

Know all men by these presents that I Thomas Chitty a resident of the County of Southampton, State of Virginia, being this day of sound mind and in view of the uncertainties of life, do make and declare this to be my last will and testament, revoking all others.

- 1st After my just and legal debts are paid I dispose of my property as follows-
- 2^d To my daughter Agnes J Barden, wife of Copeland Barden, I give the sum of five dollars-
- 3^d To my daughter Mary A Bryant, wife of John A. Bryant, I give the sum of five dollars-
- 4th To my son Pitt T. Chitty I give the sum of five dollars.
- 5th The remainder of my property I leave to my wife during her life, to be kept together by her, and at her death, I then give the property to my three children viz. William L. Chitty, Seth H. Chitty and Emaline Chitty to be equally divided among them.
- 6th If either one of the three children, viz. William L. Chitty, Seth H. Chitty and Emaline Chitty should die during my wife's life, I give the property equally to the other two, if two should die, to the remaining one. I also request that William L. Chitty, shall take care of my wife, Martha Chitty with this property, the remainder of her days.

I also leave George E Beaton, of the County of Southampton, State of Virginia, to be the executor of this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this 9th day of May 1863.

Witness

Thomas Chitty (Seal)

James R Joyner
J. E. P. Turner

At a Court held for the County of Southampton on the 19th day of December 1864
This last will and testament of Thomas Chitty dec^d was proved by the oaths of James R Joyner and J. E. P. Turner the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of George E Beaton the Executor therein named who made oath and together with John W Harrison and Harrison Pope his securities (who justified on oath as to their sufficiency) entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of six thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs, certificate is granted him for obtaining a probat of the said will in due form.

Teste

P. R. Edwards Clk

I John P Smith of the County of Southampton in the State of Virginia do constitute and appoint this writing to be my last will and testament in manner and form following.

- 1st I give to my Cousin Isaac Pipkin the plantation with its appurtenances whereon I now live together with the crops & provisions on hand all the stock of hogs, cattle sheep horses farming utensils, household & kitchen furniture and personal property of every kind except my negroes, charged however with the condition that my debts are to be paid out of the same and further that Lady Harrel is to be boarded clothed & lodged in the dwelling house in the same manner she has lived therein during the lifetime of my mother so long as she may live.

- 2^d I give one half in value of my negroes to such of the children of James Pipkin dec^d.