

Wade
Will

In the Name of God Amen I Jeremiah Wade of Bedford
County being verry sick and Weak in Body but of perfect
mind and memory, Thanks be to God for it and knowing
that it is Appointed Once for all men to Die do make and Ordain
this my Last Will and Testament, first I give and Recomend
my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave, and my
Body to the Earth to be Buried in a Decent Christian
manner at the Discretion of my Executors, and for my Worldly
Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me with in
this Life I give and Bequeath as followeth, But first
my Will and Desire is that my Estate be Sold at the
Discretion of my Executors and not Appraised and after my
Estate is Sold my Will and Desire is that my Just Debts
shall all be Paid and then an Equal Division made among

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shall all be Paid and then an Equal Division made among
my Children and I doe Appoint Richard Ballanger, James
Hilton and Natha N. Hilton to be my Executors. to pay my
Debts & Receive what is due to me and this I Ordain my last
Will and Testament In Witness whereof I hereunto, I have
Set my hand & Seal this Eight Day of July 1772.

Witness my hand & Seal this Eight Day of July 1772.
Graham Ervine, Jesse Hilton } Jeremiah Wade
Elizabeth Mitchell }

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164. Malbonat held for Bedford County September 28th 1772
The Last Will and Testament of Jeremiah Wader Deed. was
Proved by the Oaths of Abraham Catter and Jesse Hilton and
Ordered to be Recorded, and on the Motion of James Hytton
one of the Executors therein Named who made Oath thereto
Certificate is granted him for obtaining Probate thereof
in Due form, giving Security. Whereupon he together with
Guy Smith his Security entered into and Acknowledged
their Bonds in the Penalty of Two Hundred and fifty Pounds
for the said James Hytton's due and faithful Administra-
tion of the said Decedent's Estate and Performance of his
Will, Liberty being reserved to the other Exors. named in
the said Will to join in the Probate thereof when they shall
think fit.

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