

shall be cut off at the North end of my farm adjoining the lands of Sparrel Semmons, Frank Morgan and Willie Bowles.

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3rd As to all the rest and residue of my personal and real estate and effects not hereinbefore mentioned and which shall remain after payment of my debts and funeral expenses and the aforesaid ten acres of land to my said daughter Lucy Strickler, I give and bequeath the said residue to my son Nathaniel B. Hartman in fee simple.

4th I nominate and appoint my said son Nathaniel B. the Executor of this my last will & testament.

In witness whereof I have hereto set my hand and seal this 25th day of January 1884.

George Hartman *Geo Hartman*

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the testator George Hartman, as and for his last Will & testament in presence of us who in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses.

R. Logan
Jas W. Stevens.

At Roanoke County Court, March Term 1884.

The last Will and Testament of George Hartman deceased was this day produced in Court and proved according to law by the oaths of Robert Logan and James W. Stevens subscribing witnesses thereto, and is thereupon admitted to record.

A copy from the records of Court.

Into *Wm McCandley Clerk*

Richard Jones. I Richard Jones being of weak Body but of sound mind aged disposing memory do make this as my last Will and Testament. I give Rebecca Huston all my property real personal and mixed, my Real property, consist in Three acres of Land I got from Farley Est. personally. Household property &c and any monies that may be due me, after paying my burrying expenses.

Witness
Magnolia ^{her} ~~mark~~ ^{mark} Oliver
Jas. R. Thompson.

Richard ^{his} Jones ~~mark~~

At Roanoke County Court, July 21st 1884.

The last Will and Testament of Richard Jones deceased was this day produced in Court and partly proven by the oath

of James R Thompson, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and is continued for further proof.

And at said Court, July 22^d 1884.

The last Will and Testament of Richard Jones deceased was this day again produced in Court and fully proven by the oath of Minerva Oliver the other subscribing witness thereto. And thereupon the Court orders that said instrument of writing be recorded as the last Will and Testament of Richard Jones deceased.

A copy from the records of Court.

Teste Wm McCauley Clerk

David S. Read. I, David S. Read of the County of Roanoke, State of Virginia, do make this my last Will and Testament.

- 1 I give, upon the conditions hereinafter imposed and the exceptions hereinafter mentioned, all my estate, real and personal consisting of lands, houses, bonds, monies, cattle, stock, farming utensils household furniture &c, unto my dear wife Emma B. Read for and during her natural life, or so long as she may remain my widow.
- 2 From and after the decease of my said wife, or upon her marriage, I give and bequeath the said real and personal estate to my children David S. Read, J. H. Read, Walter C. Read and Maria Read to be equally divided between them.
- 3 That portion of my farm lying upon the Northern Western side of Finken Creek and nearest to the City of Roanoke I give to my wife, but upon trust nevertheless that she shall and will, with convenient speed, by private contract or public auction, proceed to sell the same for the most money that can be gotten therefor and to convey the same to the best purchaser as soon as the whole purchase money is paid; and then as to the money arising from such sale, upon the trust that she shall apply the same in the following manner: that she shall invest the said money in some secure interest bearing bonds or stocks, taking care in the investment to regard safety as an indispensable element, and condition, and to hold such bonds or stocks with interest dividends and profits to accrue thereon for the purposes and uses hereinafter mentioned, that is to have and to receive the interest dividends and profits for her own use and benefit during her life-time and the principal at her death to go to my children. And this provision is made upon the same condition heretofore mentioned that should my wife marry after my death, then the land above described or the proceeds thereof shall pass immediately to my children.
4. It is further my will that should a wife marry after my death