

I Thomas Gray of Bristol, in the county of Bristol and State of Rhode Island, Yeoman, being weak in body, but of sound mind and memory, blessed be God for the same, do make and publish this as my last will and testament, in form following that is to say -

First. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Abigail Gray, all my household furniture and indoor moveables of what kind or nature soever; also my negro woman Hannah, and negro boy Richard, together with my riding Mare, womans saddle, on Cow, such as she may choose from among my cows at the time of my decease; also I will and order that my Son- Pardon Gray, furnish and provide for the aforesaid Abigail, his mother, Yearly and every year so long as she remains my widow, two hundred weight of good beef, and two hundred weight of pork, fifteen bushels of merchantable indian corn, thirty weight of flax, and twenty weight of wool, and to pay or cause to be paid her twenty dollars yearly, so long as she remains my widow, also I will and order that my aforesaid son Pardon, cut and draw to the door as much firewood as may be necessary for her use: also my Will is and I hereby order that my wife Abigail, have a privilege in the orchard for as much fruit summer & winter, as she may need for her own consumption; and to be furnished with three barrels of cider yearly, provided the orchard affords so much: also my Will is that my aforesaid wife have the use and improvement of all the new part of my now dwelling house situate in the Township of Bristol, with the garden to the Northward of the house, to go there with the privilege of keeping any kind of poultry in and about the houses and yard, with free privilege of passage to and from any part of my farm wherever she may have an occasion: also my Will or further is that my Son Pardon, furnish keeping summer & winter for the horse and cow aforesaid so Long as she remains my widow: all which I give unto my wife Abigail in lieu of her dower or right of thirds (provided she accepts of the same) and not otherwise. -

Having of late given to my Son John Gray, such parts and parcels of my real Estate lying in Bristol and else where by Deed, to enable him to distribute the same amongst his wife and children in such way and manner as he that best by Will, which distribution he has since made and is now dead. I shall therefore make no other provision for my grand children, the children of my son John aforesigned than to give to the sons and daughters of the sd John, that may survive me, One dollar cash; which I hereby order my Executor hereafter named to pay to them immediately after my decease. -

Item. I give and devise unto my Son Pardon Gray, all my lands and buildings thereon standing lying and being in the township of Bristol, which I have not heretofore disposed of (saving and excepting out of the same such uses and privileges as I have heretofore assigned and set out to my aforesigned wife Abigail,) to him his heirs and assigns forever. -

Item. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Meribah Munro, one hundred and twenty dollars, to be paid to her in one year after my decease, by my Executor herein after namd. -

Item. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Ruth Waldron, One hundred and thirty dollars, to be paid her by my Executor in one year after my decease. -

Item. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Abigail Peck, one hundred and twenty dollars, to be paid her by my Executor in one year after my decease. -

Lastly. As to the remainder and residue of my Estate that I have not heretofore disposed of, be it of what kind or nature soever I give and bequeath the same to my son Pardon Gray to further enable him to perform the duties enjoined upon him by this my Will; whom I hereby appoint whole and sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and disannulling all former Wills by me made. -

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand Seal the Seventh day of November, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Three. -

Signed, Sealed published and Declared }
by the aforesaid Thomas Gray, to be his }
last Will and Testament in the }
presence of us who have subscribed our }
names as Witnesses, in his presence } Thomas Gray
and in the presence of each other. - }

John Cook
Sarah Almy
Thomas Durfee