

Mary Forrest

(- 28 Sep 1842)

Forrest. Yesterday morning, the 28th instant, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Bulley, near the Navy Yard, Mrs. Mary Forrest, aged 83 years, a native of Ireland, but a resident of this city for forty-two years.

This lady, beloved and respected by all who knew her, has departed to meet kindred spirits in heaven. Ever will she be remembered by her descendants to the third generation, who have years since learned to lisp the name of their "good grandmama." With Christian fortitude, and in the consciousness of having spent an upright life, she resigned herself to that fate from which none can escape.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully requested to attend her funeral this day, (Thursday,) at 3 o'clock.

Will of Mary Forrest, of Washington Co., D.C. (dtd. June 30, 1842, probated Oct. 5, 1842; Book 5, pp. 267-268; O.S. 2362; Box 15)

To grandson, Alexander Forrest, child of my son Andrew Forrest, shares of stock in Franklin Fire Insurance Co. in Washington City, for which I now receive dividends in virtue of such right as my deceased husband Alexander Forrest held; to him personal property: one large bureau, one dozen silver tablespoons, one dozen silver dessert spoons, and other silver, gold-headed snuff box, 8-day clock, five rural framed pictures, large family Bible, bookcase.

To Alexander Forrest Bulley, child of Eleanor C. Bulley, one bureau, one bed, one bedstead.

To Eleanor C. Bulley, my daughter, one large looking glass, one set of china, and glassware.

Exr.: Alexander Forrest, grandson

Wits.: James Marshall; Thomas Thomley