

of my said Son's Daughter should die before that time I give the said property to my son William Sankford, and to his heirs.

Item: I give all the balance of my estate of all sorts both Real and personal to my son William Sankford, and to his heirs forever.

Lastly: I have my son William Sankford Executor to this my last Will, witnessed by me the 17th of June 1848.

acknowledged in the presence of:

(S.S.S.)

introduced by Mr. J. S.

At a Court held for the County of Southampton on the 14th day of Jan. March 1849. This Writing bearing date the 17th day of June 1848 purporting the Last Will and Testament of Esqr Sankford, did: was produced in Court, and there being no subscribing Witness thereto Jacob H. Duck Court Reporter said A. S. H. Bragg being duly sworn deposite and swear that they are well acquainted with the hand writing of the said Esqr Sankford, and verily believe that the body of the said writing to be wholly in the hand writing of the said Esqr Sankford, and whereupon it is ordered that the said writing be received as and for the last Will and Testament of the said Esqr Sankford, and And on the Motion of William Sankford the Executor named in said Will, who made Oath and together with Jacob H. Duck Court Reporter and J. W. Duck his securities entered into and acknowledged a Bond in the penalty of twenty thousand Dollars conditioned as the Law directs. Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate of said Will in due form.

Teste J. H. Edwards Esq

I Willis Wellons of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia do hereby make my last Will and Testament in manner and form following to wit:

1st It is my wish and desire as soon as practicable after my decease that my Executor shall make sale of such part of my personal property only as shall be a sufficiency for the payment of all my just debts funeral expenses &c.

2nd after the disposal of enough of the above named property for the payment of all my debts and funeral expenses I give to my wife Eliza Wellons to be sold and maintain the balance of my personal property together with all my real and personal estate during her natural life and after her decease or marriage I give the same to be equally divided among all my children to them and their heirs forever.

3rd And Lastly: I do hereby appoint my son in Law James C. Brattle my whole and sole Executor to this my last Will and Testament; And Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused my seal to be affixed this twenty third day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

Signed sealed published & declared by the said Willis Wellons for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence have subscribed

our names as Witnesses
 Jacob H. Duck
 Benjamin H. Duck
 Rose A. C. Trow

Willis Wellons (S.S.S.)

At a Court held for the County of Southampton on the 14th day of Jan. March 1849. This Last Will and Testament of Willis Wellons did: was proved by the Oaths of Jacob H. Duck Benjamin H. Duck and Rose A. C. Trow the subscribing Witnesses thereto and ordered to be received. And on the Motion of James C. Brattle who made Oath and together with Cary Bay S. B. Kello and P. H. Kello his securities entered into and acknowledged a