

do make and ordain the my last Will and Testament.
First, I direct that all my real estate shall be paid
Secondly, I give unto my beloved wife Harriet
during her natural life, all the remainder of my
property, consisting of my house and lot, household
and kitchen furniture, linen and all other which may
be due me, my said wife shall enjoy all the proceeds
of said property, and in the event that she should
be induced to circumstances of need and want,
she shall have the right of disposing of said
property for the purpose of procuring a support
and sustenance.

Thirdly, All my property at the death of my
wife, shall be sold to the highest bidder, and
the proceeds divided equally between the Methodist
Episcopal Church South, and the Christian Church,
last of all, I appoint William Burges my lawful
executor. Signed sealed in the presence of
and these witnesses, this

12th day of February 1869
Witness
Wm H Smith
J. H. C. Winston

Virginia Ala Court held for the County of
Falshe on Thursday the 11th day of June
1869.

The last Will and Testament of Wm H. Burges
deceased, was presented in Court and proved
according to law, by the oath of Wm H. Smith
and J. H. C. Winston witnesses thereto, and is order
ed to be recorded, and the executor named
in said Will having appeared in Court
and refused to take upon himself the burden
of execution thereof. On the motion of James
P. Haymaker who made oath, and together
with Wm H. Smith and J. H. C. Smith his
co-sureties, entered into and acknowledged a
bond in the penalty of one thousand dollars.
Condition as the Court directs. Certificate
is granted the said James P. Haymaker for
attaining letters of administration on the
said deceased's estate with this Will annexed
in due form.

A Copy
taken

Wm H. Davis Clerk

Bill of Articles of Personal Estate of John Hester deceased. dated April 17th 1869.

One Corned Stone	John Hester	1 50
3 Old Barrels	John Hester	30
1 Old Do	John Hester	50
One half Bu measure	Wm J. Martin	1 00
One Horse collar	John Jordan	1 05
One Check line	John Jordan	50
Lot - into New Image	John Jordan	10
One lot old Iron	John Jordan	50
One lot old Iron	John Jordan	3 45
One Bull Hanger & Auger	Wm. Dinger	80
Two Bull Hangers	C. Quinn	80
One lot old Iron	D. C. Hunt	1 25
One Do Do	Bill Smith, Col.	2 25
One Shaving Horse & plank	Wm J. Martin	2 10
One lot Plank	J. H. Hicks	1 75
One lot Shingles	W. C. Holinger	15
One lot Shingles & Cedar	Bill Smith, Col.	15
One lot Shingles	John C. Sutton	10
One Mattock	C. S. Jordan	50
One Do Do	J. Johnson	40
One jointer & knife & vice	John H. Davis	40
One lot Plank	B. F. Dimesia	30
One saw & chop	James H. Davis	10
One Ranges & plaster	J. H. Hicks	30
One Grain Cradle	A. H. Davis	40
One Do Do	Wm H. Smith	25
One Do Do	Wm King	2 00
Two Stoves	John Hester	20
Two Stoves	Wm J. Martin	80
One Keg Oil	B. F. Dimesia	50
One Mowing Machine	John H. Davis	25
One Do Do	C. S. Jordan	80
One Do Do	J. Johnson	25
One Do Do	A. H. Davis	15
One lot Plank	James H. Davis	20
Two Old Ploughs	James H. Davis	10
One S Do	James H. Davis	50
One Do Do	B. F. Hicks	1 00
One Cattle Do	James H. Davis	1 50
One Pig Do	John Jordan	50
One lot Rakes & forks	Wm J. Martin	25
One lot Rakes	A. H. Davis	65
One lot Buckshot	James Hester	1 00
One lot do Barrels	John Hester	20

