

In the name of God Amen I John M. Canstane sick
of Bath County Virginia being of sound mind and memory
yet considering the uncertainty of human life, do make and
ordain this my last will and Testament in the manner fol-
lowing viz - In the first place I give and bequeath to my
grandson John M. Canstane one hundred and forty five acres
of land lying in Henric County to have and to hold to him
and his heirs forever - Then to my three grandsons Edward
Andrew and James M. Canstane each one hundred acres of
land lying in Kinawab County to have and to hold sepa-
rately and severally to them and their heirs forever - Then to
my grandson John M. Canstane I give and bequeath
225 Acres of land in this County on which I now live
to have and to hold to him and his heirs forever - Then to my
Daughter Jane Rhea I give and bequeath three hundred
Acres of land lying in Henric County to her to have and to
hold during the term of her natural life and after her decease
to be equally divided in fee simple between her three sons
John & Robert & Andrew Rhea - Then to my Daughter
Mary Sawyers three hundred Acres of land lying as aforesaid
to her to have and to hold during the term of her natural life
and after her decease to be equally divided among her three
sons Andrew Matthew & Alexander Sawyers in fee sim-
ple Also I will and direct that all the moneys wherewith I am
possessed in which may be due to me by bond note or otherwise
be equally divided between my son Andrew and my two
Daughters Jane Rhea and Mary Sawyers and I direct that
the Bond Note on Sampson Sawyers with the one on his
son Wm. the principal and Interest of both be received to my
daughter Mary as so much of her dividend and so what share
my son Andrew may be indebted to me be accounted to
him as so much of his share. Also I give to my Daughter
Mary my best the bolster and pillows and to my Daughter
Jane my ring and Corral. Also I give and bequeath to my

Son

Son Andrew in fee simple the tract of land whereon I now
reside also a Negro man named Lewis. I give to my son An-
drew with all the furniture therein which I may have
claimed heretofore and which have not been disposed of al-
ready - Lastly I constitute & appoint my son Andrew the
sole Executor of this my last will & Testament and I do
hereby revoke and disannul every former will by me made
In testimony whereof I do hereby set my hand this 9th
day of January 1811

Testes
Joseph Bond
W. Sillington
Matthew Wallace

his
John M. Canstane
mark

Bath County September Court 1813

This last will and Testament of John M. Canstane
last was presented in court and proved by the Oath of Matthew
Wallace And at October Court following was further proved
by William Sillington and ordered to be recorded

Teste
Charles Cameron Clk

In the name of God Amen I Francis Piles of Bath
County Virginia being sick and weak of Body but of sound
mind and memory thank God and calling to mind the un-
certainty of this ~~transitory~~ ^{it} world and that it is appointed
for all men to die do bequeath my soul to God who gave
to me hoping to receive it again at the glorious morning of
the resurrection as touching what temporal concerns
that God has blessed me with I dispose and sever them in the
following order and first I order my Debts to be paid and
my body to be buried in a Christian manner at the appoint-
ment of my Executors To my beloved wife Elizabeth Piles
I will and bequeath any of my two mares she chooses Saddle
and Bridle, A bed and furniture & three Sheep To my son

C. Williams