

David L Cook
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Exhibit A

I David L. Cooke of the County of Scott
and State of Virginia considering the un-
certainty of mortal life and being of
sound mind and sane memory do make
and publish this my last will and testament
in manner & form that is to say,

First - after all my just debts & funeral
expenses are paid. I give and bequeath
unto my beloved wife Rebecca all my
household and kitchen furniture also
my two blacks to wit Sally and Hampton
all my cattle, sheep, Hogs, horses, money
notes accounts and poultry, with the exception
of one good horse, I give to my daughter
Rebecca when called for by her or order.
also my lands and possessions & premises
during her natural life, and widowhood
and at her death the land property, money
and every thing if any to be divided
among my children in the manner &
form following to wit: I will to my
son Nelson my mill for staying with
me and my wife and taken care of us
except by him paying to my daughter
Rebecca fifty dollars. I will to my daugh-
ter Rebecca one hundred dollars for
staying with me and my wife except first
I will to my son James that he shall

have an equal part of my estate. ~~WR~~
I will that ^{that} my ^{grand daughter Mary Boatright} ~~son~~ James shall have
~~an equal part of my estate.~~ 2.
I will that my grand Daughter Mary
Boatright shall have an equal part
in my estate by said Mary Boatright
paying to my Daughter Rebecca fifty
dollars for her services as nurse to her
mother and Father. 3rd I will that my
son Wm. shall have an equal
part of my estate. 4. I will that my
grand daughter Susanah young
shall have one third of an heirs part
in my estate that is to say for her
to have equal with my three grand
children the heirs of my daughter
Elizabeth by said Susanna paying
or deducting \$65.00 - 5. I will that
my daughter Rebecca shall have an
equal part of my estate, 6th. I
will that my ^{daughter Phoebe} ~~son~~ shall
have an equal part in my estate
7 I will that my son Robert shall
have an equal part in my estate
8th. I will that the three heirs of my
daughter Elizabeth Gray to wit;
James, William & Sarah shall have
one heirs part in my estate equally

divided between them three. 9 I
will that my ^{son Hiram shall have an equal} grand ~~daughter~~ ~~son~~
J. Osborn shall have ~~an equal~~
part in my estate. 10 I will that in
my estate 10" I will that my grand
daughter ~~Sarah~~ J. Osborn shall have
an equal part in my estate,
11" I will that my son Nelson shall
have an equal part in my estate.
12 I will that my two sons Robt.
& Nelson shall be my executors,
In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this 16th day
November, 1861

David L. Cooke (seal)

The within and above instrument was
now true subscribed by David L. Cooke
the testator in the presence of each
of us and was at the same time
declared by him to his last will &
testament & we at his request signed
our names hereto as attesting witnesses.

Mrs. C. Bickley

John R. Carter

John W. Law

Francis K. Elliott

By the request of David L. Cooke we

who is dead, ~~Emiel P. Cocks~~ who died
leaving as his children and heirs, Luemina
who married Willis who is dead, Almira Cocks,
Martha who married one Lloyd Kidd,
James B. Cocks, Robert Cocks, William Cocks
Victoria Cocks, the last of whom is an infant
and sued by Edith L. M. Cocks her mother
and next friend and his widow the said Edith
L. M. Cocks. The said William N. Cocks and
Anny R. Mitchell qualified as administrators
of the said ~~James B. Cocks~~ deceased who

+ A son James B. Cocks who died leaving the
following heirs, to wit; ^{Rebecca} ~~Edith L. M. Cocks~~, his
widow, Wm. N. Cocks, D. J. Cocks, James N. Cocks
Phoebe Carter wife of John P. Carter, Nancy Mitchell
the wife of Anny R. Mitchell who died leaving
three children, William, Rebecca and Arminda
Luemina Willis who married Willis
who is dead, ~~Emiel P. Cocks~~ who died
leaving as his children and heirs, Luemina
who married ~~Willis~~

and now we are leaving several
unknown heirs:

- + a daughter Phebe who married one Hamilton
Greer:
- + a daughter Rebecca who married one H. W. Carter
who died and the said Rebecca left this
County and went to the state of Texas

- + a daughter Malinda who married one Isaac
Osborn by whom she had one child,
a daughter, named Jane who married
one Shadrach Combs and now lives
in the state of Texas. After the birth
of the said Jane said Malinda died:
- + a daughter Nancy who married one William
Copus. They left this County many years
ago and went to the state of Kentucky
and both died there leaving several
unknown heirs:

Boatright, Parilla who inter-
married with one Wm. Ramey, and
Mary who married one Robert Neil
+ a daughter, Elizabeth who married one Matthias
Gray who moved from this County to the
State of Kentucky many years ago
and are now both dead leaving several
unknown heirs

+ a daughter Malinda who married one Isaac
Osborn by whom she had one child,

and David L. Coker died on the day of
186 - leaving the following children and
heirs, to wit; -

A son, Nelson who died childless:

A son Robert K. Coker:

+ A son William Coker:

+ a son Abram Coker:

+ a daughter, Polly who inter married with one
Valentin Boatright who are both
dead leaving as their heirs, James D.
