

In the name of God Amen
Burke County I. J. Dilpha Townlin of said County being weak of
body, but of a sound mind & memory do hereby
make & constitute this to be my last Will & testament
in writing all & every Will or testament heretofore by

- me made & published
First I resign my body to the grave trusting in the final resurrection
& my spirit I trust that my Saviour will receive in the
Mansions of Heavenly Bliss
Second. I wish that my body be buried in the family Grave yard on my
Plantation in a suitable & Christian manner & that one half
acre, the Centre of which the said grave yard, be set apart for
ever as a family grave yard.
Third I direct & fully authorize my Executor to sell all my Estates
(except my Negroes) at public or private sale as he may
think proper. My Negroes I direct & authorize him to sell
at private sale & in families to suit persons as my Negroes
may select & at such prices & on such terms that may enable
the person or persons that my Negroes may select to buy them.
Third. From the proceeds of said Sale, I direct first the payment
of all my just debts at as early a day as possible.
Fifth I give & bequeath as follows. To Miss Charlotte E. Carter
the sum of One Thousand Dollars. To Mrs. Ann C. Powell
the sum of Two Thousand Dollars. To Miss Abigail E.
Powell the sum of Two Thousand Dollars. To Doct. Green
B. Powell the sum of Two Thousand Dollars. To James H.
Carey the sum of five hundred Dollars. and to James Rowland
the sum of five hundred Dollars, & I confide in my friend
Hughes Malton & James Rowland that they will protect &
preserve the said family grave yard in proper order. These
legacies are given as a token of my high regard & esteem of
the legatees aforesaid.
Sixth I give & bequeath unto Mulford Marsh, the sum of One Thousand
and Dollars for the many professional services he has ren-
dered me & such as he may render my estate in the carrying
into effect this my will.
Seventh. All the rest & residue of my Estate real & personal, I give
and bequeath unto my said friend Doctor Green B. Powell
for the many professional services he has rendered me, & I
request & trust well assured that he will fully & liberally
compensate Miss Lively for her services rendered to me
during my present sickness.
Lastly I nominate, appoint & constitute Doctor Green B. Powell
sole Executor of this my last will & Testament.
In Testimony Whereof I do hereby publish this as my last
will & Testament, this 14th January 1854 under my hand
& seal.

Signed & published by the Testator
as her last will & Testament
in our presence & by us at her
request & in her presence, & in
that of each other signed as Witnesses
Isaac M. Marsh
Lafayette M. Norvell
J. B. Powell

Jillpha Tomlin

Clerk's Office Supreme Court of Va.
 Hillsborough, 14 August 1856.
 I Certify that the above foregoing is a true Copy taken
 from the transcript of the record in a case sent to the
 Supreme Court from Burke County, wherein Green B.
 Powell is prosecutor & Edmund A. Tomlinson & Robert C.
 Tomlinson are defendants in Error.
 Given under my hand & Seal of Office.
 Robt. E. Martin, Clerk

In Burke Superior Court November Term 1856.
Present His Honor William McKalt Judge.
It appearing to the Court that the last Will & Testament
of Zephah Tomlinson was brought up to this Court on
an appeal on Caveat from the Court of Ordinary of
this County and that pending said Appeal & before its
determination, said last Will and Testament was on the
Night of 24th January 1856, destroyed by fire in the burning
of the Court House in said County & it further appearing
that said appeal was had from this Court to the Supreme
Court of this State, in which a certified Copy of said
Will was transmitted to said Supreme Court, & it further
appearing that the annexed Copy Will ~~was transmitted~~
is a certified Copy of that sent up from this Court
and certified as such by the Clerk thereof. It is on
Motion of Attorneys for said Powell Executor of said
Zephah Tomlinson that said Copy Will certified as aforesaid
be taken had & established in lieu of said burned last
original Will, and that a certified Copy with said
Establishment will be transmitted to the Office of the
Ordinary for this County.
I do hereby Certify the above to be a true Copy of the
order entered of the Minutes of the Superior Court
in relation to the establishment of the Will of Zephah
Tomlinson deceased.
Witness my hand & Seal of Office of said Court
this 19th November 1856. Edward Garlick D.C.R.

to Burke Superior Court November Term 1856
Hon William McKelvey Judge

As the Matter of the will
of Sophia Fournier, Queen
B. Powell Proprietor

appeal from Court
of Ordinary

Robert G. Garrison to Thomas
Carrington

The will of the Testatrix having been proven in solemn form
 as affirmed by the verdict of a special jury at the May
 Term of this Court in the year Eighteen Hundred & Fifty
 five. It is therefore on Motion of Counsel for pro=
 per ordered that the aforesaid last will & Tes-

transcript of the said Dilpha Tomlin be returned to the Court
of Ordinary for this County that the same be recorded
& that such other proceedings be thereon had, as are
usual & in conformity with the Law.
I do Certify the foregoing to be a true extract from the
minutes of Burke Superior Court November Term 1856.
In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
affixed the seal of Office at Waynesboro this 19th
Day of November 1856. Edward Garlick D. C. C.
Superior Court B. C.

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The Last Will and Testament of Dilpha Tomlin deceased
having been Caveated and appealed to the Superior
Court & there proven in solemn form, as affirmed
by the Verdict of a Special Jury & remanded by the
Order of said Superior Court to this Court for record.
It is on Motion of Perrien & Jones Counsel for the
Executor Ordered, that said Will be recorded, that
letters testamentary do issue to Green B. Powell the
Executor of said Will, and that a warrant of ap-
praisement be awarded in terms of the Law.

Recorded 11 July 1857.