

George Oyster

(- 26 Nov 1847)

Oyster. Near this city on the 26th instant in the 59th year of his age, George Oyster, a native of Pennsylvania but for the last 16 years a resident of the District of Columbia. His friends and acquaintances are invited to attend his funeral this (Tuesday) afternoon at 1 o'clock from his late residence, without further notice.

Oyster, George, of Co. of Washington, D.C. (dtd. Oct. 1, 1846, probated Dec. 31, 1847 Will Book 6, O.S. 2806).

To son George Michael Oyster, my farm "Trinidad" adjoining Boundary St. in City of Washington, containing upwards of 100 acres; at his death to his child or children; else at his death to daughter Jane Amanda Oyster; to son all horses and cattle, farming stock, implements and utensils; two brass clocks; wearing apparel (which it is my desire shall not be sold, but kept by my said son in remembrance of his father); household furniture not bequeathed to daughter; 40' of ground fronting Prospect St. in Georgetown, east and 40' distant from ground conveyed by me to my son David William Oyster; son George M. Oyster at his own cost to purchase and give to his sister Jane Amanda a good piano forte to cost not less than \$300.

To son John Houck Oyster, lot fronting on 2nd St. in Georgetown, with two houses thereon and appurtenances; also 40' fronting on Prospect Street, bounded on west by that of son David.

To son David William Oyster, lot fronting on Jefferson St. in Georgetown, with a brick house thereon; at his death to his daughter Louisa Oyster in fee simple.

To daughter Jane Amanda Oyster, lot in Square A fronting on Pennsylvania Ave., with 4-story brick house thereon; all wearing apparel of her late mother, her worked sampler and all her framed pictures; furniture as listed; lot in Georgetown fronting 56' on High St. and 130' on Prospect St.

Remainder of estate to be divided among said children

Exr.: George M. Oyster, son; Thomas [Parker], friend

Wits.: Robert Y. Brent; Leonard Harbaugh; George [Sweeny]