

apportioning the amount in the hands of the administrator amongst the creditors of the said estate, were returned and filed for exceptions. And at a Court held for the said County on the 16th day of July 1866, the said accounts having lain one month and upwards in the Clerk's Office and no exceptions being filed, they were examined, confirmed and ordered to be recorded.

Testo

J. R. Edwards

In the name of God. Amen: I Jane Beale of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do therefore, make, ordain, publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament: that is to say, first, after all my lawful debts are paid and discharged, the residue of my estate, of every description, I give, bequeath and dispose of, as follows, to wit.

Item 1. To my son William L. Williams, the bed and furniture commonly called his bed, and the one upon which he lies.

Item 2. I give to my grand-daughter, Anna E. Moore, my bureau and large looking glass.

Item 3. I give, bequeath and devise, all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, to my daughter, Martha E. Moore during her life, and then to her children forever. Likewise I make, constitute and appoint Mr. Orris Moore to be executor of this my last Will and Testament, without giving security in Court as the law requires, hereby revoking all former wills by me made. In Witness whereof, I have herunto subscribed my name, and affixed my seal, this second day of April, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty nine.

Jane Beale (Seal)

The above written instrument was subscribed by the said Jane Beale in our presence, and acknowledged by her to each of us; and she at the same time published and declared the above instrument to be her last Will and Testament; and we at the testator's request, and in her presence, have signed our names as witnesses hereto.

B. F. Story

Elliott L. Story.

At a Court held for the County of Southampton on the 16th day of July 1866
This last Will and Testament of Jane Beale dec^d was proved by the oath of Elliott L. Story one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and B. F. Story the other subscribing witness thereto being dead, the said Elliott L. Story being sworn deposes and saith that the said B. F. Story subscribed his name as a witness to the said will in his presence and in the presence of the testator. Whereupon it is ordered that the said will be recorded and at the request of the testator. Whereupon it is ordered that the said will be recorded and on the motion of Orris Moore the Executor therein named who made oath and entered into bond (but without security the will directing that none should be required) in the penalty of five hundred dollars conditioned according to law - which bond having