

At Rockbridge County Court July 6th 1818

A writing purporting to be the last will & testament of Lewis Ornbom dec^d was produced in Court proved by the oaths of John Barnett, John McElung & Joseph McElung subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of Geo Ornbom the Executor & George Ornbom the Executor therein named, who made oath according to law and together with John McElung, Joseph McElung and John Barnett their securities entered into and acknowledged bond in the penalty of twenty thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs, certificate is granted them for obtaining probate thereof in due form of law at Copy Test.

James Scott
will

In the Name of God - amen

I James Scott of Fairfield in Rockbridge County Virginia being weak of body but of sound mind and memory do make this my last will and testament, first I will bequeath to my wife Mary Scott my plantation situate in Fairfield viz^t one house and lot now in the possession of my Father & one hundred acres of land now in my possession on the south side of Fairfield adjoining the lands of James M^r Lowell & Capt. James Belton and all appurtenances thereunto belonging as recorded in the County Court of Rockbridge. I also bequeath to my wife Mary Scott my House & Household Furniture and all other of my effects as Witness my hand and seal this twenty fifth day of April one Thousand Eight hundred and Eighteen

James Scott Esq

David Taylor
William Lux
Isaac Gray
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At Rockbridge County Court July 6th 1818

The last will and testament of James Scott Dec^d was produced in Court proved by the oaths of David Taylor, William Kuyf and Isaac Grey the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded - And there being no executor named in said will on the motion of Mary Scott widow & executrix of the said James Scott James Mc Dowall & Joseph Mc Fleming who made oath according to law before of administration with the will annexed annexed are granted them in due form. they having together with David Taylor & John Mc Fleming their securities entered into and acknowledged bond in the penalty of one thousand dollars conditioned according to Law.

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I Nathaniel Willson of the County of Rockbridge, and State of Virginia calling to mind the mortality of my body, and being desirous to dispose of such worldly goods things as it hath pleased God to bless me with, thus my last will and Testament in manner and form following do make

First I will that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid

2^{dy} after my just debts, and funeral expenses are paid, I will, and bequeath to my well beloved Wife Eleanor, the one third of my lands during her Natural life, also one horse, and two cows her choice of my stock one feather Bed, and furniture, her sabbath, Bibles, and all her own clothes, also the one third of the cupboard, and Kitchen furniture, the personal property to be at her own disposal

3^{dy} I will, and bequeath to my four youngest children vizt. James, Eleanor, Rebecca, and William all my real, and personal Estate except as above bequeathed to their Mother) also her share of my Land at her death, all which property real, and personal, I will to them in equal portions

I make and ordain David Rea and my son David Gatter
 Executor of this my last will and testament. Ratifying and
 confirming this and no other to be my last will and testamen
 In Witness whereof I have unto said my hand & seal this
 8th day of June 1818

David Gatter (Seal)

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 Nicholas & Jones
 Moses Miller Sen.
 Moses Miller Jun.

At Rockbridge County Court August 31st 1818

The last will & testament of David Gatter
 deceased produced in Court proved by the oaths of Nicholas
 Jones, Moses Miller Sen. and Moses Miller, the subscribers
 witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded - David Rea
 one of the executors named in said will personally ap
 -peared in said Court and advised to take upon himself
 the burden of the execution thereof

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(Rockbridge County July 28th 1818)

James Scott
 Inventory

An Inventory of the Estate of James Scott deceased made
 by the subscribers in conformity to an order of Court of said
 County

One cherry-tree Cupboard with glass doors	\$	20	-	\$	20
One poplar Cupboard		4			
One desk and book Case		25	-		
One bonnet Case		5	50		
One tea pot, Sugar bowl and Creamer		4	00		
Two Sets of Liverpool China		2	00	60	50
Two Sets of Liverpool China		1	50		
One Sugar bowl and stand two saltcellars & two pickles plates		6	00		
One dozen plates		1	25		
One set of blue edged plates			50		
Some broken dishes		1	00		
Four plates 33 cts, one salt cups and saucers 25 cts			58		
One Tea Caster of Tin 25 cts, two bowls 12 cts			37		
Eight Tin bowls			83	12	03
One Ladle & Sugar tongs 75 cts One Caster \$2		2	75		
One Tea board \$2 One small Looking glass \$1.50		3	50		
One walnut Table \$3		3	00		

