

Third I nominate and appoint my friend Pleasant
Walbert guardian for my said two daughters Sarah
M. & Mary. L. Buchanan I desire that he may act
as such and out of the hire of Slaves or rent of land
herein bequeathed he shall see that they have a first
rate female education.

Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint Samuel S.
Buchanan & Jas. M. Harris Executors of this my last
will and Testament In Witness whereof I have here-
unto set my hand and seal this 11th day November
1852 Signed Sealed & published

in our presence & we have Pryor Buchanan (Seal)
Subscribed our names hereto
in the presence of the testator
this 11th day of November 1852

James Fulton

Gideon Lay

Proven and admitted to record first Monday in
February 1853 George Cunningham

Alfred H. Berry's Last Will & Testament
Alfred H. Berry of the County of Lincoln and State of Tennessee
being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding
do make and publish this as my last Will and Testament
humbly revoking all other and similar instruments heretofore made
by me

First. I will and direct, that my funeral expenses, and
all my last debts be paid, as soon after my ^{death} as practicable
be. I will and bequeath to my beloved Wife Rebecca H.
Berry during her natural life the following Slaves viz. Linger,
Sarah, Catharine, Virginia and John and their increase and
after her death it is my will that said Slaves be equally
divided between my Children by the said Rebecca, H. Berry
and said Alfred -

Third. It is my desire that all the balance of my property
both real and personal, be sold and the proceeds be
applied to the payment of my debts, except such of my
house hold furniture, as my said Wife may see proper to
retain - The proceeds of the sale of my property aforesaid
I wish put out by my Executors at interest and the inter-
est thus arising I desire to be applied to the education
of my Children, and the support of my family, and as
much of the principal as necessity may require; and
at the death of my said Wife, I desire that said fund
be equally divided between my Children herein before
stated.

Fourth - If my said Wife should desire, the above men-
tioned funds, hereafter to be involved in real estate
for the use and benefit of herself and my Children
I will and direct that she have the privilege of doing
so, and - That such real estate, thus purchased
be equally divided between my said Children, after the
death of my said Wife, or before if my wife should
wish.

Fifth - If my said Wife shall bear a further Child
it is my Will and desire that said posthumous Child
shall share equally with my said Children herein before
named, in all the property, funds and effects above
set forth and in all and any other property funds
or effects which may hereafter come into the hands

of my kind Executor
Sixth, I hereby nominate and appoint my friend
Samuel H Cobb, Executor, to execute this my last
Will and Testament.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this the 15th
day of March A.D. 1853

A. H. Berry (Seal)

My children: interlined.

before signed, also "and then
executed". (In very old mss.)

Signed sealed and delivered in
the presence of us March 15th 1853

W. M. McNeely
A. O. Wallace

Proven and admitted to Record April
1853 of the County Court of Lincoln Co. N. H.

William Hamilton's last Will & Testament

I William Hamilton do make and publish this
my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and
shaking void all other Wills by me at any time made
First I direct that my funeral expenses and
all my debts be paid as soon after my death
as possible out of any monies that I may die
possessed of or may first come into the hands
of my Executor.

Secondly, I give and bequeath unto John Hamilton
and Newton Hamilton, equally, all of land and
premises of which I am now possessed, my home
place on which I now reside.

Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint Enoch
Hamilton my Executor in Witness whereof I do
to this my Will set my hand and seal this 20th
day of March 1849. William Hamilton (Seal)

Signed sealed and published
in our presence and we have
subscribed our names hereto
in the presence of the testator
this the 20th day of March
1849

William Lally
Alfred Eaton
Ellis Parker

Proven and admitted to Record at the May Term
1853. of the County Court of Lincoln County
New Hampshire & Recorded 4th May 1853

George Cunningham, Clerk