

Emm. Reed.
1861

In the name of God amen I Edwin Rice of the County of Buckingham and State of Virginia King of Henry
 County this third day of November 1833 do make and extend this to be my last will and testament in manner &
 form following. I am I mean to my wife Rebecca Rice among her natural life & extended all the land I have
 any property of at my death by the said the following property all the same I own property with two born children Ed-
 & Emily the eldest of the said and four sons George Alfred her choice but she must bear & share my two last years &
 I lived so much as she may think necessary without charging them and I am I give and bequeath unto
 my wife so much of the crop and so much produce as may be necessary for one year's support. I am I leave
 unto my wife as named in this first I am also my born sons & children in nature my little child who
 perfect perfect perfect perfect perfect and as many of the following to be as named perfect & the order
 the balance of the money arising from the sale of property not named I give and bequeath unto my
 daughters namely Olive Fanny Elizabeth Susan Rebecca and Mary to be equally divided between them
 and their heirs forever. I am after the death of my wife I leave unto my four born sons and I am I leave the
 each of land named in the first item and if either of them should die before of lawful age the same may be
 shall have the same right as was awarded in them and if both should die before of lawful age the said land
 to be equally divided between my surviving children be either born or never. I am after the death of my
 wife all the personal estate that may be owing to be to be sold and a reasonable credit and the money arising
 from such sale to be divided in the following manner I give and bequeath to have one hundred and fifty and
 Henry Rice to have one hundred as above more than the other named Oliver Fanny Elizabeth Susan Rebecca
 which will be equal to my Virginia say I leave the above named to have one hundred and fifty and the other
 to have one hundred and fifty and the other named to have one hundred and fifty and the other named to have
 my last will & testament as I have my hand & seal the day and date above written
 Signed Sealed & Published in presence of
 Samuel Ireland

Edmund Rice Seal

Henry Jackson as a bond held for the security of Southampton on the 17th October 1825. This bond was given
then there to an attorney, Rebecca Rice the Executrix therein named joined by the oath of Place. Then
one of the attesting bonds & continued. And as to the bond held for the above security of Southampton on the
21st November 1825. This bond was further joined by the oath of Jane Blunt another attesting bond in a
Order to be recorded and on the motion of said Executrix she made oath according to Law & took in
granted her for attorney probat thereof and due form in her giving bond & security above upon the bond
Rebecca together with Edward Rice and John Rice her Executors entered into & acknowledged their
bond in the sum of five thousand dollars. Considered as the law directs

Geo. S. Nichols &

Charles Taylor
Wm. L.

In the name of God amen I Charles Taylor of Southampton County, and 18th of Virginia do make this instrument my last will & testament in manner and form as follows My last will is that all my just debts to be truly paid I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Martha Taylor the whole of my estate both real & personal to her & her heirs forever I do constitute and appoint my self, Martha Taylor my Executor to this my last will & testament in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 17th day of May, 1821
 W^{ch} James Wilson
 Chas^r Taylor Exec^r
 Rich^d Williams

Charles Taylor Esq.

A Court held for the County of Southampton on the 21st Novem^r 1755. This will is approved in Court proved by the oath of James Tammam of the Bishopric of Ex^r Geo. Popham Esq^r referred to the Court sitting of Richard Williams the other Act of Inlet England to be executed and in the motions of a Petitioner (Martha Taylor the Executrix) shown named referring to qualify their issue as granted him for his obtaining Certificate of the probat thereof in due form in his giving bond of security whereupon the said Petitioner Marston with Geo. Popham Esq^r Joseph Pope his executor entered into & took a bond in the penalty of five thousand dollars and secured in the law courts.

John James Rockwell, Esq.