

with all my just debts paid by my executors herein  
after named. The Residue of my estate personal  
and real I give to my three grand children to wit  
Marion Jennings, Betty May, and William Brad  
to them and their heirs forever. Lastly I appoint  
my friends Madison Minor executor to this my last  
will and Test. Witness my hand and seal this  
fifteenth day of May 1866

Edmund Smithy  
Joseph Price

per  
Betsey Hutchins  
mark

Magistrate's Court held for Kingdome  
Queen County at Ferrisville on Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup>  
day of August 1866 This last will and Testament  
of Betsey Hutchins deceased was offered for  
proof and was proved by the oaths of Edmund  
Smithy and Joseph Price the witnesses thereto  
subscribed and is ordered to be recorded

John Robert Pierce  
County Clerk

In the name of God Amen I George M. Pendleton  
of Kingdome Queen County Virginia hereby revoking a certain  
former will and Codicils made by me, do make this  
last will and Testament as follows to wit I direct that  
all my estate both Real and personal be sold by my  
Executors, at such time and upon such terms and in  
such way as they may deem most advantageous for  
the interest of my Estate

I make no special provision for my wife being  
content that she shall receive such interest in my  
estate as the Law bestows upon her, and I expect that  
she will consent in the sale of my Land here in  
divided and do not think it advisable for her under  
any circumstances to keep house and she will be

entitled to the same interest in the proceeds of all of my land  
that she would be in the land itself, if it were conveyed  
to her. I direct that all my just debts be paid and  
subject thereto, and subject also to the legal rights of my  
wife, in my <sup>estate</sup> I give and devise said estate to my  
children and to my grand-child Chastain Pundleton  
to be divided equally among them it being my intention  
that my said grand-child shall share in my estate  
equally with my children with this exception however  
that should my said grand-child die under twenty one  
years of age unmarried and without issue, then the share or  
portion of my estate to which he may be entitled under this  
Will shall go to my children who may be then living  
(and the issue of such of them as may be then dead, in  
such manner, that each of my children then living shall  
receive an equal share of the same, and the issue of any,  
of each child, then dead, shall together receive an equal  
share of the same.

Considering that I have made equal advancements to all  
my children including my deceased son Benjamin Pundleton  
I direct that none of my children, shall be charged in the  
division of my estate with any advancements which I have  
heretofore made to them nor shall my grandson Chastain  
Pundleton be charged with any advancements heretofore  
made to his father, but any advancements which I may  
hereafter make, either of money or property to any of my  
said children, or to my grand-child and which I may  
charge to them respectively on any account book or  
otherwise, shall be accounted for by such children, or by  
my said grandson respectively in the division of my estate.

Should ever shares or portions of my estate, my daughter  
Catherine Ann may be entitled to, at any time, under this  
Will, I direct shall be held by my Executors, in trust, so  
that my said daughter shall herself be entitled only to the  
use, or to the interest and profits thereof during her life-time,  
separately, and distinctly, keeping, from any husband she

may here after have, who so to have no interest in the same and no power or control over the same, and all the death of my said daughter, her descendants shall be entitled absolutely to the said shares or portions of my estate, to be distributed among them according to the laws now in force in Virginia regulating the distribution of Intestates Estates.

I appoint my friend Edward D Acree James W Smith and J. C. Jones Executors of this my last Will and Testament.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August 1862 signed sealed published & declared by the testator George M Pendleton in presence of us, who in his presence and in the presence of each other and by his request have subscribed our names hereto as witnesses.

George M Pendleton

The Substantive and George well enough records, his name by his direction was subscribed by J. C. Jones

J. M. Henley  
J. W. Haynes  
J. C. Pendleton

Codicil to the foregoing Will

I George M Pendleton do hereby make and ordain this Codicil to my will, to wit.

The shares or portions of my estate to which my daughter Maria Louisa will be entitled under the provisions of the foregoing Will I give and bequeath to my friend Edward D Acree in trust for my said daughter, ~~and he is to pay for the same and separate use~~ of my said daughter, during her life - hence so that she may have the sole and full use and enjoyment of the income and profits thereof from the entire ability and control of any other person or persons during

life time and after death the shares which may fall to her as  
executor shall be divided among her issue as if it were devised  
from her and they shall have the same absolutely and forever

Witness my hand and seal this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1840  
Wm Jones  
Geo M Pendleton Seal

The last will being too feeble to  
write, his name by his direction  
was written by J. H. Jones

B. W. McCallane  
Geo Wm Quorum

At a Court held for King and Queen County at  
Faces Chapel on Thursday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1840

This last will and testament of George M Pendleton and  
and Codicil thereto, was offered for proof by Edward Moore  
James Wm Smith and J. H. Jones the Executors therein  
named and the said will was proved by the oaths of Thomas  
M. Stanley and James W. Haynes two of the competent witnesses  
subscribed and the said Codicil was proved by the oaths  
of Benjamin W. McCallane and Geo Wm Quorum the  
competent witnesses, subscribed, and was ordered to be recorded

Wm. Robert Bell and J. C.  
Frederick  
Clerk

In the name of God Amen I Mary Langham of the  
County of King and Queen do make this my last will and testament  
as follows to wit

- First I desire all my just debts to be paid
- Secondly I leave to my daughter Beloy Martin for and  
during her life my negro man George and after her death I give  
said negro man to her son Solomon A Martin in fee simple
- Thirdly I give to my two grand daughters children of my  
daughter Ellen Hubbard that is to say Emma Frances, and  
Mary Ellen Hubbard the following slaves to wit Henry Harry  
Charlotte Junny Mary Eliza, Nancy Lewis and Richard to  
them in fee simple