

Henry Kings will

Know all men that the sum of five acres cart to them and their heirs (Monthly) agree and bequeath to my son Henry Kings twenty five acres of land after the decease of my beloved wife but of the said Henry Kings should succeed having no lawful heirs of his body begotten then said land to go to my son John Kings and his heirs for ever - Also I give and bequeath to my son Henry Kings my silver plate or any other all my best cloth and funeral expence save parts of that he may think necessary I give it to my beloved wife - Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my dear and affectionate wife and my sons Thomas Kings & Henry Kings executors & administrators of this my last will and testament and there is no diversity require of them hereby revoking all former wills or testaments by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 30th day of September & in the year of our Lord 1825

Ligned sealed published and declared to be the last will and testament of the above named Henry Kings in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses to the same

James Fullerton, the foregoing will was proven in court by the oaths of Thomas Stevens & Thomas Stevens James Barron two of the subscribing witnesses, thence at October Session 1825 James Barron Sarah Kings Thomas Kings & Henry Kings qualified as executors & administrators of the foregoing will

Thomas Elsey Will

In the Name of God Amen I Thomas Elsey of Washington being sick & weak of body but sound mind & disposing Memory (for which I thank God) and calling to mind the uncertainty of human life & being desirous of disposing of such worldly property as it hath pleased God to bless me with. I give and bequeath the same in manner and form following, that is to say I do hereby constitute and appoint my dear and affectionate wife and my sons John Elsey to the sole executors and bequeath to them the same John Elsey after my decease should have his heirs and assigns for ever - Also I do hereby constitute and appoint my dear and affectionate wife and my sons George Crow executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all other or former wills and testaments by me made in writing whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14th day of September in the year of our Lord 1825 I signed sealed published and declared to be the last will and testament of the above named Thomas Elsey in presence of us who at his request and in his presence have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses to the same

James P. Hahn & Charles Cox } the foregoing will was proven in court by the oaths of James P. Hahn and Charles Cox the subscribing witnesses, thence at January Session 1826 & over and over, John Elsey & George Crow qualified as executors of the foregoing will at April 1826

John Snapp's Will

John Snapp of the County of Washington and State of Pennsylvania being sick and weak of body but of sound memory and disposing memory (for which I thank God) and calling to mind the uncertainty of human life and being desirous to dispose of all such worldly substance as it hath pleased God to bless me with. I give and bequeath the same in manner following, that is to say I give to my wife Mary Snapp all the household and kitchen furniture and the use of the mansion house and kitchen and all the buildings and lands there on in the bounds following that is to say beginning at a stake near the Copper Corner of the garden next to the Barn in the lower town and down the lane fence to the Corn Creek thence having the Corn Creek and a negro house next the gate out of the Doel to the lane fence thence down I lane fence to a stake where the meadow fence joins the lane thence with the meadow fence to a marked stone upon the branch thence to a stake near the spring including the spring and meadow house in P Lot thence to a marked post at the Copper Corner of the quarter East include a stake in said Lot thence with P Lot fence to a marked bar post thence with said grass Lot fence including the same and the garden to the beginning. Also one horse cart and two cows and a calf which he may make choice of out of my stock with one fourth part of the Orchard. Also my negro woman Ficks and of P Negro woman shall become sick or infirm or be carried attend her burial and shall die that my son John Snapp's estate shall be bound to furnish her with another girl that shall be able to attend on her and I do hereby constitute and appoint my wife Mary Snapp annually while she may live one hundred Dollars in good current money and six hundred Dollars to be delivered and paid at her house also that she shall have what amount of money she may think proper to be delivered and three hundred weight of Beef also a sufficient quantity of hay or fodder to winter a horse and two cows the grain meat and hay or fodder to be delivered at her house as above also in time of pasturing to furnish her with pasture sufficient for two cows and a horse the mool of the above named property I give unto my wife Mary Snapp for and during the term of her Natural Life, I do give unto my son John Snapp's estate all my Estate both real and personal with what money may be on hand and accretions and what debts I may owe excepting what I shall give to my wife Mary Snapp and after her decease I give the same to my son John Snapp's estate and to be enjoyed by him and his heirs for ever by his paying the debts hereafter named to my other children that is to say to my son Joseph Snapp One thousand Dollars in good current Bank notes to be paid in four equal payments that is to say in twelve months after the decease of my wife Mary Snapp to pay P Snapp One hundred fifty dollars and then to pay two hundred fifty dollars yearly to the P Snapp until the thousand Dollars is paid. To my Daughter Mary Ann Snapp I give the sum of One thousand Dollars in good current Bank notes to be paid in four equal payments that is in twelve months after the death of my wife Mary Snapp to pay P Snapp One hundred fifty Dollars and then to pay P Snapp until the thousand Dollars is paid. To my son Paul Snapp I give the sum of One thousand Dollars in good current Bank notes to be paid in four equal payments that is in twelve months after the death of my wife Mary Snapp to pay P Snapp One hundred fifty Dollars and then to pay P Snapp until the thousand Dollars is paid. To my son William Snapp I give the sum of One thousand Dollars in good current Bank notes to be paid in four equal payments that is in twelve months after the death of my wife Mary Snapp to pay P Snapp One hundred fifty Dollars and then to pay P Snapp until the thousand Dollars is paid.

