

Archer
Bland

In the name of God amen. I Archer Bland of the County of Gloucester and State of Virginia being of sound and disposing mind, and body do make this to be my last will and testament in manner and form following

First I leave to my dear wife Polly Bland in testimony of my sincere regard and affection for her one third of my personal and perishable property as long as she lives, and if she should desire the perishable property to be sold, I direct my executors hereinafter named to sell the same, and the funds arising therefrom to be put at interest and the income to be paid to her annually as long as she may live and at her death I wish all of the said property left to my wife divided as follows to wit one share I give and bequeath to my son Robert Bland, one share I give and bequeath to my son Schuyler Bland, one share I leave to my daughter Susan Roane (who intermarried with Mr. Roane) and at her death I give the said share to her children, one share I leave to my daughter Emily Scanlan (who intermarried with Mr. Scanlan) and at her death I give the said share to her children, one share I leave to my daughter Louisa Johnston (who intermarried with John L. Johnston) and at her death I give the said share to her children, one share I leave to my daughter Delia Leigh (who intermarried with Richard D. Leigh) and at her death I give the said share to her children, And it is my wish and desire that my dear wife will live with my son Schuyler Bland on that portion of my farm where I now reside, and which will hereinafter bequeathed to my son Schuyler Bland.

(Secondly) I leave to my daughter Emily Scanlan one half of my tract of land called Lees neck as long as she lives and at her death I give the same to her children.

Thirdly, I leave to my daughter Susan Roane one hundred and twenty five acres of land as long as she lives and at her death I give the same to her children, the above named piece of land being apart of the farm upon which

standing near the fence thence along the fence to a pine marked & standing on an old ditch bank at the woods, thence running towards the old saw mill and creek so as to cut off the one hundred and twenty five acres above named.

Fourthly, I loan to my daughter Louisa Johnston the other half of my tract of land called Lees neck, so long as she lives and at her death I give the same to her children. (Fifthly) I loan to my daughter Julia Leigh a portion of my farm upon which I now live as long as she lives and at her death I give the same to her children. The above named portion of land is bounded in the following manner, beginning at the upper gate near a new house and running along the road leading to my residence to the old gran yard, thence along the fence to the ice pond, thence down the stream and marsh to the main creek, thence bounded by said creek and Pierce's land to the gate where the said Pierce's road unites with the road leading from the river. Gloucester County, Virginia Wills 1762-1896
www.virginiapioneers.net I give to my son Robert T. Bland my farm in Middlesex County upon which he now resides and two thousand dollars in money to be paid out of my estate.

Seventhly, I give and bequeath to my son Schuyler Bland the balance or residue of my farm upon which I now live, and two thousand dollars in money, to be paid out of my estate, and it is my wish and desire that his house shall be a home for my dear wife as long as she lives.

Eighthly, It is my will and desire that the residue of my perishable and personal property, shall be sold, and the money arising therefrom to be disposed of as follows, one share I give to my son Robert T. Bland, one share I give to my son Schuyler Bland, one share I loan to my daughter Susan Roane as long as she lives and at her death I give the same to her children, one share I loan to my daughter Emily Scanlan as long as she lives and at her death I give the same to her children, one share I loan to my daughter Louisa Johnston as long as she lives and at her death I give

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lan as long as she lives and at her death I give the same to her children, one share
I loan to my daughter Louisa Johnston as long as she lives and at her death I give
the same to her children, one share I loan to my daughter Julia Light as long as
she lives and at her death I give and bequeath the same to her children. And
I do ^{herely} nominate and appoint my two sons Robert T. Bland and Schuyler Bland to
be executors of this my last will and testament, and I request the Court not to require
security of my sons, believing they will do justice to my estate. I do hereby revoke
and make void all former and other will and wills by me at any time or times
heretofore made. And do hereby declare these presents to be and contain my
last will and testament.

In witness whereof I the said testator Archer Bland have to this my said
last will set my hand and seal this 30th day of December one thousand
eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ ^{eighty two} (1882)

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Signed sealed published and
declared by the testator Archer Bland,
as and for his last will and testament,
in the presence of us, who in his
presence at his request and in the
presence of each other, have hereunto
subscribed our names as witnesses.

P. J. Woodward
Geo. L. Nicolson
Thos. W. Dannelley.

Archer Bland 

In Middlesex County Court Sept. 23^d. 1863. This last will and
testament of Archer Bland deceased was proved by the oaths of P. J. Woodward

and Thomas H Fauntleroy two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and is ordered to be recorded.

Teste

P. J. Woodward C.

A Copy Teste

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At a Court held in Gloucester County at the Court House on Monday the 4th day of September 1868, this Copy of the last will and testament of Archer Bland deceased was produced in Court and the Original having been duly recorded in the Clerks office of the County Court of Middlesex, the same was ordered to be recorded here and is recorded.

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Teste W. R. Cary C. Cur.

W. Vaughan
Teste

In the name of God amen. I W. Vaughan of the County of Gloucester State of Virginia being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding do make, publish, and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making null and void all former last wills and testaments and writings in the nature of last wills and testaments by me heretofore made.

My will is first that my funeral charges and just debts shall be paid by my administrator.

The residue of my estate and property which shall not be required for the payment of my just debts funeral charges, and the expences attending the execution of this my will, and the administration of my estate, I give, devise and dispose thereof as follows, to wit;

I give and devise to James W. Vaughan my son in Law my bed and furniture.