

329 the hands, possession or knowledge of him the said administrator or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him, and the same so made do exhibit unto the said Orphans Court when he shall be thereunto required by the said court. And such Goods, chattels and credits do well and truly administer according to Law, and further do make a just and true account of all his actings and doing therein when the same required by the said Court: and all the rest of the said goods chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon account of the administrator the same being first examined and allowed by the Judge of the said Court for the time being, shall deliver and pay unto such persons respectively as are entitled to the same by Law. And if it shall hereafter appear that any last Will and Testament was made by the Deceased, and the same be proved in Court and the Executor obtain a Certificate of the probate thereof, and the said administrator in such case being required render and Deliver up his Letters of Administration. Then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force.

Sealed and Delivered in

The presence of

The Court

George C Songden

John A Songden

John Songden

At a session of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia the 10th day of January 1815. The parties to this bond acknowledge the same to be their a P D Deed and it was ordered to be record Test A Moot Regd

In the Name of God Amen - I Nicholas Fitzhugh being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all other wills heretofore made by me -

Imprimis I give to my beloved wife Sarah Fitzhugh during her widow hood in law of her claim to Dower, all my Estate of whatever kind or nature; but on the following conditions, to wit, that she shall pay my Debts by selling such part of my Estate as she may think proper - also that she my wife do out of the Rents and profits of my Estate, educate and maintain my children until they shall respectively marry when the claim of her child so marrying, to

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maintenance shall cease, and further that she shall permit my unmarried children to live with her until they shall severally arrive to the age of Twenty One years at which period it is my will that she my wife permit my Estate to be Divided for the purpose of allotting to the children children so marrying or arriving to the age of Twenty one years the share or portion of my Estate herein after devised to such child or children. It is my will that she Deliver up a part or the whole of such portion; but in this Trust she will regard her own convenience as well as the merit and necessities of such child or children.

Item after the death or marriage of my wife I give bequests and devise as follows: to my Daughters Henrietta Sarah Fitzhugh, Lucy Battaille Fitzhugh, Anne Elizabeth Jane Fitzhugh, Mary Conway Mason Fitzhugh, Sophia Fitzhugh and Sarah Nicholas Fitzhugh, I give all that tract of Land which on a division of the Estate of the late General George Washington Deceased was allotted to the heirs of the late Ann Ashton Deceased one third part whereof belonged to my wife, being one of the children of the said Ann Ashton and was conveyed by her and myself to Dardett Ashton and by him reconveyed to me: the remaining two thirds parts thereof I bought from Dardett Ashton Junr the son and Dardett Ashton the late Husband of the said Anna Ashton. This tract lies in Mason county in the State of Virginia and contains by survey, fourteen hundred and twenty five acres. I also give to each of my said daughters one twelfth part of my slaves in a personal Estate and if either of my said Daughters shall die before she shall have married or attained the age of Twenty one years, I devise and bequeath the property real and personal to which she would have been hereby entitled to my surviving Daughters forever. It is my will and intention that the slaves which I have given or may hereafter give to my Daughter Henrietta Sarah Fitzhugh be considered as part of her twelfth part at their valuation when given without being accountable for their increase.

Item I give to my sons Augustine Fitzhugh Edmunds Fitzhugh Dardett Fitzhugh Henry William Fitzhugh, Charles Fitzhugh and Lawrence Fitzhugh for ever Six Thousand Acres of Land lying between the Little Miami and Scioto Rivers in the state of Ohio which I bought from Alexander Spotswood. I also give to my said sons six hundred and twenty acres of Land which I bought from my brother Giles Fitzhugh adjoining to my land on Pennsylvania in Han-

country Virginia commonly called the upper tract containing between nine hundred and one thousand acres. I also give to them my said sons my said upper tract of Land. I also give to them one other Tract of Land adjoining to the said upper tract which I bought from my brother Mordecai & Fitzhugh containing one hundred and Ninety six acres and one quarter of an acre. I also give to them the residue of my lower tract out of which I sold to Doctor Sturatt Eight Hundred and Thirty one Acres. I also give to them my said sons thirty nine and a half acres of Land adjoining to the said last mentioned tract which I bought from my brother Giles Fitzhugh. I also give to them Two hundred and Ninety acres adjoining thereto which I bought from Doctor Rose's trustee. I also give to them Three hundred and ninety eight and an half acres of Land which I bought from Captain Richard Conway's Executors, the conveyance was made to my brother Giles Fitzhugh who conveyed the Land to me. I also give to them three lots of Land contiguous to the Town of Alexandria in the District of Columbia which I bought from the said Conway's Executors described in the plan of his land (of which the said lots are part) as lot number Twenty Three containing one acre and three Eights of an acre, also lot number Twenty Four containing seven eights of an acre, and a lot number twenty five containing one acre and one eighth of an acre. I also give to them my Dwelling house and eight lots contiguous to said house, on part whereof it is built containing in the whole Eighty feet front on Washington and running of the same breadth to Joseph Street one of which Lots I bought from Charles Lee and seven from the children of David Griffith Deceased. I also give to each of my said sons one twelfth part of my slaves and other personal Estate and if either of my said sons shall die before he shall have married or arrived to the age of twenty one years, I give and bequeath the property Real and personal to which he would have been entitled under this my will, to my surviving sons for ever.

Item in case my wife should be pregnant at the time of my death, I give to such child (when born) if a male, a part of the property hereby devised to my sons equal to that of each of the other sons, and if a female it is my will that she shall participate equally with my other Daughters in the property hereby devised to my Daughters and it is my will that with respect to the

right and effect of sun worship that such child be considered as a slave alive. Lastly I nominate constitute and appoint my beloved wife sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament and guardian of my infant children and I particularly recommend to her, in case of difficulty to solicit the advice of my brothers and my much esteemed friends John Johnson Mason and Walter Jones. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twelfth day of August in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight Hundred and Thirteen to this my last will and Testament which has been wholly written by myself.

N. Fitzhugh Esq.

At a session of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia the fourteenth day of January 1815 this last Will and Testament of Nicholas Fitzhugh Deceased was presented to the court by Sarah Fitzhugh the Executrix therein named and proved by William Branch, Thomas Swann and George A. Thornton to be wholly written and signed by the Testator and that he did in their presence publish and pronounce the same as his last Will and Testament and was at the time of the said publication of sound and disposing mind and the same was ordered to be recorded. And the said Executrix having qualified to the said Testament and given bond and security conformable to Law, letters Testamentary were granted her

Test, C. Moore Reg'r wills

I now all men by these presents That we Sarah Fitzhugh, Augustine Fitzhugh and Giles Fitzhugh are held and firmly bound to Robert Young Esq' Judge of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia and his successors in office in the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made to the said Judge and his successors in office we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals and Dated the Fourteenth day of January 1815.

The condition of the above obligation is that if the said Sarah Fitzhugh Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Nicholas Fitzhugh Deceased do make a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods chattels and credit of the said

Decreas which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of her the said Sarah Fitzhugh or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for her and the same so made do exhibit unto the said Orphans court at such times as she shall be thereto required by the said court. And the same goods chattels and credits do well and truly administer according to Law, and do make a just and true account of her actions and doings therein when therunto required by the said Court: and further do well and truly pay and Deliver all the Legacies contained and specified in the said Will as far as the said goods chattels and credits will extend according to the value thereof and as the Law shall charge. Then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force

Sarah Fitzhugh *[Signature]*

(Sealed & delivered in the presence of) Aug^r Fitzhugh *[Signature]*
Alex Moore Regrants Giles Fitzhugh *[Signature]*

At a session of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia the 14th day of January 1815. The parties to this bond did nowledge the same to be their act and Deed and it was ordered to be record.

Test A Moore Regr: will:

In the Name of God amen - I George Chapman late of the County of Fairfax at present of the County of Prince William do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament as follows. Imprimis, I give the whole of my Estate both real and personal to my beloved wife Amelia Chapman, and if she should depart this life without making any will or Disposition therof then my will and desire is that after her Death the same be equally divided among all my children living at her Death and the legal representatives of such of my children as may depart this life before her leaving issue such representatives receiving only the part which deceased child or children would have been entitled to in case they had survived their mother and I appoint my Dearely beloved wife sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament and desire that no security may be required of her for the execution of this my last will and Testament. I witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this fifteenth day of March 1800. George Chapman *[Signature]*
Signed, Sealed, published and delivered in presence of
Ch. Simms Amos Allison
John Holloman M. H. L. Turner

At a session of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia the 14th day of January 1815, this last Will and Testam-
ent of George Chapman Decreas was presented to the Court by Amelia
Chapman the Executrix therein named and proved in Due form of Law
by Charles Simms and Jacob Hoffman two of the subscribing witnesses
thereto and ordered to be recorded. And the said Executrix having given
bond without security as directed by the Testator and qualified to the said
Testam ent, Letters Testamentary were granted her Test

A Moore Regr

I know all men by these presents that I Amelia Chapman am held and firmly bound to Robert Young Esquire Judge of the Orphans court of the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia and his successors in office in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made to the said Judge and his successors in office I bind myself my heirs Executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with my seal and Dated the 21st day of January 1815.

The condition of the above obligation is that of the said Amelia Chapman Executrix of George Chapman Decreas to make a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods chattels and credits of the said Decreas which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of the said Executrix or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for her, and the same so made do exhibit unto the said Orphans Court at such times as she shall be thereto required by the said Court. And the same goods chattels and credits do well and truly administer according to Law and make a just and true account of her actions and doings therein when therunto required by the said court: and further do well and truly pay and deliver all the Legacies contained and specified in the said will as far as the said goods chattels and credits will extend according to the value thereof and as the Law shall charge. Then this obligation to be void, else to remain in full force

Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of
Alexander Moore
Regr: will

Amelia Chapman *[Signature]*