

be brought commenced or prosecuted, for and concerning the same, but the same shall be referred wholly to the awards, order and determination of my esteemed neighbor Casper Garner, John Francisco and John Garner, and what my said neighbors shall order, direct or determine therein, shall be binding and conclusive to, and on all and every person or persons therein concerned, and lastly, - I do hereby ordain constitute and appoint my esteemed neighbors George Garner D. and Lewis Francisco, executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all other or former wills or testaments by me heretofore made. In witness whereof, I George H. Garner the testator have to this my last will, written on one sheet of paper, with my hands and seal, this twenty ninth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty five.

Signed, sealed, published and declared as and for the last will and testament of the above named George H. Garner in presence of us who have subscribed in the presence of each other.

Alexander Garner
John Keisely
Garner Francisco

George H. Garner Seal
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At Roanoke County Court November Court 1845 The above will was produced in Court and proved by the oaths of Alex. Garner John Keisely and Garner Francisco and admitted to records.

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John W. Green

In the name of God Amen, I John W. Green of the County of Roanoke and State of Virginia being weak of body, but of sound and disposing memory make this my last will and testament revoking all other's, I will to Mary Preston all my perishable property on my land lying in the County of Montgomery, stock, Farming tool, household & kitchen furniture also I give her the said Mary Preston two notes in the hands of Edmund Atkins of twenty five dollars each, against Edmund Atkins I hold some notes to the amt. of sixty or seventy dollars which notes I give him, To his wife Nancy Atkins I give Fifty dollars as she was always kind to me. To Washington Smith's wife who was a daughter of Capt. Phillips I give Fifty dollars as a remembrance, I hold an account against Capt. Phillips which account I give up to him and also Fifty dollars. To my much admired friend Col. James Kyle I give two hundred dollars, & to his wife Nancy Kyle I give Fifty dollars. My money in the hands of the administrators of my Brother Thomas C. Green I wish Col. Kyle to draw for five hundred dollars and pay all my debts & expenses. My property to the north I wish to be divided between my Brother Timothy Green's children & my brother Samuel Green's children. I appoint Col. James Kyle my executor given under my hands and seal this 1st day of January 1846

Barrett Thompson

John Richardson

Willis Carnahan

John W. Green

At Roanoke County Court March Term 1846

The foregoing will of John W. Green was produced in Court and proved by the oaths of Barrett Thompson & John Richardson witness thereto and admitted to records
Copy Date W. M. Cook. C

W. Farley

In the name of God - Amen - I William Farley of the County of Roanoke & State of Virginia being of sound mind & disposing memory do make this my last will & testament in manner & form as follows, I direct that my body be decently interred in my burial grounds on my own place - and as to such worldly estate as it has pleased God to entrust me with I dispose of the same as follows, I desire & direct that all my debts be paid and funeral expenses, 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, directed to be sold - Item I give & bequeath to my beloved wife Fanny W. Farley the following boundary of Land as hereinafter described including the house buildings & barn where I reside during her natural life and at her death the same shall go to my four children by my last marriage as hereinafter directed I request my executors to have the Land devised my wife laid off Beginning at Wm R. Johnson mill dam and at his corner down the middle of Licker Creek as it meanders crossing the road to Salem down the middle of the Creek to the spring on the north bank of the creek dividing the spring so that the spring shall be used in common giving to my wife & children the right to use water from said spring as well as retaining the right to be used with the Land not devised my wife two poles from a cedar tree corner at or near the head of the spring up the hill make a corner thence up the north side of the creek on the hill side to the fence on the south side of the lane leading down the hill to the creek this will give the right of peeping down the creek to the Spring make a corner at the fence thence with the fence on the south side of the lane running with the same North East to where it will strike a division fence coming from the Salem Road crossing the hill to a short distance below the Tobacco house on the road leading to the Big Lick - on striking said division fence on the hill make a corner with said division fence south to the Lick Road below the Tobacco house on said road thence with the road toward Col. Kyle until it strikes the line of the Land of Wm R. Johnson with the line west to the Beginning, this Land is all cleared except a small piece and I direct my executors to have laid off fifty acres of Land in timber on the south side of the Lick Road commencing at said road on the line of Wm R. Johnson with the same South East to the corner next Mill's Mountain thence South with the out side line as may be necessary to make a corner so that by running west to the road to divide fifty acres I give the following slave to my wife during her life and the slave hereinafter named at her death shall be equally divided between my four children by my last marriage hereafter named, the slave with their future increase devised my wife are named as follows Big Dick Henry Robert negro men one female slave Martha Ann two children Charles & Betty with their future increase as long as my wife shall live and at the death of my wife, I will bequeath & devise to my four children by my last marriage to George Farley, Ann Margaret Farley, Sarah Mildred Farley & Harriet Amelia Farley, all the slaves with their future increase as devised my wife to my said children to be divided between them as before directed to them & their heirs forever - In addition to the Land & slave devised my wife I will devise

