

my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I
 have hereunto set my hand and seal this the Twenty
 third day of May One thousand seven hundred and eighty
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 James Logan Esq

Test Witnesses present
 Alexander Gaston
 William Mason
 Harry F. Gaston
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At a Court held for Lincoln County the 15th day of July 1788
 This Will was proved by the Oaths of Alexander Gaston and
 William Mason Witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded
 And on the motion of Matthew Logan and Benjamin
 Logan the Executors therein named extra munda with and
 executed and acknowledged bond as the Law directs a bond
 is granted them for obtaining a probate thereof in due form

Teste William Green Esq

Chapman
 (Wife)
 In the name of God Amen July the 26th day 1788 I Edward
 Chapman in my proper sense and reason at this time that this is my last Will
 and Testament as all men is appointed to die if it is his Will to take from
 him time to eternity I hope the Lord will receive my Soul and take
 it to himself that is my wife and desire that my Debt to be paid
 first, and then my Son Edward and William is to divide the Land
 that I now live on equally between them and my Son Lewis is to have as
 much of the other property as would be valued to half the value of the
 Land, and my Daughter Sally is to have one cow, to be worth
 15 pound and one feather Bed and furniture and three head of Cattle

and a negroes part of the fute and other small things that her mother
 was wont to let her have, and the Rest of the property of my left to divide it
 equally with the hole free children and my Wife to keep it all in her purchase
 while she continues a Widow as long as she lives, as this is my last Will
 and Testament as heartily set my hand and seal

Witnessed by
 Isaac Stone
 Benjamin Salt
 Joshua Stone
 Daniel Chapman
 Edward Chapman his hand
 and seal

At a Court held for Lincoln County the 16th day of September 1788
 This Will was proved by the Oaths of Isaac Stone and Daniel
 Chapman Witnesses thereto, and ordered to be Recorded And on the motion
 of Sarah Chapman who made Oath and executed and acknowledged
 bond as the Law directs a bond is granted her for obtaining letters of
 Administration with the Will annexed

Teste William Green Esq

Wife
 (Wife)
 In the Name of God Amen I Edward Ball of
 Lincoln County and Colony of Virginia being in a low state
 of Health but in a perfect Memory thanks be to God for it, call-
 ing to mind the Mortality of my body and knowing that it
 is appointed for all men once to die, do make and ordain
 this my last will & Testament that is for to say Principally
 and first of all I give & Recommend my soul into the hands