

written by the Testators own hands & thereupon the said
writing is ordered to be recorded as the true last will
(and Testament) of the said Richard H. Pollard dec'd

Teste Robert Pollard dec'd
Fully recorded
Teste

In the name of God, Amen, I John Gilmore of the County
of King and Queen and State of Virginia being weak of body
but of sound and disposing mind and memory do make
publish and declare this my last will and Testament
First I will all my just ~~estate~~ to be paid by my execu-
try hereinafter named. Secondly I give and
bequeath to my dear friend Frances A. Brooks during her
life all my estate real and personal and at her death
to the said Frances A. Brooks' children named as
follows Brooks George A Brooks Junius Brooks
Frances Brooks and Robert M W Brooks to be divided
equally between them. Thirdly and lastly I leave
my dear friend the aforesaid Frances A. Brooks my
Executor of this my last will and Testament with
the request that she will keep my estate and the
above mentioned children as much together as
practicable and treat them with all tenderness
And I earnestly request the Court before which this
Will may be offered for proof and record to suffer
the said Frances A. Brooks to qualify as executor
without security Witness my hand this 20th day
of May 1865

Witnessed in the presence
of the Testator in the
presence of each other
com~~mission~~

Wm Wright
J. W. Taylor

John Gilmore

At a (exhibited)

for King and Queen County at Stevensville on Thursday the 27th day of September 1865. This last will and testament of John Gilmore deceased was offered for proof by Francis A. Brooks the Executor therein named and was proved by the oaths of Wiley Wright and Thomas W. Ryker two of the witnesses thereto subscribed and is ordered to be recorded.
 Truly recorded, ^{Take,} Robert S. Collier
 Clerk,

I Archibald Pointer of the County of King and Queen in the State of Virginia, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following to-wit:
 1st I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be first paid.

2nd I direct that all my land be sold by my executor hereinafter named, upon such terms, as in their judgment, will conduce to the most advantageous sale thereof the proceeds thereof to be disposed of as herein after directed.

3rd I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Kitty Pointer in fee simple my Walnut bedstead my word robe the Bureau her father gave her, all my silver plate, except the spoons marked "Pointer" and "E. S." my watch one third of my stock of all kinds, one third of the rest of my household furniture, one third of all the crops made on the plantation during the year of my death, which may not have been disposed of by me prior to my death, and my slave Betty that I acquired by my marriage with her (and three of her children) such as she may select from one third of the residue of my slaves on which said third are to be included if my wife desires it) the other slaves and their increase which I acquired by my marriage with her.