John Snapp Sr. Will,

by me to write a Deed of Conveyance from me to Maria Tyler for a piece of Land lying on Mill Creek, Rockingham County, and State of Virginia and was then employed by me to write a Deed of Conveyance from myself to P. George Huston adjoining the Land sold to P. Tyler and whereas there was contained <sup>within</sup> in the said Deed to P. Tyler and Huston, that is to say, said Tyler & Huston seem to have equal share of the Water in P. Mill Creek at the Great Road leading from Staunton to Winchester by way of Hightstown for the purpose of Watering their Meadows and no other Water Right was to be made there having full confidence in P. Huston and not doubting that he would put any thing in his Deed but what was intended by me should be respecting said Water Right, Neglect to read the Deed of Conveyance from me to said Huston when signing said Deed, since that time that is since he returned to Staunton said Huston has been demanding an half of the Water that runs in the Ditch that waters P. Tyler's Meadows at the lower end of Tyler's Meadows which P. Huston has no claim to unless P. Huston has put the same in his Deed without my knowledge and would have been allowed if I had read the Deed when signing or if I had known it before he had signed another mistake in P. Deed which was to make P. Huston a Deed for a Lot of Land which he the P. Huston has left out of his first Deed, Now if the P. George Huston in his said Deed his wife shall duly execute a Deed to Maria Tyler's heirs relinquishing their claim to any part of the Water that runs in the ditch that waters Maria Tyler's Meadows or to his heirs, then and in that case my son John Snapp Sr. will pay my daughter Susanna Huston a hundred and ten thousand dollars in four equal payments, that is to say in twelve months after the decease of my wife Mary Snapp, to pay P. Huston and his heirs and assigns yearly until the thousand dollars is paid, but in case the P. George Huston has retained his wife, shall upon to make P. David Tyler's heirs relinquishing their claim (if any they have) to the water in said ditch that waters said Tyler's Meadows, then and in that case, P. John Snapp Sr. shall pay to my daughter Susanna Huston or her heirs, the sum of twenty dollars and no more which is to be paid in twelve months after the decease of my wife Mary Snapp. In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this ninth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and one and Highteen, N.B. Whereas there is no provision made in this will for paying my debts, my Son John Snapp Sr. is to pay all the just debts that may come against my estate and as I have given a bond of Two hundred pounds to my Son Joseph Snapp due at my decease, my Son John Snapp Sr. is to pay my Son Joseph the said bond of the first money that collected the said bond to be paid when I was living. In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this ninth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighteenth.

John Snapp Sr. <sup>Deed</sup>

John Snapp Sr. Will,

presence of us who at his request and in his presence have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses to the same.

John Doan  
Daniel Geager  
Robert S. Sturmy  
Davi Wallis  
Susanna Geager

The foregoing will was proven in open Court by the oaths of John Doan Daniel Geager & Davi Wallis, and Robert S. Sturmy four of the subscribing witnesses shewed at January Session 1819.

Schedule to the will of John Snapp Sr.

I John Snapp Sr. do hereby appoint, nominate and constitute John Snapp of Sturmy County, Myself, executor of this my last will and Testament and do give unto him full power to act as such. In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 19th day of October 1818.

John Snapp Sr. <sup>Deed</sup>

Test

Nathan Barnes  
Daniel Geager  
Robert S. Sturmy

The above schedule was proven in open Court by the oaths of Nathan Barnes, Daniel Geager & Robert S. Sturmy the subscribing witnesses shewed at January Session 1819, and Recorded, John Snapp qualified as Executor to the foregoing Will.

Alexander Whitlock Will

In the Name of God our

Alexander Whitlock of the County of Washington & State of Virginia say of lawful Mind & Memory calling unto mind that it is appointed for man once to die he this thirty first day of January 1822 sick and pallid this my last will & Testament in the manner following that is to say I give and bequeath unto said Whitlock my loving wife all my estate Real & Personal during her Natural life and at her death then I give my then living John Blake and Samuel Whitlock my land with all improvements to be equally divided between them and all my personal estate I want to be equally divided amongst my daughter after she all my debts or charges are paid and I hereby make and bequeath my loving wife and son John Whitlock executor & administrator of this my last will & Testament in witness whereof I the said Alexander Whitlock have to this my last will & Testament set my hand and seal day and date above written

Recorded in the presence of us  
Charles Darg with the  
Stephen L. Fleer } The foregoing will was proven in Court by the oaths of Charles Darg with the Stephen L. Fleer two of the subscribing witnesses shewed at April Session 1822 and recorded - Samuel Whitlock & John Whitlock qualified as executor & administrator to the foregoing will

Alexander Whitlock <sup>his</sup> <sup>mark</sup>