

The Court held for Allegheny County the fourteenth day of March
MDCCCLV, This last with Last Testaments of James Ireland
decd was presented in Court by the Exors therein named and
proved by the Oaths of David Rennada John Strange and
William Horsey three of the Witnesses thereto and ordered to be
Recorded and on the motion of the said Executors who made
Oath according to Law Certificate for obtaining a probat
thereof in due form was granted them giving Security
whereupon the said Executors with John Hunter & Paul
Philis their Securities entered into and Acknowledged their
Bond for the due and faithful execution of the said Will.

Test, John Nicholas Clerk

In the name of God Amen, Joshua Fry of the County of Allegheny
being in good Health and of sound memory do make & declare this
to be my last will and Testament hereby revoking all others by me
formerly made. First I Give to my Dear wife Mary Fry the Use of
my Land whereon I live purchased of Gulielmus Hudson and
also of that part of my Land in Allegheny County which lies
between the Robinson River and Crooked Run including the full
Quarter during her Life. I also Give my said wife the Use of one
third part of my Slaves during her Life. Further I Give to my
wife all my Household Goods. I Give all my Slaves to be Equally
divided Among my Children, John, Henry, William, Martha, and
Margaret Fry, the two thirds not held by my wife to be divided
when my Son Henry shall be of the Age of one and twenty years.
I mean the Slaves and their increase and the other third
part and their increase after my wifes death; but if she should
die before my Son Henry be of Age as aforesaid, my will is that
those Slaves and their increase be joined with the others and
remain undivided till my said Son Henry be of Age the profits
arising from my Lands and Slaves which are not to go to my
wife for her life I allot for the Maintenance and Education
of my Children to the saving of my Lands and the Overplus
if any to be equally divided Among my Children.
I Give to my Son John Fry & his heirs for ever, my Land purchased
of Gulielmus Hudson, but not to have the use of it till the death of
his mother. I also Give him and his heirs for ever, my Land purchased
of Messrs Epps and that which I took up adjoining. I also Give
to my said Son a Tract of Land of about four hundred Acres on Tyne
River joining John Somers line as also my part of the Order of Council to me
and Mr Turpin & joining, also I Give him three small Tracts making
the whole about five hundred Acres with an Entry of four hundred joining
which last should be pretty soon surveyed as well as Town over.

Mr. Tupper's Widow and myself to give inclusive patent to my
son Henry Fry and his heirs for ever, all my Land in Hampshire
county on the Robinson and its Branch his mother possessing
that part which lies between the Robinson & formed during
her life, my son Henry has a Tract in his own name near
the head of Bollings Creek of the Flava na the patent for which is above
three years old & I have entered a petition in my own or my son John's
name I don't tell which, Peyton Randolph Esqr. & his Clerk have
the care to get it continued but if it should not be likely that the Land may
be saved at the Fall by a Tenant on half Stock let it lapse & a
fresh grant be taken, if by me I give it to my said son Henry &
his heirs if by my son John I do hereby charge & command him to
make his said brother a Title in fee simple under penalty
of forfeiting to his said brother the Land on Briony Creek
which in that case I give to my son Henry & his heirs. -----
I give to my son William my Lands on Wellies Branch & on
Glover's Road containing about eleven hundred and eighty
Acres being three tracts included and more in the Secre-
taries Office my said son has in his own name two Tracts
on Tongue Quarter and Buck and doe of willows lately
included so that there will be no haste to Seat it but must
be minded in time, I give to my Daughter Martha Fry and
her heirs for ever my mine Tract on the Meadows ~~with~~
with another joining and including in all five hun-
dred and thirty one Acres also four hundred Acres on
the Milstone Branch joining Mr. Harvies Green Spring
tract the inclusive patent for the first is not yet made out
for that on the Milstone branch I lately had a patent
including Mr. Harvies which patent I left with Peyton
Randolph Esqr. to defend Mr. Harvie against Landres &
Mr. Harvie must have a Deed if he desires it for his Green
Spring Tract against me or any claiming under me
I having no Right to the said Land though patented in
my name being done by consent to prolong the time for Sa-
ving the said Land I give to my Daughter Margaret Fry
and her heirs for ever my Tract of Land on Porridge
Creek and its branches containing two Thousand and eighteen
Acres being composed of several Tracts the inclusive patent for w^{ch}
is not yet made out, my said Daughter have in their own names
two Tracts on Stony Run to which I have added four hundred Acres

on both sides of Buffalo River purchased from John Emen and have in-
cluded the three by a certificate Lodged in the Secretaries Office to come out in
their joint names which they must divide equally between them. &
I give my friend Colo. Jefferson my Surveying instruments all my per-
sonal estate excepting what has been herein before mentioned I give to
be equally divided between my wife and children already named as
well as the Money arising from the sale of ~~the~~ Land in Brunswick
which I hereby empower my Executors to sell. Lastly I do hereby appoint
my dear wife, my friend Colo. Peter Jefferson, and my son John Fry
Executors of this my will.

Signed sealed and published

Joshua Fry, Esq.

in the presence of,

John Martin

Samuel Coats.

At a Court held for Albemarle County the eighth day of August
1766. This last will and Testament of Joshua Fry Esq. who
decd was presented by the Executors therein named & proved by
the Oaths of John Martin and Samuel Coats the Witnesses thereto
and Ordered to be recorded and on the motion of the said Executors
who made oath according to Law certificate for obtaining probate
thereof in due form was granted them giving security upon
the said Executors with John Harvie and Samuel Jordan
their Securities entered into and Acknowledged their Bond
for the due and faithful performance of the said Will.

Test. John Martin

^{in same}
^{will.}
In the name of God Amen. I Thomas M^r Daniel of the Parish
of St. Anne and County of Albemarle being formerly
weak of body but of sound Memory. Blessed be God to this
second day of Sept^r in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven
hundred hundred and fifty four, make this my last will and
Testament in manner and form following (that is to say) I
commend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that
gave it and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the
discretion of my Executors hereafter named. Item I give and be-
queath to my Daughter Lucy Lewis two hundred and fifty
pounds to be paid her when she shall arrive at the age of
seventeen years, or upon the day of Marriage ~~if she shall be~~
Item, in case my wife Elizabeth M^r Daniel should prove with
child within the space of nine Months of a male child then and
in such case I give and bequeath to the male child two hundred