

to my neighbor Malinda Bryant.

4th And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my friend
Lipton B. Evans my Executor of this my last Will and
testament and I hereby revoke all other Wills or wills by
me made - Witness my signature and seal this 30th day
of December 1863.

Mary Trauer

Liquid and sealed in the presence
of both at the same time.

Smith Petty
John W. Elzey.

At a Court held for the County of Roanoke on
the 2nd day of December 1863. The last Will and Testament
of Mary Trauer did was this day produced in Court and
proved according to law by the oath of Smith Petty and John
W. Elzey subscribing witnesses thereto, and admitted to record.
Teste
F. Johnson C.

Mrs. N. P. Kyle: Virginia - Roanoke County to wit

Whereas James Kyle, late of said County, did on
the 2nd day of May 1862 make and publish a certain written
instrument as his last Will and Testament, and did on the
day of June 1863 in said County depart this life without having
revoked said instrument; and whereas said instrument was,
after the death of said James Kyle, duly admitted to probate
in the County Court of said County as his last Will and Testament
as aforesaid; and whereas said Will did make a provision to
make provision a provision for me the undersigned Mary P.
Kyle, Widow of said James Kyle, to be held, possessed and enjoyed
by me in lieu of the interest, right, and benefit in and to the
estate real and personal to which as said Widow I am legally
entitled - Now therefore I, the said Mary P. Kyle, widow
aforesaid, do by these presents solemnly renounce the provision
a provision made or provided to be made for me in and by
the said last Will and Testament of my said deceased husband
James Kyle; as I do hereby formally apportion my claim to all
the interest, right, and benefit in and to the real and personal
estate of the said James Kyle, to which as his widow I am legally
entitled. Witness my hand this 7th day of December 1863
Mary P. Kyle
mark

Virginia - Roanoke County to wit

This day before me, the undersigned Justice of the peace
in and for said County, personally appeared in said County
Mary P. Kyle above named a single to the foregoing Paper

dated 7th December 1863 and acknowledged said writing to be
her act. Witness my hand this 9th day of December 1863
David Dryden J.P.

At Roanoke January Court 1864

A Paper purporting to be a renunciation by Mrs. Mary P.
Kyle of the provision in her former under the last Will and
Testament of James Kyle deceased, which will was admitted
to record in the Court at the September Term 1863, was this
day produced in Court, and the same having been duly sworn
- Read before a Justice of the Peace, a Justice of Mrs. Mary P.
Kyle the said Paper was admitted to record, and her renunciation
of said Will.

Teste F. Johnson C.

Virginia - I, Virginia Gardner, now of Roanoke County, Virginia
hereby in this my last Will and Testament as follows, revoking
all other Wills heretofore made

First, I direct that all my just debts, so far as I may
own any, and my funeral expenses, shall be paid
Second, I give and bequeath to my sister Fannie G.
Walton, for and during the natural life term of my said
sister my negro girl slave named Patsy, and upon the
death of my said sister, I bequeath the said negro girl
to my nephew J. H. Watson, and the said negro girl
shall be increased to my said nephew J. H. Watson
as aforesaid.

Third, I give to my nephew J. H. Watson six slaves as follows:
Fourth, I direct that my slave Patsy, as Jim shall
be sold, and it is my wish that they shall be permitted
to choose their masters. I also authorize and direct my
Executor to make sale of all Real Estate and interest in

Real Estate to which I am entitled, wherever located, and
particularly my interest in land in Texas; and the moneys
arising from such sales, both of slaves and real estate
together with all the rest and residue of my property
and estate, of whatever nature or kind (except the property
disposed of above in the second and third clauses) I will

and bequeath as follows viz: First, I direct that one
hundred and fifty dollars which shall be applied to the education
of my family Burgey School at or near Pattersonburg, in Rich-
mond County.

Next, I direct that three hundred
dollars shall be paid to my nephew J. H. Gardner Watson
which I hereby bequeath to him; and these all the residue
is to be divided into three equal parts, one of which I
give to my sister Mrs. Christina L. Watson, another part
I give to my sister Sarah P. Driskard, and the remain-
ing part to my sister Fannie G. Walton. And this
bequest to my sister Mrs. Driskard is to be for her sole
and separate use.

