

Neal of Gray's
Will.

In the name of God Amen. I Neal of Gray T. N. of the County of Nansimond and State of Va
make this my last will & Testament, in manner & form following viz. I give all of my Chattle prop-
erty, to be sold and the proceeds disposed of as here in after named viz. I give to my wife Hannah
Gray, all the property she owned when I married her and one seventh of the proceeds of my Chattle prop-
erty, after paying all my just Debts. I also lend her a Dowry interest in my land, as specified by law
viz: I lend all the bal: of my land, to my four sons viz: Henry, William, Edmund & Isaac and also
my wife's Dowry after her death, to have & to hold during life, and after their death, I give the above-
said land, to my several Grand Children by my three Daughters viz. Patsy, Mary, and Susan, to have
and to hold forever. 1st. I give to my son Henry, an Extra legacy, of ten dollars, one Sable and 1
Desk. 2nd. I give all the remaining proceeds of my Chattle property, to be equally divided be-
tween my several Children viz. Henry, William, Edmund, Isaac, Mary & Susan. In witness
whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal this the twenty fifth day of Nov. one thousand
Eight hundred and fifty nine.

Signed sealed and delivered
in Presence of
Wm: J. Parr
B. J. Sykes, signed 2nd Dec 1859
George F. Sykes

Neal of Gray
mark

At a Monthly Court, held for Nansimond County, the 12th day of Sep-
tember 1870:

This Last Will and Testament of Neal of Gray, late of this County deceased,
was proved by the Oath of B. J. Sykes, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and
was thereupon continued for further proof; and at a like Court held for said
County, the 1st day of October 1870, the same was again proved by the same witness

3rd: I lend all the bal: of my land, to my four sons, viz: Henry, William, Edward & Isaac, and also
my wife Dora after her death, to have & to hold during life, and after their death, I give the afore-
said land, to my several Grand Children by my three Daughters, viz: Patsy, Mary, and Susan, to have
and to hold forever. 4th: I give to my son Henry, an extra legacy of ten dollars, one Table and 1
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tween my several Children viz: Henry, William, Edward, Isaac, Mary & Susan. In witness
whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal this the twenty fifth day of Nov. one thousand
Eight hundred and fifty nine.

Wm. J. Sykes Seal of $\frac{1}{4}$ Gray mark

Signed sealed and delivered
in Presence of
Wm. J. Sykes
B. J. Sykes, signed 2nd Dec 1859
George F. Sykes

At a Monthly Court, held for Hanson and County the 12th day of Sep-
tember 1870:

This Last Will and Testament of Wm. J. Sykes, late of this County deceased,
was proved by the oath of B. J. Sykes, one of the subscribing witnesses hereto and
was hereupon continued for further proof; and at a like Court held for said
County, the 10th day of April 1871, the same, was fully proved by the oath of
George F. Sykes, an other of the subscribing witnesses hereto, and ordered to be re-
caded

Test:

Peter B. Prentiss. Clerk

the Chattle and personal property of the Estate of Wm