& bequeaths to her the following personal property one Bay mare Nancy Dawson
Two horses Charley & Clifford one cow Mare Jane, Two heads of cattle such as
she may want twenty heads of hogs 1300 lbs of pork twenty one sheep twelve fine
weathers one ram & eight ewes choice of the flock One yoke of oxen & ox cart
three killing hoes Two mattocks One pair Iron wedges & shovel plough & shovel
hoes Two W. Tongue ploughs One big plough Two harrows Three pair steel bridles
collars &c. One buggy & harness half the house holds kitchen furniture also as
much grain of all kinds as may do the family for one year, hay straw fodder
&c for her stock - my four young children shall live with my wife & no charge
shall be made against them for board schooling clothing &c. no as much as
I made the part devised my wife more liberal on that account and it is my
will & desire that at the death of my wife that my Executors sell the lands devised
my wife one third cash & the balance in two payments one two years retaining
the title to the lands until the last payment shall be made and the money
arising from the sale of the Lands shall be paid over to my four children
Seth George Charley Ann Hazeltine Charley Sarah Mildred Charley & Harriet
Amelia Charley subject to a deduction of such sum as I may charge upon said
sale of lands to be paid my other children as hereafter named & directed - The
stock of every kind house holds & kitchen furniture crop of grain farming imple-
ments at the death of my wife on hand shall be sold & the money arising from
the sale shall be equally divided between my said four children by my last
wife - should any of the four children die before that time without leaving
an heir or heirs then that event the property left my wife during her life which
I have directed shall be divided & sold & the proceeds divided between my
four children before named by my last marriage shall go to the surviving
children by my last marriage & be equally divided between them should any
have heirs then their portion shall go the heirs of the deceased child as before
named, deducting from the sale of the Lands devised my wife before it shall
be divided between the four children by the last marriage that sum that I may
charge on said lands devised to be paid out of said sale to my children by
my first marriage hereinafter named and the sum to each out of said sale -
Item 4th It is my wish that my executors sell all the lands not devised my
wife upon the following terms one third cash the balance in one two
years the title to the Lands retained until the last payment is made when
I direct my executors to make a deed to the purchaser for the lands I
direct that my executors sell the following slaves viz Mary, Claiborn Cinda
Lucy & Mary with their future increase - after the stock household & kitchen
furniture grain &c. devised my wife my executors will sell the balance of
stock house holds & kitchen furniture grain farming implements &c. with the debt
that may be owing & due me collect the same & after paying out of my estate
my debts I will bequeath & devise the property above directed to be sold the balance
after the payment of my debts shall be equally divided among all my children
& my executors will pay the same as herein directed when the same can be done
from collecting & sales - to my children share & share alike James H. Parley Joseph
Charley Catharine Read wife of W^m A. Read Nancy Baldwin wife of W^m
Baldwin Elizabeth Kingie wife of Christian Kingie Emeline Angel wife
of Jacob Angel Seth George Charley Ann Hazeltine Charley Sarah Mildred
Charley & Harriet Amelia Charley - I do hereby constitute & appoint my son James
Charley a trustee to receive the part devised my daughter Emeline Angel

and so to manage the same that my said daughter shall receive the benefit
in that way as will render my daughter most comfortable & as my son James
H. Charley may think will be most beneficial to my said daughter & her children
and at the death of my said daughter if there is any thing left it shall go to
my daughters children if any of my children by my first marriage should die
before that time their portion shall go to their child or children - should they leave heirs
Item 5th Out of the lands at my wife's death directed there to be sold it is
my will & desire that from the sale of said lands my executors pay to each of
my children by my first marriage one hundred dollars each the names of my
said children are as follows James H. Charley Joseph Charley Catharine Read
Nancy Baldwin Elizabeth Kingie Emeline Angel James H. Charley to receive
her share as before directed - The balance of the money after the payment of said
sums arising from the sale of said lands shall be equally divided between
my said four young children before named by my last marriage to them &
their heirs forever - Item 6th Should any of the house named & devised my wife
die before that time it is my wish that my wife select others in their place so
that she may carry on the farm &c. I do hereby constitute and appoint my wife
Fanny H. Charley & my son James H. Charley Guardians for my four young
children until they arrive to the age of twenty one years - It is my wish that
my son Seth George Charley receive a liberal business education - That my
daughter Ann Hazeltine Charley Sarah Mildred Charley & Harriet Amelia
Charley receive each such an education as will qualify them for good society -
The part devised to be equally divided of my estate among all my children the
part coming to my four young children the same shall be placed at interest
by their Guardians the interest to be paid annually which shall go to help clothe
school & support my said children, & if from circumstances the goods of my
children should require it the Guardians may take a part of the amount kept
at interest and apply it to their wants should the same be deemed proper &
advisable - The funds loaned out of my said children shall be well secured
& guarded so that no loss may arise - and lastly I do hereby ordain constitute & appoint
my son James H. Charley & my friends John W. Thompson executors of this my last
will & testament hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time heretofore made
& do declare this to be my last will and testament In witness whereof I the
said William Charley have to this my last will & testament set my hand & affixed
my seal this Twenty second day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand
Eight hundred & Forty five -
Signed sealed published & declared
by the above named William Parley
as for his last will & testament in the
presence of us who have herunto subscribed
our names as witnesses thereto in the presence
of the said testator & in the presence of each other
J. H. Kyle
Willis Carnahan
Abraham Martin

Whereas I William Parley of the County of Roanoke and State
of Virginia have by my last will and testament in writing duly executed
bearing date on the twenty second day of May in the year of our Lord

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 Lett 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 attesting 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)