Lastly, I constitute and appoint my sister Fannie

G. Walters to be the Executor of this my last Will & Testament.
In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name,
and affixed my seal this 13th day of March (1863) Eighteen
hundred and sixty three
Witness my hand
- Jacob Neville
- S. Walter

Virginia Gardner

At Roanoke, Va. Court 1863

The last Will & Testament of Virginia Gardner deceased
was produced in Court, and proved according to law by the
oaths of Jacob Neville, and Samuel Walter, subscribing
witnesses thereto, and is ordered to be recorded.
Teste

Johnston Clark

Jo^s Campbell. I, Joseph Campbell of Roanoke County, Virginia
do make the following as my last Will & Testament

1. All of my sons, with the exception of my son John being
provided for and educated, it is not my wish to give to either
of them any part of this portion of my estate, except John, to
whom I give two hundred dollars, to complete his education,
or to be used by him in any way he may think proper. This
I shall be paid him by my Executor as soon after my decease
as he may have funds to pay it with.

2^d To my youngest daughter Ann Maria I give five
hundred and fifty dollars in addition to \$450. in a
Bond for her benefit making \$1000, which will make her
equal with her sister Fanny. K. and Samantha. This
sum to be retained for her benefit in the hands of my
Executor, and the principal and interest paid to her
when she arrives at lawful age.

3. It is my will that my negro be hired out (giving him
the privilege of choosing their master) and my real
estate rented out (unless it shall be sold by me in my
life time) until my youngest child arrives at lawful
age, when it is my will that my said negro, with the
increase of the family, be divided equally between my
daughters Fanny M., Samantha and Ann Maria (and
not to be sold out of the family, unless of their own wish).
The real estate if not sold in my life time, is to be sold
by my Executor at the same time, for which purpose I em-
power him to carry the same to the purchaser, and the
proceeds to be equally divided between my three daughters
last named. This will not more than equalize them with
my daughter Jane, who has been twice married in the
way of advancements all of my estate that I design for
her to have.

4. The annual rents of the real estate are here of the

negro, until my youngest daughter arrives at age, are to be
applied to his education, and to the support of herself and
her two single sisters above named.
I hereby appoint Philip Reed the executor of this my
last Will & Testament.

Witness my hand and seal this 2^d day of May 1863
Witness
- J. M. Clark

At Roanoke, Va. Court 1863

The last Will & Testament of Joseph Campbell
deceased was this day produced in Court and proved
according to law by the oaths of George M. Hagler, and
Frederick Johnston subscribing witnesses thereto, and
is admitted to record.

A Copy from the records of Court
Teste

Johnston Clark

Lacy V. Oliver. In the name of G. O., amen.
I, Lacy V. Oliver of the County of Roanoke Va. being aged
and of full health, and anxious to settle my earthly af-
fairs, do therefore make and publish this my last Will
and Testament

First, I wish my all of my just debts paid
I give to my grand-daughter Mary A. Kent and her children
my man Tom, my clock, and twelve silver spoons
I give to my grand-son Charles E. Oliver my man Robert,
my silver spoons, one set of tables, and all of my stock
and farming tools.

I give to Anna R. Oliver my man Cyrus, twelve silver
spoons, and twenty four silver forks, with my cast-
iron stove.
I give to G. A. Oliver my youngest grand child my
man Martin Vert. Burn, and his mother Caroline, twelve
silver spoons, one case, and my old gun.

I leave my grand-son Charles E. Oliver my Est without
security.

I leave my old servant Matilda Dasher, Hetty and
Peyton to Charles E. Oliver to be taken care of, and in con-
sideration of which I leave my servant Cyrus, Van, Robert,
Caroline, Tom, to be hired out for twelve months, and
be Charles E. Oliver to have the proceeds. I wish it clearly
understood that I give my negro to my grand children
and to their children, and that they shall not be taken
for their debts. My things are to remain in the house
as long as they are so long as the children shall live together and
then to be divided to suit themselves.