

do certify this my last will and Testament of which I am
my hand and affixed my seal this 5th day of July 1782.

Testamentary

In presence of

John Landon

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James Landon

John Landon

John Landon

In the name of Amen I Theodorick
Blane in the County of Amherst in the State of Virginia
Trusting in the merits of my blessed Saviour and Redeemer
Christ Jesus for pardon of all my Sins do make and
Declare this to be my last will and Testament.
First I give and bequeath to my said wife the use of all the rest
and residue of my Estate after all my Just debts are paid
with Six hundred acres of Land part of the Tract I now
Live on the reversion which was released to me by my
Son Theodorick during the life of my said wife during
her natural life. — Item after the death of my said wife
I give and bequeath unto my grand Daughter Anna Blane
Estate and her heirs for ever my negre woman Pelly and her
Children — Item after the death of my wife I give and

and bequeath all the rest and residue of my negroes not before given
Equally divided Between my son Theodorick Blane and my daughter
Frances Tucker according to their value to themselves their heirs
for ever but I desire my negro ~~man~~ Paul and my negro woman
Pigg may go to which one of my said children they may choose.
Item I give and bequeath unto my said son Theodorick Blane
and his heirs forever my Tract of Land called Cousins in pre-
George County with my Land purchased of Peter Duke James
Moore and Henry Batts and is my most earnest request to my said son if he
Should die without a child that he will devise the said Land to such of his
children as he shall think proper.

Item after the death of my said wife I give to my said son all my
plate except my Silver Tankard which I give to my daughter Frances Tucker to have
and their heirs forever. Item After all my Just debts are paid
I give what money may remain including the debts due to me to be
Equally divided between my two grand Sons John Banister and
Theodorick Blane Ruffins and do ordain direct and desire that Theodorick
Blane Ruffins be applyed by my Executors to be purchaser of as good
a Tract of Land as can be had for four hundred pounds and whatever
his proportion should fall short I desire may be made up out of my Estate
and if his proportion should exceed the sum of four hundred pounds
I desire the whole may be applied to the purchase of Land by my Executors
and conveyed to him in fee simple. Item all the rest and residue
of my Estate not before given I give to my son Theodorick Blane and his
heirs forever. Item I do ordain and direct that my Estate be not
appraised. Lastly I constitute and appoint my said wife Elizabeth
Blane my son Theodorick Blane and my son in Law William Spatier
and St George Tucker Esquires and Executors of this my last will
and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
affixed my Seal the 16th day of July 1780 being all wrote by my own hand

Signed & sealed published
declared by the ~~testator~~ as his
last will and Testament

In presence of

Edward Randolph Yates

Peter Bland

William Dearly Fitzhugh

Edward Bland

Thos. Bland

At a Court held for Amelia County the 28th day of October 1782

This will was exhibited into Court and proved by the Oath of
Edward Randolph Yates one of the Justices thereof And at another
day the 29th day of the same month was proved by the
Peter and Edward Bland & sworn to by Thos^l Bland Jr.
and William Yates two of the executors within named and
Ordered to be Recorded And on the Motion of the said Executors
who took the Oath and entered into and Acknowledged Bond
with Security as the Law Directly Certificates is granted them
for obtaining Probate in due form

Thos^l Bland Jr.

In the name of god amen I Matthew

Tucker Sen^r of the County of Amelia being Sick and weak in
body but of Sound and perfect mind and memory blessed
be to god for the same I declare and publish this my
last will and Testament in manner and form following to wit
First I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter
Phoe Tucker One negro by all names I shall give her as off
bath One bed and furniture and things and if the said
I shall should have any children for Phoe Tucker to see as
She pleases with and also her bath and bed during her life and
after her decease the said I shall to my son Matthew Tucker to have
and his heirs forever. Secondly I give and bequeath unto
my son Thomas Tucker the plantation whereon I now live
to him and his heirs forever. Thirdly I give and bequeath