

In the name of God Amen I Thomas Rawlings of Winery County and
 commonwealth of Virginia do hereby declare being in the twentieth year of my age
 of sound mind in () meaning to make this my will in the usual and
 glorious Manner I direct that my body be decently interred in a place
 (to be named in the funeral) (to be named) Secondly that my just debts be paid and
 other expenses be paid out of any money or property that I may die
 possessed of as soon as the nature of the case will admit Thirdly
 that the Slaves belonging to any estate shall be appraised and
 that my Children shall purchase them at their appraised
 value in the following manner viz Each Slave shall receive
 ten () for his Owner from amongst my Children and the owner
 this () shall be bound to account for the value of each slave
 as required by Law but no man shall have the privilege of clearing
 more than one of such slaves at a time or a part by the virtual
 consent of all the heirs and further no heir shall have the privilege
 of calling any slave that they may thus possess without the consent
 of the said slave All my slaves with their families I give unto
 my Children as above described unto them and their heirs & ye & heirs
 and assigns the same forever You that the remainder of my estate real
 and personal shall be appraised and sold at public vendue the
 proceeds in the ordinary manner the said estate in lots or parcels
 as shall be directed by laws in any profession in a series of one two three
 or four years in equal annual instalments and when prepared
 according to law for division that my Children viz Elizabeth Rawlings
 Ann Elizabeth Minn William S Rawlings, Rectora Rawlings now Barbara
 Benson Malinda Rawlings now Malinda Clayport James Rawlings, Justice
 Rawlings Sarah P Rawlings now Sarah W. Roberts John E Rawlings
 Patsy Ann Rawlings Ann Patsy Ann McRoberts Sanford Rawlings
 Emily Rawlings Nancy Rawlings now Nancy Evans Henry S Rawlings
 Rebecca Rawlings and Amanda Rawlings fifteen in number
 shall have an equal portion of my estate real and personal
 or mixed share and share alike in fee simple that should any of
 my Children above named die Minors intestate or without
 issue the portion allotted them shall be divided as being of
 my estate to any surviving heir share and share alike
 Sixtiethly that my Children Henry Rebecca and Amanda
 (Minors) shall for to any Division have set off to them
 the following property or its equivalent in money viz my
 Pen Henry & horse saddle & bridle my daughter Rebecca
 and Amanda each one bed and bedding also one barrack
 which property being by me set apart to make them
 equal unto my other Children who are of age that
 should receive similar gifts from me the same shall

not be executed in this division but as a separate Legacy - Seventh and lastly
 I nominate Constable and appoint my son Andrew Douglas and my
 son Austin Rawlings Executors of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking
 all former wills by me made & confirming this alone to be my last will and
 which I read & publish & declare this 16th day of Octo in the Year of our
 Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty seven

signed said & ack in the presence of us
 and witnessed by the Legist of the State

Mr Rawlings Dr Seal

Samuel C Peared
 Dr Estate

Mr Saunders

At a Court held for Spring County on the 28th day of October 1839

This Writing purporting to be the last will and Testament of Thos.
 Rawlings Esq^r Dec^d was produced in Court examined and
 proved by the Oaths of Samuel C Peared & subscribing Witness
 thereto as to self and also as to the attestation of Dr E Estell
 and William Saunders the other subscribing Witnesses thereto and
 ordered to be recorded which is done

Attest Geo M Stockton

Callahan John
 my & aptt

An Inventory and Appraisalment of the personal property of
 John Callahan Deced^t

1 note of hand on A M Norton for	\$125.00
2 Do " " H S W Bishoff	250.00
3 Do " " Edward Callahan	200.00
1 Do " " Wm S Price	38.00
2 Do " " Michael Jones	100.00
1 Do " " James Tomble	40.00
2 Do " " Wm Wm M Blair	39.00 1/4
1 Do " " Samuel Groves	4.20
1 Do " " J B Porter	25.00
1 Do " " A D Patton	100.00
1 Do " " Geo G Peared	1000.00
Cash on hand	90.00
One Black Col. Slave	500.00
1 Iron An Clock	25.00
1 Corner Cupboard	10.00
1 Desk of Drawers	8.00
1 Large Chest	1.00
1 Chest of 4 Drawers	3.00
3 Folding Leaf Tables	8.00
1 Candle Stand	1.00
Cupboard Wm	10.00