

In the last Will and Testament of George Pollard deceased, which bears date the twenty fourth day of August in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty three, and which was proved on the thirteenth day of December in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty four, among other expressions is the following, viz.

"I also give and bequeath unto the said Edward C. Cooper"  
"my negro girl named Charlotte, being about the"  
"age of sixteen years, to serve him, his executors, adminis-"  
"trators and assigns until she shall arrive to the"  
"age of twenty five years and then to be free"

And in another or subsequent part of the said Will is the following expression, viz.

"I give and bequeath unto the said Leonard Kernan"  
"the issue, if any, of my negro girl Charlotte (herein"  
"before bequeathed to Edward C. Cooper) which may be"  
"born during her servitude to serve him the said Leonard"  
"Kernan his executors, administrators and assigns until"  
"they shall arrive to the age of twenty five years respectively"  
"then to be free, and the issue of such issue for ever, if any"  
"born in slavery to be free respectively at the age of twenty"  
"one years"

And in another or subsequent part of the said

Will is the following expression, viz.

"I will and direct that my negro man George Moore"  
"shall continue in the service of the firm of Pollard and"  
"Taylor until all the wood and timber on the tract of land"  
"called Dundee be cut down and sold and then to be"

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