

W^m P. Marks. In the name of God Amen: I William P. Marks being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and knowing the uncertainty of human life, do make this my last will and testament.

First. I desire after my death, that all my just debts be paid out of my estate by my executors hereinafter named.

Item. I give, devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Mildred A. Marks, and my three children, Annie Thomalson, Alice Payne, and Blanche E. Marks, the house and lot now owned by me, situated on the South side of Main Street in the town of Salem, Virginia, and any other real estate of which I may die possessed, share and share alike, to be held by them in equal share, absolutely, and used and disposed of by them as they may desire. This devise to my wife is made to her, in law of her dower in said estate, but should she, my wife, renounce this provision made in her behalf, and prefer to have her dower in said estate assigned her, then the said real estate is devised equally, share and share alike to my three children above named. I have conveyed by deed to my daughter Willie L. Smith certain portion of my real estate, as and for her share in same.

Item. I give, devise and bequeath unto my wife, Mildred A. Marks, and my four children above named, viz: Willie L. Smith, Annie Thomalson, Alice Payne, and Blanche E. Marks, the money due me or the paid up policy of insurance in the Valley Mutual Insurance Co., of Staunton, Virginia, in equal shares, left after the payment of any debt which I may leave unpaid at my death.

I also hold a policy of insurance on my life in the Staunton Life Insurance Co., of Staunton Virginia, and I give and devise any and all money that may be collected on same after my death to my wife and four children above named, in equal shares, and all the rest and residue of my personal estate I give and bequeath to my wife and four children above named in equal share.

I hereby appoint my two sons-in-law, John R. Payne and Furman J. Smith, as my executors of this my last will and testament, and desire that the Court will not require security of them, and that they will execute the provisions of this Will, without compensation.

I hereby revoke any former will or wills by me hitherto made.

In testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my seal this the 4th day of March 1895.

Witness

W. H. Ballard.

Benjamin Lee

W^m P. Marks

At Roanoke County Court December Term 1896.

The last Will and Testament of Mrs P. Marker deceased, was this day produced in Court, and thereupon William H. Ballard, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto was sworn and testified that the said Will was signed by the said testator in the presence of himself and Henderson Lee, the other witness thereto, both being present at the same time, and that he and Henderson Lee, the other witness subscribed the said Will in the presence of the testator and each other, and thereupon the said Will is ordered to be recorded.

A copy from the records of Court.

Teste:-

W. Griffin, Clerk.

Geo. P. Tayloe. I, George P. Tayloe, of the county of Roanoke, State of Virginia, being of advanced age, but of sound mind and in good health, do make and declare this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all previous wills made by me:

1. I give and bequeath all the stock I may own in the Fidelity Loan & Trust Company at the time of my death, to John D. Langhorne, or Charles M. Blackford should said Langhorne decline to act, in trust to apply the dividends thereof to the maintenance and support of my son, J. William Tayloe, and Lucy, his wife, and their children as a family, during the joint lives of my said son and his wife, and the life of the survivor of them, the same not to be in any manner liable for their debts, contracts or liabilities either jointly or severally. At the death of both the said son J. William Tayloe, and his wife, the said stock or proceeds thereof shall vest in their children in fee. The said trustee shall have full power and authority in his discretion to sell said stock at any time, and invest the proceeds thereof in other property real or personal, upon the trust above declared.

2. I give and bequeath to John L. Williams, of the County of Orange, the debt now due me by the St. Johns Protestant Episcopal Church, of the City of Roanoke and Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church of said City, amounting to Ten Thousand Dollars, in trust to pay the interest thereon to Mrs. Delia S. Tayloe, the wife of George E. Tayloe, during her life, and at her death the principal of said debt to be divided equally between her children, share and share alike, and their descendants, the descendants of any deceased child taking the share to which its parent would be entitled, if alive.