

One Thousand Eight hundred & Forty Five, given and bequeathed to my beloved wife Fanny W. Farley half of my household & kitchen furniture It is my will and desire that my wife have all my household & kitchen furniture which shall be disposed of at the death of my wife, as before directed in my will - I bequeathed my wife a female slave named Martha Ann, It is my will that my wife take a female slave named Mary in the place, of the one before devised, and at my wife's death said female slave, with her future increase shall be disposed of as my will directs my executors shall dispose of Martha Ann as my will directs concerning the slave not devised my wife - The property devised my wife is not to be made liable for any debt I may owe at my death and no demands shall be made upon my wife to contribute any part out of the property devised my wife - at the death of my wife to go as directed in my will - my executors will pay all my just debts, owing by me at the time of my death, out of the property real & personal not devised my wife - It is my will & desire that my friend Lipton B. Evans shall be associated with my wife as guardian in the place of my son James W. Farley and my wife Fanny W. Farley & Lipton B. Evans are hereby appointed Guardians of my children Lettie George Farley, Ann Margaret Farley Sarah Mildred Farley & Harriet Amelia Farley who shall have the custody tuition & education of my children as mentioned in my will, It is my will and desire that should I depart this life after the commencement of a new crop and having bargained with and secured to attend to my business that my farm be carried on until the expiration of the year or when the crop is finished the lands may be laid off as directed in my will but no sale shall take place until the crop is secured - Now I the said William Farley being desirous of altering my said will in respect to the subjects here mentioned do therefore make this present writing which I will & direct to be annexed as a codicil to my said will and taken as a part thereof, and I do ratify and confirm my said will in every thing except where the same is hereby revoked & altered as aforesaid. In witness whereof I the said William Farley have to this as a codicil to my last will and testament set my hands & affixed my seal this Twenty first day of November in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred & Forty Five -

William Farley (Real)

signed sealed & published by the said William Farley of Roanoke as and for a codicil to be added to and be considered as a part of his last will & testament in the presence of us who have subscribed our names in his presence.

Lipton B. Evans

John Thirney

Geo W. Thompson

At Roanoke June Court 1845. This last will & Testament of William Farley dead was proved by the oath of Lipton B. Evans, Willis Carnahan & Archibalds Marlow witnesses thereto, and is ordered to be recorded. And on motion of James W. Farley, one of the Executors therein named, who made oath thereto, and together with Lipton B. Evans, Willis Carnahan & Archibalds Marlow

Alfred T. Dillards & John Richardson his accuties entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of \$12,000.00 conditioned as the law directs, certificate is granted him for obtaining a probat of the said Will in due form

Teste

J. Johnston

John Hartman

In the name of God amen; I John Hartman of Botetown County and state of Virginia, do make and declare this my last will and Testament in manner and form following. First I resign my soul into the hands of almighty God - hoping and believing in a redemption of my soul by the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ; and my body I commit to the earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named; and my worldly estate I give and devise as follows, First, I give and devise to my son George Hartman one tract or parcel of lands bounded by Henry Snyder and others beginning at two hickory saplings on the bank of the branch and running down the branch past the house and barn to a walnut on the bank of a branch thence on the top of the ridge to a black oak corner, and thirty five dollars already delivered, also I give and devise to my son Abraham Hartman a tract or parcel of lands bounded by George Hartman and others beginning on a white oak near the red spring thence running a straight line to a chestnut crossing the branch thence along the top of a ridge to the open line already delivered. Also, I give and devise to my son Lewis Hartman a tract or parcel of lands being the beginning of the old survey and bounded by Abraham Hartman and others. Also I give and devise to the lawful heirs of my son Michael Hartman dead one tract of lands being and lying on the North side of Back Creek containing twenty two acres be the same more or less. Beginning on a white oak and bounded by Massons line and others which I have sold to Henry Hardbarger and Joseph McConit if the money is punctually paid the same to be divided equally amongst the three heirs of the said Michael Hartman also my moveable property I want sold and divided equally amongst the said heirs and if Mary Hartman widow should remain in widowhood it is my desire that she have an equal share with the heirs of aforesaid Michael Hartman and I have given her thirty dollars already delivered but if she should marry she hath no part or claim in the sale. If the above Hardbarger and McConit does not pay according to contract the lands to be sold and divided amongst the three boys of Michael Hartman but if the said Mary Hartman widow shall marry it is my desire that out of my moveable property she shall have ten dollars, Also I give and devise to my daughter Catharine Snyder one hundred and twenty five dollars already in hands paid which is her part of my estate, Also I give and devise to my daughter Elizabeth Pittenger one hundred and twenty five dollars already in hands paid which is her part of my estate, Also I give and devise to my daughter Susanna Wittinger one hundred and twenty five dollars already in hands paid which is her part of my estate, Also I give and devise to my daughter Sarah Brooke one hundred and twenty five dollars already in hands paid which is her part of my estate, And I do hereby appoint my Friends George Pearson and my son Lewis Hartman Executors of this my last will and testament. In witness I do hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty fourth day of January one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight

John Hartman (Real)

signed sealed and published & declared by the said testator as and for his last will and testament in presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witness hereunto
 Josephus Harris
 Jonas Harris

At Roanoke, November Court 1846.

