

Medlicott
Joseph

In the name of God amen. I Joseph Medlicott of the County of Gloucester and State of Virginia, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of this mortal life, do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form following to wit:

1st It is my wish and desire, and I hereby direct my Executor hereinafter mentioned, as soon after my decease as may be practicable, to settle and pay all of my just debts out of any funds that may come into his hands belonging to my estate.

2nd After the payment of all my just and lawful debts I desire and direct that Gloucester Co. Virginia Wills 1862-1896
www.virginiapioffers.net the whole of my estate, both personal and real except as hereinafter provided, be held together and used and controlled by my Executor for the mutual benefit and support of my wife Hester Ann, and daughter Eliza and children, and to be so held and controlled for and during the term of my said wife's natural life -

3rd At the death of my beloved wife Hester Ann, I give and bequeath to my adopted daughter, Carrie M. Shackelford who intermarried with Saml W. Tinsley, three hundred dollars, and to my niece Louisa J. Medlicott who intermarried with A. H. Martin, one hundred dollars, and hereby direct my Executor to pay the same as soon after my decease as may be practicable. The balance of my personal and real estate I leave to my daughter Eliza who intermarried with James W. Stubb,

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to pay the same as soon after my decease as may be practicable. The balance of my personal and real estate I leave to my daughter Eliza, who intermarried with James W. Stubb, to have hold use and enjoy during the term of her natural life.

4th At the death of my said daughter Eliza, I give and bequeath my whole estate, both personal and real, to my grand children then living, to have and to hold unto them and their heirs forever, and direct that the same be divided among them in fair and equal proportion.

5th In the event of my mill property becoming expensive and unprofitable, I hereby direct my Executor to sell the same upon the best terms he may be able to command, and the money derived from the sale thereof be loaned at interest and secured by deed of trust on real estate. Glochester Co. Virginia Wills 1802-1896
www.virginiapioneers.net Provided that in the good judgment of my Executor, any other portion of my estate, can be enhanced or profited by using said money therefor, he shall be, and is hereby directed to invest the same accordingly.

6th I hereby direct my Executor to faithfully carry out the provisions of a certain Contract made and entered into between George Tinsley and myself, and the money arising from the sale of the timber therein mentioned be applied to the general improvement of the farm and buildings on my estate.

7th It is my will and desire that the funeral and burial expenses of my beloved wife, Hester Ann be paid out of my estate.

8th I hereby nominate and appoint my son in law James

H. Stubbs, Executor of this my last will and Testament, and request, the County Court, that he be allowed to qualify as such without Security. In witness whereof I have unto set my hand and seal this 17th day of November 1883.

Signed in presence of
J. M. Shackelford
J. E. Lamberth

Joseph Medlicott (Seal)

Whereas I Joseph Medlicott of the County of Gloucester and State of Virginia have made and duly executed my last will and Testament in writing, bearing date the 17th day of November 1883, Now I do declare this present writing to be a codicil to my said will and an amendment to the 3rd item a section thereof, which, so far as it relates to the provision therein made for my adopted daughter Carrie M. Shackelford who intermarried with Saml. W. Tinsley, Gloucester Co. Virginia Wills 1862-1896 www.virginiapioneers.net and my niece Louisa J. Medlicott who intermarried with A. H. Martin, is hereby revoked and direct the same to be annexed thereto.

1st. At the death of my beloved wife Hester Ann I give and bequeath to my adopted daughter Carrie M. Shackelford who intermarried with Saml. W. Tinsley two hundred and fifty dollars, and to my niece Louisa J. Medlicott who intermarried with A. H. Martin one hundred and fifty dollars and I hereby direct my Executor to pay the same as soon after my decease as may be practicable. The balance of my personal and real estate, I lend to my daughter Eliza who intermarried with James H. Stubbs, to have, hold use and enjoy during the term of her natural life.

2nd. In consideration of his faithfulness to me during my last illness I give and bequeath to Frank Linnon a pair of male specklings and hereby

✓ I have and I hereby direct my executor to pay out of my
my decrease as may be practicable. The balance of my personal
and real estate, I bind to my daughter Eliza who intermarried with James
A. Smith, to have, hold use and enjoy during the term of her natural
life.

2nd In consideration of his faithfulness to me during my last illness
I give and bequeath to Frank Linnon a pair of snail specklings and hereby
direct my executor to deliver the same as early after my decrease as
may be practicable.

In testimony whereof to this writing and the provisions herein
contained I have set my hand and seal this 13th day of au-
gust 1884.

Joseph Medlicott

(Seal)

Signed in the presence of
J. M. Shackelford
J. B. Lambirth

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At a County Court begun and held at
Glo. Chester County at the Court House on Monday the 6th day of
October 1884 this last will and Testament of Joseph Medlicott
deceased was proved in open Court by the oaths of J. M. Shackelford
and J. B. Lambirth the witnesses, thereto subscribed, and by the
Court was to be recorded and is recorded

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Ans S. Cooke Clerk