, Rockingham County
to wit: I, William Adams Justice of the County aforesaid
do hereby certify that the affidavits hereto annexed made by Pope
Clarence Clerk of said County of the said County in and
amongst by the proper officers appointed by the Laws
of the said State for that purpose and that full faith
and credit is due thereto in every Court and office in the
United States. Given under my hand this 28th day of
October Eighteen Hundred & Eleven.

at a Court held at Stafford County the 15th day of March 1810 a copy of will of my Father was produced in Court and read & the same was found to be the last will & testament of my Father and the same being read in my office -

Teste John D. Haskins

+ Mary Bernard Daughter of John Bernard deceased & Henry Bernard of the County of Buckingham in the State of Virginia being of full age, and of sound mind and memory do hereby certify that I have read the last will & testament of my Father and I have given and bequeath to my beloved mother the said Henry Bernard to her and her heirs forever all my Estate both real and personal which I now possess and are entitled to, in my at any future period be entitled to, under the will of my Late Father John Bernard my Late Brother William A. Bernard in the will a portion of them. Myself constitute and appoint the said Henry Bernard Sole Executor of the my Last will & Testament & Direct that no security be required of him for the performance of the said office and in view of these facts let my Land this 15th day of March in the year one thousand Eight Hundred and seven signed & delivered in presence of

Wm Gray Jr
David Campbell
James Armstrong

Mary Bernard

at a Court held at Stafford County the 26th day of March 1810

will and testament of Mary Bernard deceased be read in Court and passed by my Gray & David Campbell for and ordered to be recorded

Teste

William A. Haskins

at my office

John D. Haskins

State of Virginia Cumberland County do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the will taken from the records of my office given under my hand & the seal of the County the 15th day of March 1811

William A. Haskins

James Armstrong being one of the acting Justices of the Peace in and for the County of Cumberland and State of Virginia do hereby certify that William A. Haskins whose signature appears to the foregoing Certificate is high in law and Law is that of the said County Court of Cumberland and acting Justices and Credit may be given to the foregoing Certificate given under my hand the 15th day of March 1811

James Armstrong

Mr. Captain informs me that Letty Armstrong has filed with you a copy of Mr. Bernard's will

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