The last will & testament of John Hartmann deceased was proved according to Law by the oaths of Jonas Harris & Josephus Harris, two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and is ordered to be recorded, and on motion of Lewis Hartmann one of the Executors therein named, who made oath thereto and together with Jonas Harris his security, entered into & acknowledged a bond in the penalty of \$200 conditioned as the Law directs, certificate is granted him for obtaining probat of the said will in due form, liberty being reserved to George Pearson the other executor named in the said will to join in the probat when he shall think fit.

Attest

J. Johnston

Geo. Highdy

In the name of God Amen; This 16th day of September in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and forty three I George Highdy of Roanoke County and State of Virginia being weak in body but of sound and disposing mind and memory and cawling to mind the mortality of man's body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die I do now make and ordain this my last will and testament principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul to almighty God the author of its existence and my body I recommend to be buried in a decent manner nothing doubting but at the general resurrection my soul and body may be reunited in glory of God, and as to touching such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life; I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form, in witness it is my will and desire that all my just debts & funeral charges be first paid out of my personal estate, Item I give to my beloved wife Eve her support of the plantation where I now live on during life & the said Eve is to keep a cow & horse & beast & wagon and such stock of sheep & hogs & such household furniture as she needs this five wood & milling grounds by the stream on the plantation & after my decease my will is that all the remaining part of my personal estate be sold and equily divided amongst all my children after the payment of my just debts & my wife's part. Item I will and bequeath to my son John Highdy having one certain tract of land adjoining the lands of Adams Larnam & James Slater in the south west corner a boundary of forty acres beginning on the line of A. Larnam & running by spines marked near the fence of Smith's field thence through the fields a little south of east to a spar oak in the woods thence to the out line of Slater to make the forty acres & the said John Highdy is to get the lands surveyed & set his deeds made at any time by his father Item I also give & bequeath to my 6 granddaughters Elizabeth & Harrieh Altshudson

and equal part of my lands with the others it being the part of thaire mother part in the land, after my wife's death my lands the remainder is to be equily divided in five shares, Item I do hereby appoint my trusty friends John Bandy & John A. Hartman the sole Ex^{rs} of this my last will & testament hereby revoking all other & former testaments & legacies & bequests by me in any wise made hitherto ratifying & conforming this and no other to be my last will & testament, In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hands and seal the day & year first above written; the foregoing will was executed in presence of
 John A. Graham
 John C. Bandy
 Jno. Snyder

George X. Highdy (seal)
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At a Court held for Roanoke County at the Court house on the 16th day of August 1847, The last will & Testament of George Highdy deceased was proved by the oaths of John C. Bandy and John A. Graham witnesses thereto, and is ordered to be recorded, And on the motion of John Bandy one of the Executors therein named, who made oath thereto, and together with James Coddington and George Pearson his securities, entered into & acknowledged a bond in the penalty of \$300, conditioned according to Law, certificate is granted him for obtaining a probat of the said will in due form.

Attest

J. Johnston

Jacob Smith

I Jacob Smith of the County of Roanoke and State of Virginia, being afflicted and weak in body, but of sound mind and disposing memory for which I thank God, and calling to mind the uncertainty of human life and being desirous to dispose of all such worldly estate as it has pleased God to bless me with, I give and bequeath the same in manner following that is to say, First I desire that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible, out of the first money that shall come into the hands of my executors from any portion of my estate real or personal, and I bequeath to my two daughters viz Adaline Caldwell, formerly Adaline Smith and Eliza Smith their equal parts of the tract of land on which I now live, to them and their heirs forever, for and in consideration of which I desire that they shall pay all my just debts and funeral expenses and legacies and bequests herein bequeathed to them, and I give to my daughter Adaline Caldwell (formerly Adaline Smith) my tract of land lying upon Millers Cove run, to her and her heirs forever. 2nd I give to my son Alexander W. Smith the sum of twenty dollars in personal property at a fair valuation to him and his heirs forever. 3rd I give to my daughter Margaret Smith the sum of one dollar to her and her heirs forever. 4th I give to my son Jacob Smith the sum of one dollar to him and his heirs forever. 5th I give to my son John W. Smith the sum of one dollar to him and his heirs forever. 6th I give to my daughter Mary Carpenter formerly Mary Smith the sum of one dollar to her and her heirs forever. 7th I give to my daughter Susan Carpenter formerly Susan Smith the sum of one dollar to her and her heirs forever. 8th I give to my daughter