

Alleghany County Court June Term 1849

The said Will of the personal estate of Sampson Noyes dec'd was this day returned to the Court and the same is ordered to be recorded

Teste

And, Judge C. H.

In the name of God Amen. I, Noyes Noyes of the
County of Alleghany and State of Virginia, being of sound
mind and memory, do hereby make this as my last Will and
Testament, knowing that it is appointed unto man once
to die; I therefore, I will my spirit unto God who gave
it, and my body to the dust from whence it came, to
be buried in a Christian like manner. —
First. I will my Negro woman Lucy to be free at my
death. — Secondly. — I will my Grand daughter Almira
Noyes, daughter of Fleming Noyes, my black girl Lucy
(daughter of the before named Lucy but the said Lucy is
dead) and her mother's sister, my black girl Almira
Noyes, whom she is to be free at my death. — I will my
Negro my Black boy Andrew, upon the following condition
that is: He is to pay to my Estate the sum of one hundred
and thirty seven and one half dollars, which sum and
if paid to my estate, I will to my son John Noyes. —
I will to my two sons James Noyes, & Christopher
Noyes my black boy Armistead, equally to be divided
between them, the boy to be valued and Christopher free
to have the privilege of keeping him by paying the
half worth of him to James, and provided Christopher
fails to do so, then James has the same privilege of
keeping him by paying the half valuation to Christo-
pher. — I will my two daughters Elizabeth Brinkley
and Catharine (the balance of her name is not
known since her marriage) my black girl Adeline, to
be equally divided between them, the girl to be valued
and Catharine to have the privilege of keeping her,
by paying to Elizabeth Brinkley the half valua-
tion, and provided she does not then Elizabeth
Brinkley to have the same privilege of paying to
Catharine the half valuation and keeping the girl.

Finally, I will all the residue of my property to be sold
and equally divided between my following children.
Elizabeth Brinkley, my daughter Catharine, my son James
John and Christopher Noyes, to be equally divided between
them. — Lastly I appoint my friend Lewis S. Mann as my
Executor. In witness whereof, I have written with my hand and
seal this 9th day of December 1846.

Teste

Archibald S. Mann

Andrew S. Mann

Matthew S. Mann

Noyes Noyes

Alleghany County Court August Term 1849.

An instrument of writing purporting to be the last
Will and Testament of Noyes Noyes dec'd was produced
to the Court for probate, and was proved by the oath of
Archibald S. Mann, Andrew S. Mann & Matthew S. Mann
the subscribing witnesses thereto, and the same is ordered
to be recorded. — Therefore Lewis S. Mann the Executor named
in the said Will, do hereby acknowledge that he has received
a bond in the penalty of \$3000. On delivery according
to Law. Certificate is granted the said Lewis S. Mann
for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.

Attest

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And, Judge C. H.