

In the name of God Amen on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of May  
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and  
nearly four I John McCallum of Bath County and state of Virginia  
being sick in body but of good and perfect memory thanks be to  
Almighty God and calling to remembrance the uncertain estate  
of this transitory life and that all flesh must yield to death when  
it shall please God to call do make and declare this my last  
will and testament in manner and form following first being  
penitent and sorry for all my sins most humbly desiring for  
mercies for the same I command my soul unto Almighty God  
my Saviour & Redeemer in whom and by whose merits I trust &  
believe assuredly to be saved and to have full remission and forgive-  
ness of all my sins and to inherit the Kingdom of Heaven and my  
body I commit to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion  
of my Executors hereafter named and for the settling of my Tem-  
poral Estate and such goods chattels and debts as it hath pleased  
God to bestow upon me I do order and give and dispose the same  
in manner and form followingviz to my dear and loving wife  
Eleanor I give and bequeath all and Singular of my goods & chattels  
in order to settle & defray such debts or demands as may be due upon  
the Estate and the land to remain in her possession during her life  
then to my son Jacob I desire to have a fee simple in the land and  
to keep any of his Sisters that may be yet unmarried To my sons David and  
William I give and bequeath each six shillings To my two Daughters  
Mary and Jane I give & bequeath each six shillings To my three  
Daughters Rebecca Margaret & Sarah I give and bequeath each at  
the age of eighteen one cow and Calf and Sow & two Hogs  
No more of them to keep more than three head of cattle over winter  
on the lands and I hereby make and appoint my loving wife  
Eleanor full & sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament  
hereby revoking Disavowing & revoking all former Wills &  
bequests by me made and declaring this only to be my last will &  
Testament in Witness whereof I hereunto set my hand & Seal this  
19<sup>th</sup> day of May 1794

In presence of  
John Sharp  
Geo Poage

John McCallum  
Seal  
Mark

## Bath County April Term 1798

This last will and testament of John McCallum  
was proved by Geo Poage and Ordered for further prob and at a Court  
held for said County the eleventh day of April 1798 it was further  
proved by William Sharp and Ordered to be Recorded

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John Cameron Esq. B.C.

Personal Estate of Frances Piles for Deced	John McCallum	5	3
1st Brichly Bed Curry		8	-
1/2 Grey horse and Saddle		8	-
To 38 Gallons of Whisky		8	-
To six small Books of Different sorts		7	-
One Box of Razors and shaving Box		7	0
To Shooemaker Tools of Different sorts		2	6
To 1 Doz of Iron Blasters and twenty Tacks		1	-
To Carpenter and Joiner Tools		12	-
Three bottles		2	6
a Looking Glass		4	9
A Barn and Wash Tubb		10	-
To Wooden Utensils or Cooper Ware		7	6
A black slate		9	-
A Gun locks		5	-
Earthen Ware		12	-
A Drawing Renge		3	-
An hand Saw		9	-
A pair of Saddle Bag		6	-
A Band or Iron Knoz		12	-
Valentine Kickly D <sup>r</sup> by Rock and		3	9
Three pounds Hindshank Shelling and Six pence		6	-
		37	5

## Bath County April Court 1798

This appraisement of the Estate of Frances Piles deceased  
was this day Returned to Court and Ordered to be Recorded

Teste

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