

Jacob Bonsack. In the name of Almighty God, Amen.

I Jacob Bonsack of the County of Roanoke, in the State of Virginia, being this day of sound mind and memory, and being mindful of the uncertainty of life, and desiring to make disposition of all my worldly goods, said disposal to have effect after my decease, do make this my last Will and Testament.

1st I desire that after my decease, my body shall be decently buried; and that as soon thereafter as may be, all of my just debts including my burial expenses shall be paid.

2nd I hereby nominate and appoint my son D. E. Bonsack to be guardian for my grand daughter D. M. Poague during her infancy, and her committee afterwards, if circumstances shall make it necessary for her to have a Committee after she arrives at the age of twenty one years.

3rd Inasmuch as there were ten original shares of the Bonsack Cigaret Machine Co's Stock placed to the credit of D. E. Bonsack, and whereas the same has been sold and I have received the proceeds of such sale, I hereby give and bequeath the same with all its enhanced value to my two sons J. W. Bonsack and D. E. Bonsack to be divided equally between them.

4th I desire that my legal representative, or representatives shall give to Dr. John A. Poague (out of my estate) such aid, and support as my two sons J. W. Bonsack and D. E. Bonsack in their liberality shall think proper to give him, not however to such extent as to cause him to look to that source alone for support.

5th I desire that my personal representatives shall make to the Trustees of the Baptist Church at Bonsacks a deed conveying the lot on which the Baptist meeting house now stands; and that they also make to my son J. W. Bonsack a deed conveying to him the lot of land on which his house now stands, he having paid me for the same.

6th I desire that after the execution of clauses 3. 4. & 5. of this my Will, and after the payment of all of my just debts as aforesaid, that the remainder of my entire estate, both real and personal shall be equally divided between my children as follows: to J. W. Bonsack, D. E. Bonsack, Jas. A. Bonsack, Laura D. Plaine Bettie E. Bonsack, and my grand daughter, D. M. Poague each one sixth part thereof; But the portion falling to my grand daughter D. M. Poague shall be and remain in the hands and care of her guardian or committee, and at her death, (if she die without heirs of the body) the same, or whatever may remain thereof to revert to my children above named or their heirs.

And of the portion which falls to my daughter Laura D. Plaine I desire that Five Thousand Dollars thereof be settled upon her (in money or some investment as she may determine) in her own right.

7th I hereby nominate and appoint my two sons J. W. Bonsack

and D. E. Bonsack executors of this my Will.

8th I now declare the foregoing to be my last Will and Testament, in witness whereof I have signed my name and affixed my seal this 23rd day of February, Anno Domini, 1889.

Jacob Bonsack *(Seal)*

We the undersigned being present together with Jacob Bonsack, he in our presence signed the above writing and declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and at his request we subscribe our names as attesting witnesses as of date above.

R. R. Lunsford

A. P. Fortz

Benj E. Jeter.

At Roanoke County Court, March Term 1889

The last Will and Testament of Jacob Bonsack, was this day produced in Court, and proven according to law, by the oaths of R. R. Lunsford and A. P. Fortz two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and thereupon the said Will is admitted to Probate.

A copy from the records of Court.

Teste:

P. H. McCauley, Clerk.

On the Name of God, Amen.

Abraham Vinyard.

I Abraham Vinyard of the County of Roanoke State of Virginia, being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do therefore make, ordain, publish, and declare, this to be my last Will and Testament, That is to say, First after all my lawful debts are paid and discharged the residue of my estate real and personal I give, bequeath and devise of as follows, to wit: To my beloved wife Polly Vinyard: fifty seven (57) acres of land and appurtenances situated thereon known as the ~~Tract~~ lying in Roanoke County State of Virginia now possessed by me, during the term of her natural life: and after her death to my son Nicholas Johnson Vinyard.

To my son John Hadden Vinyard's children, Ezra, Ann, David, Sally, Rush One thousand (\$1000) dollars I give, bequeath and devise, to be divided in shares of two hundred (\$200) dollars each.

To my daughter, Elizabeth East's children, Mary, Burn, Nancy, Matilda and Page I give, bequeath, and devise, One thousand (\$1000) dollars to be equally divided in shares of two (\$200) dollars each:

To my daughter Matilda Edgington and children Laura, Charles, Mary, Sally, Black and Effy, fourteen (\$1400) dollars, to be divided in shares of two hundred (\$200) dollars each: