

Her Son Francis Gorton has for his part one Negro Vault	30..0..0
Value	
One Negro Boy Dick Value	25..0..0
Due to him out of the Personal Estate	0..15..6
	<u>55..15..6</u>

This done in Obedience to an Order of Court held for York County the 19th of February 1749 We have settled and divided the Estate of Edward Gorton dec^d according to his Will given under our hands this 15th day of March 1749/50.

Tho. Charles

Seymour Powell

Walter Chapman

Returned into York County Court the 19th day of March 1749 and Ordered to be recorded.

Exam^d

Teste Tho. Overand G. Gunt

Fontaine's will In the Name of God Amen I Francis Fontaine Minister of Yorkhampton Parish in York County Virginia being mindful of the frailty and Mortality of Human Nature and that it is appointed for all Men once to die but considering the Uncertainty of the time thereof Being now (I thank God) in perfect health sound Mind Memory and Understanding so therefore make

this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is
to say First and Principally I most earnestly commend my Soul into
the Hands of Almighty God my Creator hoping through the Merits
Passion and Death of my only Saviour Christ Jesus to receive full
Pardon and Remission of all my Sins and to Inherit eternal Life.

And as for my Body I commit it to the Earth in the Comfortable hope
of a Glorious Resurrection to be buried at the discretion of my Executors
hereafter named.

And as to the disposition of what Estate soever Real or Personal
which I shall die Possessed of I give and dispose thereof as followeth
(that is to say) my Just Debts and funeral expences first paid.

I Give unto my Youngest Son James Maury Fontaine all my
Printed Books and Manuscripts.

And forasmuch as my Eldest Son Francis Fontaine Jun^r hath
behaved himself wickedly and Undutifully to prevent any trouble or
Vexation which he might cause to my dear Wife Susanna Fontaine
and my Children I do hereby Absolutely and intirely disinheret him the
said Francis Fontaine and my Will is that he his Heirs Executors &

Administrators or Assigns forever have no Claim Right or Title
whatsoever to any part of my Estate.

And to prevent any Vexation or Trouble being caused to my Dear
Wife by any of my other Children Viz: Mary Fontaine, John
Fontaine, Thomas Fontaine James Maury Fontaine and Judith
Barber Fontaine I do hereby Give and bequeath to my dear Wife
Susanna Fontaine abovementioned the whole residue of all such
Estate whatsoever which I shall die possessed of to her to be disposed
of as she shall think fit with as full Power and Authority as if I my
self were living Relying entirely upon her Love and discretion in
bringing up and providing for my five last mentioned Children To her
(under God) I commit the Care and Government of them.

And my Will is that my Estate be not Inventoried or Appraised
but that my dear Wife abovementioned alone have the whole and
sole Management and Disposal thereof.

And I do therefore by this my last Will and Testament Constitute
and appoint my said dear Wife Susanna Fontaine sole Executrix
and Administratrix of this my last Will and Testament And I do
hereby absolutely revoke and disannull all former Wills by me

173) made and declare this alone to be my last Will and Testament written
all with my own hand. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this twenty third Day of April One thousand seven
hundred and forty five
Signed Sealed & Declared
to be my last Will and -
Testament in Presence of

Francis Fontaine (Ld.)

At a Court held for York County the 19th day of March 1749.
This Writing was presented in Court by Susanna Fontaine the Executrix &
therein named and Mary Fontaine Daughter of the Decedent being first
sworn said that the Writing aforesaid was all of the hand writing of the
said Decedent and that she heard him in his Lifetime read the said
Writing and Publish and Declare the same to his last Will and
Testament and John Fontaine being also sworn said that the Writing
abovementioned was all of the proper hand writing of the said
Decedent and that the Seal affixed thereto was the proper Seal and
Arms of the said Decedent Whereupon the said Writing was ^{by the Court} established
as and for the last Will and Testament of the said Francis Fontaine decd
and Ordered to be recorded. And the said Executrix having made Oath
that according to Law Certificate was granted her for obtaining a -

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thereto according to Law Certificate was granted her for obtaining a

Probate thereof in due form.

Exam^d

Teste Tho^s. Everard Esq. Clerk

Division
A Division of the Negroes belonging to the Estate of Samuel Timson
decd. amongst his Children as follows.