

of the said balance of my Estate.

Item 6th: In case my said William H. Velvin is still living, or known to be living by any of my family one year after my decease, I give and bequeath the remaining fourth part of my Estate to him and his heirs, but in the event nothing is heard of his being alive, before, or at that time, and my two daughters Margaret J. and Nancy A. Velvin should then be living, I give and bequeath the same as follows, my said three grand children one third part, to Nancy A. Velvin, one third part, and to my said three grand children one third part: but in case either of my said daughters Margaret J. or Nancy A. Velvin should die without any lawfully begotten child or body, I then give one half of the legacy intended for my said son William H. Velvin, to the surviving one of my said two daughters and her heirs, and the other half to my said three grand children and their heirs, or to such of them as may then be living, and in case both of my said daughters should die before the time specified, that is one year after my decease, leaving no lawfully begotten heir, or heirs of their bodies, I give and bequeath the same to my said grand children and their heirs.

Item 7th: And lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint my friend Elliott C. Ferguson Executor of this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and annulling all other or former Wills or Testaments by me here to fore made. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal the 30th day of January in the year of my Lord Eighteen hundred and Sixty Six.

Signed Sealed and acknowledged to be the last Will and Testament of the Testatrix, in presence of us.

Nancy J. Velvin, (Seal)
Wife

Elliott C. Ferguson,
Margaret J. Ferguson,

At a Meeting Term of the County Court of Southampton County, held at the Court house thereof, on Monday the 21st day of September A. D. 1868. This last Will and Testament of Nancy Velvin did was proved by the Oaths of Elliott C. Ferguson and Margaret J. Ferguson the subscribing witnesses supra and ordered to be recorded. Elliott C. Ferguson the Executor therein named, made Oath according to law, & together with Samuel Ferguson and Albert S. Bryant, his Seniors, who justified on Oath as to their Sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Five Hundred Dollars, Conditioned according to law, which bond having a Stamp of the Internal Revenue of the United States affixed thereto & duly cancelled, is ordered to be recorded. Certificate is granted the said Elliott C. Ferguson, for obtaining a probate of the said Will in due form. It being declared on Oath that the Estate real & personal of the said Nancy Velvin does not exceed in Value the Sum of \$1000.

Jesse

S. R. Edwards, Ck

In the name of God amen. I Nancy Mitchell of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia, being weak in body but sound in Mind and Memory do make and Ordain this to be my last Will & Testament, revoking all other Wills made by me previous to this date. 1st: I desire all my Just debts to be paid by my Executor & burial expences. 2^d: I leave to Eliya A. Drury, the wife of Gilbert Drury, my plantation, and all my Lands attached to my former Residence, during the said Eliya A. Drury