

Rowhataw Court, July the 16th. A. Netherland
1806 and ordered to be recorded

Test James Gonsexter Clk

Marshall's
Will

I William Marshall of Rowhataw County, do make and ordain
this to be my last Will and Testament in the manner and
form following -

Imprimis, I lend unto my wife Hannah Marshall the use
of my land and plantation, during her natural life and at her
death, I give unto my son Alexander Marshall, the whole of
my land and plantation, to him, his heirs and assigns forever.
reserving to my daughter Francis Marshall the privilege of
a house and home, so long as she continues a single woman

It is also to be understood that I have given my land to my
son Alexander Marshall upon condition that all accounts between
him and myself stand balanced. I likewise lend to my
wife Hannah Marshall, during life, four negroes of her own
choise and one third part of all my stock, household &
kitchen furniture and plantation utensils, which property I
direct to be equally divided between all my children, or their
legal representatives, after the death of my wife.

Item I give unto my son Alexander Marshall one feather bed
and furniture, also to my daughter Francis Marshall one feather Bed
and furniture

Item I give unto my son Samuel Marshall, one negro Boy
named Bandal and one feather bed and furniture

Item My Will and desire is that all my estate not disposed of
shall be equally divided, between all my children, upon condition
that Edmund H. Moreley, & Spottsford L. Moreley should consent
to throw into hatch poll, the negroes I have already put in them

possession, but should either of them prefer to keep the negroes at present in their possession and refuse to bring them into hotch pot, he who doth refuse is hereby excluded from any part of my estate except the negroes to be divided at the death of my wife, it is further to be understood, that if Edmund H. Moreley should bring the negroes in his possession to be divided with my estate, reasonable compensation is to be made him for raising the young negroes now in his possession.

Lastly I direct that my estate be all kept together until the end of the year, one thousand eight hundred an seven for the purpose of discharging my debts and do hereby appoint my two sons, Alexander and Samuel Marshall my whole and sole Executors, to execute this my last Will and Testament -

In witness whereof I have cause my seal to be affixed and have hereunto set my hand this twentieth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six

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Signed sealed and acknowledged }
in the presence of us }
Edward Watkins }
Seth Hatcher }
Wm Marshall (seal)

At a court held for Powhatan County the 20th day of August, 1806. This last Will and Testament of William Marshall deceased was presented in court and proven by the oaths of Edward Watkins and Seth Hatcher subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded. and on the motion of Alexander Marshall one of the executors therein named certificate is granted him for obtaining probate thereof in due form, he having made oath, and entered into bond with security as the law directs.

Teste
James Goodaster Cpb

Know all men by these presents that we Alexander Marshall