

Wm. H. Hargreaves
to 3. will

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In the name of god Amen, this 19th day of May
and thousand eight hundred and eighteen I William
Hargreaves of Maryland formerly a free state of
Virginia being advanced in years and weak
in body but of sound memory and understanding
do see cause to make this my last will and tes-
tament. That is to say, I recommend my soul
to Almighty god and my body to the ground
as for what worldly estate the Lord has blessed me
with in this life I dispose of the same in the
following manner, ^{and term} that is to say, it is my will
that all my lawful debts personal expenses and
doctor charges if any there be be paid and law-
fully discharged, I will and do bequeath unto my
lawful and loving wife, that part of my

where now I now live. Beginning at Beech Cabin
and down that Spring branch as it runs to
the mouth of Leesons Spring branch and then
down the road that goes to Leesons, to Sweden
line. I now the third part of all my Stock
whenever furniture beds and bedding plant and
all tools during her life. And after her de-
cease the land to be divided as I shall hereaf-
ter direct. My wife Shewell Mary the
Land shall be divided between Ezekiel and
Leamard, the balance of my moveable property
and stock shall be divided as follows, that is to say
I have of my daughters has had some part of my
property and more than the rest before any divi-
sion is made. They shall have equally share and the
balance to be divided equally between four daughters
My land except my wages part I will unto my
two sons to be divided as follows, beginning at Sweden
line, at the head of the Spring at the cross piece

thence, at the head of the Spring at the crop fence
and with that fence as it runs to the Meadows
and to continue the same course in a direct
line to the opposite line that to be line betw-
een them & back to that part he now lives, and
And if my wife should marry she shall re-
tain her part of the meadows and stock, and
I do hereby nominate my wife and my son
in law Marion Leamer to be the executors of
this my last will and testament In witness
whereof I set my hand and seal the day and
year above written

Witness and acknowledged William Alaridge
in presence of us
Benjamin Rued
John Long
John Wimmer

After signing at writing my
will I declared that I was of sound mind

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now living back to that part he now lives on
And if my wife should Mary she shall re-
tain her part of the moccasins and stock, and
I do hereby nominate my wife and my son
in law Mordecai to be the executors of
this my last will and testament In witness
whereof I set my hand and seal the day and
year above written

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Witnessed and acknowledged } William Alaridge
in presence of us }
Benjamin Lucas
John Long
John Warriner

After signing at writing my
will, I recollect that I was informed by Peter
Huff to convey to an acre or two a part of a
certain tract of land once Thomas

Letter as another part of the same tract,

It not being a one thereby direct my executor
or administrator to make the said deed as
agreeable to the power given to me by said
Will.

Present

William Aldridge

John Warriner

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Benjamin

Leonard Aldridge

at about held for Montgomery County
the 7th day of July 1818.

This last will and Testament of William
Aldridge decd was presented in court & proven
by the oath of John Long & Benjamin Reed
~~two of the witnesses thereto subscribed & ordered~~
to be recorded, and on the motion of Nancy
Aldridge the Executrix therein named, who
took the oath by law prescribed & gave bond

Present
John Warriner
J^r Banner
Lena Aldridge

William Aldridge

at about held for Montgomery County
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~~of the contents thereof subscribed & ordered~~
to be recorded, and on the motion of Mary
Aldridge the Executrix therein named, who
took the oath by law prescribed & gave bond
with security conditioned as the law directs
certificate is granted her for obtaining
probate thereof in due form

Teste

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