

In the Name of God amen. I Robert Cartle of
Bathurst Bath County & state of Virginia being of body
but of sound mind and memory for which I thank God now
Calling unto mind that its appointed for all men once to
die do this world day of February in the year of our Lord
our thousand seven hundred and Ninety four make &
ordain this my last will & Testament principally & first
of all I recommend my soul to God who gave it and
for my body I recommend it to the earth nothing doubt-
ing but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the
same again by the mighty power of God and concerning
my worldly estate wherewithal it has pleased God to gift
me with I dispose of in the form & manner following to wit
To my eldest son George Cartle I leave five shillings to my
eldest daughter Hicklin to her & her husband five shillings
to my second daughter Jane Grahams & her husband five
shillings to my third daughter Rachel Pebbles to her & her
husband I leave five shillings all personal money of George
and no more to any of them to my second son Robert
Cartle I leave and bequeath to him the plantation where-
on I dwell in Bathurst to him his heirs & assigns forever
also two Negro Men named Philius and two Negro Girls
named Sally & Dealey and a Mollatoe Girl named Trot and
a Negro boy named Moses to him his heirs and assigns
forever and also I leave him all my personal Estate on
the plantation & off it belonging to me and I constitute
and appoint my said son Robert Cartle to be my sole
Executor of this my will in trust for the intent and
purpose herein contained and as the above division of
my Estate is agreeable to my mind I revoke and
disannul all other former promises gifts or grants pro-
ceeding this date mentioned or spoken by me this and no other
I allow to be my last will & Testament and hereunto sets my
hand & seal the day and year above written
Signed sealed published pronounced ^{his} Robert Cartle (Seal)
and declared by the said Robert Cartle in the presence of
us who was at the signing and
sealing of the above Teste
John Bradshaw William Stuart
Robert Cartle

Bath County June board 1822

This last will and Testament of Robert Cartle Dec^d
was produced in Court by the Executer there named and proved
by John Bradshaw and Robert Cartle Witnesses thereto and
Ordered to be Recorded Teste - Chas Cannon Clerk

In the Name of God amen I James Cartle of
Bath County being sick and weak in body but of sound
mind and disposing memory for which I thank God and
Calling to mind the mortality of human life and being
desirous to dispose of all such worldly estate as it hath
pleased God to bestow me with I do give and bequeath
the same in Manner and form following that is to say
1st I desire that all my just debts and funeral expences
be principally paid 2d I give and bequeath to my dearly
beloved wife Nancy Cartle her Maintenance on the
plantation whereon I now live and of the dwelling house
on the same during her life or widowhood also my bed
and furniture for the same and one spinning wheel also
one Negro Girl named Sarah and one man her
Choice of all the Mares I now own and her Saddle and
four Milk Cows and Calves her Choice of all my house
Cattle to her forever and also my bottom horses during
her Continuance on the place 3d I give and bequeath to
my son John Cartle all that part of my land laying on
the North side of the land I now live on divided by a
line running straight across my land crossing the draft
leading to Jacksons Mill at a Cold Spring near the Crossing
of the branch in S^d draft and also including the improve-
ment on the upper end of the above mentioned land to him
and his heirs forever I also leave to my said son all the
horses that he now claims being two in Number and also
all the hained Cattle which he now claims and one Gold
Watch and Negro Gun 4d I give and bequeath to my

Daughter Lucy Castle one bed and furniture and one
spinning wheel. I also give to my daughter Lucy two mares and
one year old Colt and her Saddle and four Cows and Calves
I also bequeath all which is known and called in her name
5th I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Castle
five pounds. 6th I also give and bequeath to my sons James
Castle, Robert Castle, William Castle, Samuel Castle
and Alexander Castle and my daughter Nancy Castle
all my personal estate and slaves, and debts due to me
which is not before mentioned to be sold and the value
thereof to be equally divided amongst them and each to
receive their part when they may or come of age, and each
to have a proportionable part of the interest of the whole
amount as they may stand in need of, for Schooling, or
otherwise. 7th I give and bequeath to my sons James, Robert
William, Samuel & Alexander Castle, as before mentioned,
the plantation wherein I now live to be sold and the price
thereof to be equally divided amongst them at the death
or Marriage of my wife Nancy Castle, or if the death
or Marriage of my said wife should take place before
my youngest son arrives of the age of twenty one, the
land not to be sold until that time, but left for the use
and benefit of my children until they are of age. I also
give to my son James Castle one silver Watch and Rifle
Gun, and lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my
two sons John Castle and James Castle Executors of this
my last will and testament hereby revoking all other or
former Wills by me hitherto made In Testimony whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this
sixteenth day of January one thousand eight hundred
and six James Castle Seal

Signed sealed published and
declared as and for the last
will and Testament of the above
named James Castle in
presence of
John Evans
Robert Castle
Thos Pulee

Bingo County June Court 1802

This last will and Testament of James Castle Jr.^o
was produced in Court by John Castle one of the Executors therin
named, and proved by the Oaths of Thomas Pulee and
Robert Castle the witnesses thereto and ordered to be
Recorded.

