

In the name of God Amen I W^m Scroggs of the County of
Buckingham, and State of Virginia first being in good health but some
in mind and memory do hereby make and declare this my last Will and Testament
hereby revoking and making void any former Will I may have made in
the manner and form following that is to say

First after my death my will and desire is that my body be
decently buried and as to such worldly estate as it has pleased God to en-
trust me with I dispose of in the following manner viz my will and
desire is that all my just debts be paid

Item I leave to my daughter Jane Scroggs one negro girl Bar-
risay and her increase to her and her heirs forever

Item I confirm a gift to my son Great T. Scroggs and to his
heirs forever a negro named Peter the same he is possessor of

Item I give to my John M. Scroggs and his heirs forever a negro
boy named Frank the same boy he was possessor of

Item I give to my grand son John Scroggs a negro girl named
Elen and her future increase to him and his heirs forever

Item I give to my daughter Mary T. Woodbridges children and for
the benefit of their mother as long as she lives one negro girl named
Harryanne and her increase to them and their heirs forever and also the
deciduous on property she now possesses I dispose of to her children
as above

Item I give to my grand sons William M. McCormick and Joel
D. McCormick One hundred dollars each

Item I desire that the residue of my estate after the above legacies
both real and personal be kept for a home and support for my beloved wife
Jane Scroggs and my daughter Jane Scroggs as long as they live or as

as above.

Item I give to my grand sons William M. Connick and Joel D. M. Connick One hundred dollars each.

Item I desire that the residue of my estate after the above legacies both real and personal be kept for a home and support for my beloved wife Frances Scruggs and my daughter Jane Scruggs as long as they live or as to my daughter Jane Scruggs as long as she remains single. At the termination of the above provision as regards my wife Frances Scruggs and Jane Scruggs my daughter I desire that portion of my estate set apart for them be equally divided among my children making my grand son John Scruggs a legatee in place of his father and the children of my daughter Mary F. Mordredge to have his portion subject to her benefit as above specified. I do hereby make and ordain my son Creed T. Scruggs and Carlton P. Lewis Executors of this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I William Scruggs the testator to this my will wrote here on one sheet of paper set my hand and seal the 29th day Decr 1856

Teste

Wm B. Morley

Peter Hales

Peter P. Morley

William X Scruggs

At a Court held for Buckingham County March 9th 1857 This paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of William Scruggs, dec. was this day produced in open Court, and proved by the oath of Peter Hales and Peter P. Morley subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded. And Creed T. Scruggs and Carlton P. Lewis the Executors named in said Will refusing to take upon themselves the burden of the

execution thereof. Letters of Administration of the said decedent's estate with his Will annexed were granted Robert C. Gray, who having taken the oath required by Law, and entered into and acknowledged bond with the security conditions as the law directs.

Teste R. Eldridge C.B.C.

Attest: F. T. R. Eldridge C.B.C.

Buckingham County Court Clerk's Office April 21st 1873 This attests copy of the last Will and Testament of William Scroggs, deceased, heretofore recorded in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Buckingham County, the books containing the record of said Will and the Original Will itself having been lost or destroyed, was this day produced in my Office, and admitted to record anew.

Teste O. A. Forbes C.B.C.

I Alexander Trent of the County of Buckingham and State of Virginia being of sound mind and disposing memory do make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former Wills and Testaments made by me.

Item 1st I give and devise to my beloved wife Elizabeth M. Trent for and during her natural life my tract of land called Clay Banks on which I now reside containing eight hundred and forty four acres more or less, and for greater accuracy in the description of which reference may be had to the deed for the same, and also all of my household and kitchen furniture of every kind and description including therein all of my books, all of my silver ware spoons &c of every kind, my carriage and harness, and any two of my horses she may select for carriage.