

Polly and Bettie Short.

6th I will to ^{my} niece Nancy Short daughter of Jesse Short
one safe

I acknowledge the above with the foregoing page to be my
last will and Testament in the presence of witnesses May
28th 1874

Witness
John Trout
Geo R. Gish

Sallie ^{her} Thrasher
mark

At Roanoke County Court, July Term 1881.

The Last Will and Testament of Sallie Thrasher de-
ceased was this day produced in Court and proved according
to law by the oaths of John Trout and George R. Gish, subscribing
witnesses thereto, and is ordered to be recorded.

A copy from the records of Court

Teste

W. M. Canby, Clerk

Samuel Crawford: In the name of God, Amen, I Samuel Crawford of the
County of Roanoke, State of Virginia, desiring to dispose of
my property both personal and real, at my death, do make
this my last Will and Testament; after my burial expenses,
and other just debts are paid I will and bequeath unto my
* nephew, Madison S. Crawford all my property both per-
sonal and real, to be held by him in trust for the sole and
separate use of Mary S. Crawford, the wife of the said Mad-
ison S. Crawford, for and during her natural life, and at
her death to go to the children by the said Madison S. Craw-
ford, or to such of them as may be living, and to the living
heirs, of such as may be dead, the heirs of such deceased chil-
dren taking the part to which their ancestors would have been
entitled to, had he or she lived, but in no event is the said
property or any part thereof, or the rents profits and issues or
any part thereof to be liable for the debts of the said Madison
S. Crawford, heretofore contracted or hereafter to be contracted,
as witness my hand and seal this ninth day June 1880.

Witness

Samuel ^{his} Crawford
mark

Signed sealed, and delivered in the
presence of us who have subscribed
in the presence of each other and in
his presence at his request.

W. B. Martin

James E. Day

At Roanoke County Court July Term 1881.

The last will and testament of Samuel Crawford deceased,

was this day produced in Court and proved according to law by the oaths of James E. Day and William H. Martin subscribing witnesses thereto and is ordered to be recorded.

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was this day

Teste

Wm. McCauley, Clerk.

I & Yours

David Myers

My
My last will and testament I appoint John C. Myers my
Executor after my decease sale made all my personal property
sold an one hundred an sixty acres of mountain land in
Carver's Cove adjoining the lands of Nats an others an my
depts paid I then give an bequeats to my son George S. Myers
three hundred dollars twelve months after my decease twelve
months there after four hundred dollars which shall be his
intire porshone of my estate John C. Myers to live an remain
on my home place so long as my wille remains to be my
wille to cultivate it an keep in good order an pay one fourth
of the proceeds thereof in rent for the support of my wille if
there be surplus after her support that surplus be devided equid
between my six haire after my wille ceases to be my wille then
John C. Myers takes the home place at forty dollars per acre
an if he thinks in his judgment he can do better then hold
the farm at forty dollars per acre he can put it up to the
highest bidder an devide the proceeds thereof equidly between
my six haire when my son David A. Myers left home I
had a fine bay mare which he claimed as his horse & charged
me one hundred an fifty dollars for this necked mare she was
prest in the army in the late war an dittent got her back was
valled there at one hundred an fifty dollars with twenty
dollars harness on by disinterested men I love the harness
an charged him eighty dollars on this mare to make him an
the rest of my sons equid in horses all my sons got horses
valued at seventy dollars each If I have let have an given
any of my children any thing I have them charged with I charge
them no Intrest unles tha have claims against me an charge
me big Intrest then I charge them legal Virginias intrest if
there should difficulties arise in their severd portions an
cant agree tha must call in two disinterested men to refferes
the matter in controversy If two cant agree tha call in the
thirds man their dissection shall be binding tha are not to
spend their severd portions in law my Executor to be settle
once a year with the Commissher till the Estate is settelt
up Sixth day July one thousand eight hundred an seventy
seven under my hand

David Myers.