Teste Chas' Cawman Esq

In the Name of God amen the third day of January
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and one
I William Peacock of Braxton County and State of Virginia being
weak in body but of sound and perfect memory present
give to God for his荣 and knowing the uncertainty of
this life on earth and being desirous to settle things in order
do make this my last will and Testament in manner and
form following that is to say first and principally I Com
mend my soul to Almighty God my Creator and my body
to the earth from whence it was taken to be buried in
such decent and Christian manner as my executors hereafter
named shall think meet and convenient and as to such
such worldly estate as the Lord in mercy hath bestowed
it shall be employed and bestowed as hereafter mentioned
and by this my will is expressed, And first I allow my
body to be buried in a decent and Christian manner out
of my estate. 2dly I allow all my debts to be paid out of my
Estate. 3dly I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elisabeth
Peacock her body clo. two beds and bedding of Clo's. her sled
and birds and the use of my horses Creators that she thinks
proper to chose my plows and looking belonging to said
plows five Cows and five Calves and all the Stock and
the third of the logs my kitchen and Coble furniture
likewise the third of the choice of my books likewise a negro
child named Sam, and seventy dollars in money thus I
leave to her her heirs administrators or assigns likewise I
leave to my beloved wife Elisabeth Peacock one negro
man George named Tom and a woman Slave named

State of Kentucky Adair County Set

I James Gilmer Senior Magistrate for the County aforesaid do hereby certify that William Caldwell before whom the acknowledgement of the within power of Attorney appears to have been made is and was at the time of certifying the same Acting Clerk to the County Court for the said County duly appointed and sworn and that the within Attestation is in due form
Witness my hand Seal this 24th day of May 1805
James Gilmer

Bath County July Court 1805

In the foregoing Certificate of William Caldwell
Clerk of this County Court of Adair in the State of Kentucky
the power of Attorney from Daniel Harvey law to John
Harvey was Ordered to be Recorded

Teste Charles Cameron Clk

Bath County

Pursuant to an Order from Bath Court to us directed we
the undersigned have proceeded to make the following examination and settlement with John Barile, Executrix of James
Barile deceased

John Barile Esq'	To the Estate of James Barile £
By late Bill	175. 14. 0
By Inventory of Goods	360. 8. 0
The hundred & twenty three pounds thirteen shillings & shrs of 1 st Inventory supposed by us to be insolvent	723. 13. 0
as the debtors cannot yet be found	
The balance thought to be good	144. 15. 0
By Acc'ts	16. 6. 9

Credit to John Barile Esq'

By Rec'd & his Acc'ts	58. 13. 3
Fees for the legacies under age for Schooling & other Necessaries as that will direct	
To James Barile	10. 18. 9
To Robert Barile	20. 19. 1
To William Barile	8. 13. 8
To Nancy Barile	3. 2. 6
The balance due to the estate by the Esq'	£32. 7. 6

We do certify that the above account is rightly adjusted as near as we
can calculate Given under our hands this 2nd July 1805

Sgt. Wicklin
Samuel Pittman
Robert Barile

Bath County July Court 1805

The within account was presented in Court by the Complainants
wherein it was allowed and Ordered to be Recorded

Teste Charles Cameron Clk

Know all men by these presents that Margaret Lewis have bargained
to sold & delivered unto Charles A Lewis both of the County of
Bath & State of Virginia one bay mare & one black foal
by the property of Mrs A Lewis for the consideration of the
sum of one hundred & thirty three dollars & one third to me in
hand paid the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge & for
the value whereof I do warrant & defend the said man & foal
unto the said Charles A Lewis his heirs & against all persons
or persons whatever the said man & foal has in perceptible
hand except one off hind foot is white & the man has lost his
left eye Given from under my hand & seal this seventh day
of December 1804

Margaret Lewis

her Servants of us

Charles A Lewis

Francis Barardine

Bath County July Court 1805

This bill of sale from Margaret Lewis to Charles A Lewis
was presented in Court by Francis Barardine and Charles A
Lewis and Ordered to be Recorded

Teste Charles Cameron Clk

Agreeable to our Order of the Court of Bath to us directed we have
appraised the following property the Estate of the late John
Dynes deceased

A bright bay mare	£ 18. 0. 0
A black mare	12. 0. 0
A Heifer	2. 16. 0
A Cow	3. 12. 0
A Heifer	2. 8. 0