

In the Name of God Amen I Abraham Weeks of Bedford
 County and State of Virginia, being then the abundant Goodwill & Blessing
 of God, of sound mind and perfect understanding do
 make word and declare this to be my last Will and Testament,
 revoking all others, - I desire that all my house hold be finally
 paid. I give and bequeath unto my son Eliza Weeks part of
 the Tract of Land between I now live beginning at Wm. Bonds
 white oak corner thence running down into my plantation and
 along the side of a fence to my spring branch, thence down the
 spring branch to a corner where two maps stand in my falling
 creek I now live thence along the road to Captain Haffers
 line, thence along his line to Wm. Bonds line, thence along his line to
 Kents line, thence along his line to Charles Lewis thence along Meads
 line to the first station to him as he ^{has} ^{the} ^{same} ^{land} ^{forever} and that
 this day he may use occupy and peaceable possess for ever the same
 with every part and parcel thereof without the least hindrance
 molestations or denial of any person or persons or what so ever
 God. The other part of my land being the part I now live on of
 my wife should to the longest liver, I give and bequeath unto my
 beloved wife Jane Weeks during her natural life - ^{It is my} ^{dearly} ^{desire}
 Will and desire that all my Negroes, Stock of every kind with all
 my farming utensils of every description, also all my household &
 kitchen furniture to remain on the place after my decease as
 they now are with my son in law Nicholas Weeks as an answer
 for the comfort support of my Wife during her natural life
 It is my will and desire that the surplus or income of the

they now are with my son in Law & I substituted W & S as an Executor
for the comfort & support of my Wife during her natural life
5th It is my will and desire that the surplus or income of the
crops made on the place after my decease over and above what
will be sufficient for the support of my Wife, negroes & their
stock in general be equally divided yearly between my five
Daughters Viz. ^{Harriet} Susannah Wm. Leida Weeks Polly Wright, Peggy Ware
Elizancy Ware, - & ^{they} whereas Susannah & Harriet are both left two
sons Viz. Alderson & Reuben Garret, It is my will & desire that they draw
their mother's part annually with the rest, to be equally divided
between them. And as each either of them should die without a
lawful heir the other in that case is entitled to draw the whole of her
mother's part and should both die without legal issue the whole of the
remaining part of what they or either of them have now or hereafter
made use of to be returned to the Executor hereafter named to be
equally divided with the rest of my property. 7th After my Wife
deceases should she be the longest liver, the Land whereon I now live
I give and bequeath to my son Eliza Weeks with every part and
parcel thereof. & ^{they} after my Wife deceases should she be the
longest liver. It is my will and desire that all my personal
property be equally divided between my five Daughters as
above named and that they receive or be entitled to seventy pounds
each should there be that much with what they receive yearly
from the surplus of the crops is to be a part of the one hundred

W. B.

Will

and twenty pounds each. After each receives a hundred twenty pounds
 should any thing remain over and above that sum for each of my four
 Daughters, It is my will and desire that my son Elgate Wicks have an equal
 share with them in the remaining part or balance of the property of this Will.
 my Will and desire that at the general division of my personal Estate that
 the legacies receive the property at valuation if it can be agreed on. It is my will
 and desire that whatever each or any of the legacies receives as a part of their
 portions, whether it be money or property at valuation shall give a receipt for
 the same to the Executors hereafter named. 10th It is my Will and desire
 after my death if the Executors should think this stock too large to be contin-
 ued on the place that they may dispose of so much thereof as they think
 proper to some of the legacies (should they want) at valuation or such legacies
 giving a receipt for the same as a part of their portions should more of
 the legacies want such property the Executors may sell at public Auction
 on a credit of Twelve months with bond and as proved accordingly. Before
 the money is collected to be equally divided between my four Daughters already
 named, which will be covered by the sum of the hundred and twenty
 pounds. I also give and bequeath unto my son Elgate Wicks all my
 wear and apparel of every sort & his whatever he shall lastly appoint
 and order my son Elgate Wicks, I son in law Benjamin Wright
 to be the whole and sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament
 hereby revoking all other former Wills or Testaments by me heretofore
 made. I entreat witness of I have hereunto affixed my seal this thirtieth
 day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
 eight.

Adison Wicks

on or credit of twelve months, with bond and a approved security, which
The money is collected to be equally divided between my four Daughters already
married, which will be considered as a means of their future support &
pension. — I also give and bequeath unto my son Elizah Weeks all my
wearing apparel of every sort & his education — Mrs. Lally I appoint
and ordain my son Elizah Weeks, & on and last Benjamin Wright
to be the whole and sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament
hereby revoking all other former Will or Testaments by me heretofore
made. I entreat witness of I have her words affixed my seal this thirteenth
day of November in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred
Eight

Alverson Weeks

Legued sealed & acknowledged

In the presence of
Joseph Chaffin
Stephen Chaffin
William O. Thurt
Richard Freeman

At a Court held for the said County at the Courtroom
this 24th Feb 1809 This last Will and Testament

of Alverson Weeks was exhibited in Court by
Elizah Weeks & Benjamin Wright the Executors

therein named, and proven by the Oaths of Joseph Chaffin, Stephen Chaffin
& William O. Thurt the witnesses thereto subscribed, & on the motion of
the said Executors who made Oaths and together with William Preston
& Stephen Chaffin their demand, entered into and acknowledged their
Bonds in the penalty of \$3000.00 conditioned according to Law, to perform and
be governed by observing or probate thereof in due form.

Teste, Stephen Lake

In the presence of God Amos J. Williams Pastor of the said County
being sworn to do by and under seal and disposing memory, that

W. Baker

1808