1 Small Table of Walnut	1	50	
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one Candlestand of Walnut		75	13 00
one small trunk \$1.00 one Lanthorn 5 cents	2	00	
Six chains \$6. three split bottom chairs \$1.50/100	~	50	
one chair 5 cents. one small trunk \$2	2	50	
one large square trunk \$4. one other trunk \$3	7	00	
one other large square trunk	4	00	
Sundry old Clov bands.	1	00	
Three Beds & Furniture	150	00	174 00
Sicks Craps &c	65	50	
Artands \$10 - Seven Sicks Bonnets \$21	81	00	
one riding horse	100	00	
Kitchen and Spring house furniture	20	00	272 50
Sundry pieces of Sicks	21	00	
one cow	20	00	
Two Shoats	3	00	
Two Washing tubs	2	00	
Three Smoothing Irons	2	25	
First volume of Scotts Family Bible \$4 one family Bible \$5	9	00	
one small bible \$1.25 one school bible 25 cents	1	50	58 75
Constitution of the Associate reformed Church	2	00	
Six books \$4. Sunday books \$4.00	10	12 1/2	
5 Volumes Domestic Encyclopedia	12	00	
Six Pamphlets 75 cents one wardrobe and trundle \$15	15	75	39 87 1/2
one Bell metal Kettle	Amount \$	630	65 1/2
Four Jugs	4	00	4
	1	00	1
			635 65 1/2

Saml. Paxton
 Saml. Moore
 Benjⁿ S. McHenry

At Rockbridge County Court August 31st 1818
 in presence and appearance of the estate of
 James Scott dec^d being returned in order to be recorded
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James Matheny
to the estate of
James

Know all men by these presents that we James Matheny Alexander
all Corkle, Samuel all Corkle, Thomas Whitman & William Tolley are all
and firmly bound unto John Tyler Governor of the Commonwealth of
Virginia, and his successors in Office for the use of the said Common-
wealth in the sum of Twenty five hundred dollars to which pay ment
well and truly to be made to the said Governor, we bind ourselves, our heirs
Executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these
presents. Witness our hands and seals this sixth day of March in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the
above bound James Matheny hath been duly appointed a Constable
for the County of Rockbridge by the Court of said County on the
present day of March 1826. Now therefore if the said James Matheny
shall well and truly discharge the duties of the Office of Constable of
the said County of Rockbridge according to Law, then the above
obligation is to void else to remain in full force

Sealed and signed
acknowledged in presence of

James Matheny Seal
Alexander M Corkle Seal
Samuel M Corkle Seal
Thos Whitman Seal
Wm Tolley Seal

At Rockbridge County Court March 6th 1826

This bond was executed in open Court and ordered to be recorded

James Scott dec:
Settlement of
Administrators
Accounts

D^r Mary Eliza James M Bowell & Joseph M Elung Adms^r of James Scott and
with the will annexed

To Amount of appraisement as returned to the Court of Rockbridge by James Scott Administrators as appears by the Inventory dated 28 th July 1818			
Balance due J. Scott's Estate		\$	635 65 1/2
		\$	200 80 1/2
		\$	434 85
1818	By amt p ^d by J. Elung for recording Inventory &c	N ^o 1	5 07
	• Paid for Coffin to Mr Brown	"	5 00
	• Paid Dr M Elung for Medical services	"	7 00
May 23	• Paid Brown & Smith as per receipt	N ^o 2	16 00
June 25	• Paid James Brown as per receipt	"	2 63 1/2
Sept 25	• Paid James West as per receipt	N ^o 3	11 11
May 26	• Paid to Samuel & James Quenton & M Elung and D Eliza for subscription to Meeting house	N ^o 4	50 00
		\$	310 00

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We John Reid and Mary Reid (alias) Mary Scott swear
that we have paid the above accounts for which there are no
vouchers at the date corresponding thereto and that they are
correct and just

John Reid

Mary Reid

I James M Dowell a Justice of the peace do certify that
Mary & John Reid were qualified to the above foregoing a/c
before me

James M Dowell

We do certify that after examining all the vouchers and accounts
exhibited to us by Mary Reid (alias Mary Scott) James M Dowell
and Joseph M Clung Administrators of the estate of James Scott Decd
that they stood indebted to the said Estate Fifty hundred and
thirty four Dollars and Eighty five cents.

Given under our hands this 7th day of March 1826—

James Lockridge
Abraham Wayland

These Personal Witnesses— That James M Dowell and Joseph M Clung
together with Mary Scott now Mary Reid were appointed
by order of the Archibridge County Court to act as Adminis-
trators with the will annexed of the last will and Testament
of James Scott Decd— That the said Jas M Dowell & Joseph
M Clung although they qualified under their appointment
had no agency in the execution of its duties, the same
having been separately & exclusively performed by the s^r
Mary Scott or Mary Reid— Now these are given to certify
and witness that we hold the said Jas M Dowell & Joseph
M Clung wholly and absolutely exonerated & irresponsible
for any & every thing connected with the afores^d Administration—

In testimony whereof we, John Reid Husband of
Mary & Mary Reid have set our hands & seals this 8th day of
March 1826.

John Reid

Mary Reid

At Archibridge County Court March 8th 1826—

This settlement of the accounts of John Reid & Mary
his wife late Mary Scott Administrators of James Scott Decd
being returned is approved by the Court and together with a
Certificate of said Reid & wife thereto annexed was acknowledged
by them in Court is ordered to be recorded.

Teste
Saml M Harris D.C.