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Maria P. -

In the name of God Amen. I Maria Peyton 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 declare this my last will and testament in manner and form following (That is to say) First It is my wish and desire, and I direct my executor hereinafter named as soon after my decease as may be convenient to sell and dispose of all of my personal property, and out of any money arising therefrom or any other funds belonging to my estate to pay my funeral expenses and all of my just and lawful debts.

I give bequeath and devise to George Washington Twenty five acres
of land and the sum of seventy five dollars in money, I give devise and be-
queath to Lucy Washington Twenty five acres of land, and the sum of Fifty
dollars. I give devise and bequeath to the Children of Mary Reed who inter=
married with Edward Reed Twenty five acres of land and direct my exec-
utor hereinafter named to have the said land herein bequeathed, surveyed
and laid off from any portion of my tract of land, lying on the right
hand side of the main road leading from my gate to ~~J~~^M Kemps Store The
said lots of land to be laid off in one tract as they may select or locate
with the exception of fifteen acres or less as they may choose or desire which
they or their assigns may select from any portion of my tract of wood land.
I further direct that in event of one or all or their legal representatives of said
waits building or erecting any house or houses on any portion of my lands
before my decease that they or their representatives shall have the right to
select the land whereon the house or houses may be located as a part of
their portion of the lands to which they may be entitled to under my
will without any estimate of the cost of said houses.

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their portion of the land to which they may be entitled to under my
will without any estimate of the cost of said houses.

Thirdly I give and bequeath to Miss Elizabeth Hettle the sum of Twenty
five dollars.

Fourthly I direct my Executor herein after named, to sell and dispose
of all the balance and residue of my real estate upon the best terms he
can and to execute deeds for the same without any order of the County
Court and the money arising therefrom together with any other funds
that may be belonging to my estate after fully carrying out the pro-
visions herein before made, to pay the same over to John E. Blane, Fred
Wolfe, Thomas Thrift, Chas. F. Roane, Trustees for Salem Church or
their successors in office to be by them held in trust and expended in
any way that they may deem best for the benefit of said church.

Fifthly I nominate and appoint my friend Mr. Saml B. Chapman
Executor of this my last will and testament. I witness whereof I the
said testator Maria Royston have hereunto set my hand and seal
this 31st day of January 1882

signed in presence of and

Maria P^{ro} Royston *(seal)*
mark

acknowledged

L. F. Roane

J. Sawron

A County Court held for Gloucester County on the 11th day of October 1887

The will of Maria P. Royston was produced in Court and offered for probate
and proved by L. F. Roane one of the subscribing witnesses and confirmed for
proof as to the other subscribing witnesses till next term of this Court and

on motion of the Executor it is ordered that J. Dawson the other subscribing witness be summoned to next term of this court to testify as to the genuineness of said will. Just. W. C. Coker D.C. for S. B. Chapman & Co

At a County Court held for Gloucester County on the seventh day of November 1887 The last will and testament of Maria Rogers which was offered for probate and proved by E. J. Reane one of the subscribing witnesses at last term of this court but adjourned over until this term of the court for additional proof was this day proved in Open Court by Eliza Dawson the other subscribing witness and it is ordered that the said will be recorded and is recorded

Just. W. C. Coker D.C.
for S. B. Chapman & Co

Smith, Ed.
Will -

I Sally Ann Smith being of sound mind do make this my last will and testament I devise and bequeath my whole estate to my Sister Rosa & Cookson to be held by her in trust of the use and benefit of my niece Molly Jackson Browell. The interest and profits arising from my estate, I wish to be applied to the support and education of my said niece, and in the event that the interest, dividends and profits of my estate shall be insufficient for that purpose, seventy five dollars of the principal may be so applied each year for not more than three years for her proper education. In the event of the death of the death of my sister I wish another trustee appointed in her stead, and that she, or such trustee shall hold the said property for the use of my said niece, and

J. L. Stone
Will.

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