1 set of Harnes	John Johnson	25
1 Paint Cloth Reed	H. C. Hollinger	22 00
1 Harnes	A. Muller	2 00
1 Wheat Fan	W. J. Martin	1 00
1 Straw Cutter	W. Robinson	2 95
One Box + Oak	W. J. Martin	3 25
One Feed Trough	C. Vermillion	30
One Baggage Bed	J. Johnson	3 25
One Mitten	J. Johnson	41 00
One Old Mitten	W. J. Martin	25 00
One pair Hand Hears	W. J. Martin	2 00
One Do Do	W. J. Martin	3 00
One " Hears	Bill Smith Coal	3 00
One Sheet	W. J. Martin	1 00
One Bee. Gun	H. C. Hollinger	1 00
One Do Do	H. C. Hollinger	2 00
One Do Do	W. J. Martin	2 00
One Side Saddle	H. C. Hollinger	1 50
One Means Saddle	C. Vermillion	1 50
One Pair Saddle Bags	A. H. Davis	3 00
One Set Axe	John Conner	10 00
One pair Soft Leather	A. H. Davis	2 15
One pair Hump	Jack Stanger	2 10
Three Sacks	W. J. Martin	50
4 Sacks	Bot. Holmes Coal	30
1 Do + Churn	Bot. Holmes "	35
5 Sacks	W. J. Martin	40
Spay + Compost	P. H. Hicks	55
4 Sack	John Johnson	90
One Hammer + Hatchet	E. J. Stanger	35
Harp, Horn + Scales	B. H. Murdock	55
One Barrel + Cornbush	Bot. Holmes	10
One Set Shermann Tools	B. H. Murdock	70
One Bridle Bit	Jack Stanger	70
One Box Sandals	Bot. Holmes Coal	35
One Hacks Forge &c	C. J. Jordan	25
One Hacks + Chain	H. C. Hollinger	25
One Pair Hacks	J. H. Lawrence	75
Set Sacks + Hump	E. J. Stanger	50
2 Sacks + Hump	Bill Smith	30
One Cluger + Hacking Knife	B. H. Murdock	45
One " + Hammer	W. J. Martin	2 30
2 Rap Sacks	Bill Smith Coal	5
1 Pair Sheep Skins	P. H. Hicks	20
1 Sack Knife + ady	B. H. Murdock	25
1 Foot ady	W. J. Martin	65

1 Canale Jack + Hook	John Gaddall	75
1 Kitchen Shovel	W. J. Martin	25
1 Do Do	H. C. Hollinger	50
One Pair Andirons	W. J. Martin	2 20
One Lead + Shovel	John Johnson	20
One Oven	John Conner	75
One Coffee Mill	W. J. Martin	1 00
One Water Bucket	Bot. Holmes Coal	50
One Do Do	Bot. Holmes	50
One Basket	Jack Stanger	80
One Jug + one Jar	W. J. Martin	75
One Basket	C. J. Jordan	30
One Crop, Cut Saw	W. J. Martin	5 50
One Rifle Gun	James King	3 00
One Little Wheel	W. J. Martin	2 00
One Trip	Bot. Holmes	1 20
One Little Table	W. J. Martin	15
One Lot Water + Bottle	W. J. Martin	20
One Set Ten Caps + Hammer	W. J. Martin	65
One Trip + "	W. J. Martin	15
6 Glass Turnblers	W. J. Martin	60
One Set Hammers + Forks	James King	70
One Pot + Plate	John Page	15
5 Plates	Bill Jenkins Coal	35
6 Plates	Bill Jenkins "	50
One Dish	John Page	70
One Coffee Pot	W. J. Martin	35
One Trip	W. J. Martin	2 00
One Biskad + Cord	W. J. Martin	1 30
6 Chairs	John B. Clark	5 00
One Table + Old Cloth	W. J. Martin	9 00
One Log Chain	W. J. Martin	2 00
One Biskad + Cord	Bot. Holmes	10
One Head + Head	James King	25 00
2 Poles	W. J. Martin	30
2 Do	W. J. Martin	30
2 Do	W. J. Martin	40
2 Do	W. J. Martin	40
1 Do	C. J. Jordan	25
1 Set Ten Pins	B. H. Murdock	25
Iron Bowl	John Gaddall	10
1/2 lbs of Tobacco	J. H. Lawrence	2 50
1/2 " " "	B. H. Murdock	1 25
1/2 " " "	E. J. Stanger	1 60
Barrel + Wine	C. Vermillion	3 50
Barrel + Jug	C. King	20

