

Martha ^{lyp} Cobb ^{dead}

Signed in the presence of §
 Harrim Cobb
 M. W. Vaughan
 James Cobb

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 16th day of October 1848.

The Last Will and Testament of Martha Cobb deceased was proved by the oath of
 M. W. Vaughan & James Cobb two of the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered
 to be Recorded

Teste

G. R. Edwards Esq.

Jordan Pope,⁵

Will

In the Name of God Amen. I Jordan Pope of the County of Southamptow and State of Virginia do hereby make and publish my last Will & Testament in manner and form following that is to say

Item 1st after the payment of my just debts I leave unto my loving wife Lucy Pope the whole of my Estate during her natural life and it is my will and desire they my Executor shall deliver to my loving wife Lucy Pope after the payment of my just debt the whole of my Estate without requiring her to give refunding bond for the delivery of my Estate at her death

Item 2^d It is my will and desire that my property such as my furniture in my house and cooking utensils shall not be sold until my wife desires it but if the said property she can let my Executor sell such of my estate as she may think that she will not require.

Item 3^r It is my will and desire that at the death of my loving wife Lucy Pope that my estate be equally divided in two parts one half I give unto my loving wife Lucy Pope to her and her heirs forever.

Item 4th It is my will and desire that the one half of my Estate given to my wife Lucy Pope in the third item of my will that at her death, or before her death she may dispose of it as she may think proper.

Item 5th It is my will and desire that the other half of my Estate not held for disposed of I give to my Sister Patience Cox daughter Nancy Cox daughter of John Cox to her & her heirs forever.

Item 6th It is not my intention that my Executor shall not hold any of my Estate from my loving wife Lucy Pope after the payment of my just debts but as I have heretofore mentioned above in the 1st Item of my will he will deliver up to her without requiring her to give a refunding bond the whole of my Estate to hold so long as she lives.

Item 7th Lastly I constitute nominate & appoint John Drury my whole sole Executor to this my last will & Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 10th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty three.

Signed, sealed published and declared as and for the last Will & testament of the above named Jordan Pope in presence of us

A. G. Neves

Sam'l Drury

John H. Fitzhugh

Jordan Pope ^{his} Seal
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