

James Falls -
Will -

In the Name of God Amen I James Falls of the County of Botetown
being sick and weak of Body but of sound and disposing mind do
make this my last will and Testament Revoking all other and Trusting in the
Merits of Jesus Christ my blessed Redeemer for the Pardon of all my sins in
hopes of a joyful Resurrection at the last day My worldly affects I leave
as follows 1st I direct that all my last debts and funeral expenses be
paid 2nd I give unto my Grand Daughter Peggy Falls one cow one
Bed & furniture and one Bureau 3rd I give unto my Daughter Cassa-
ndra Sink four head of cattle six head of sheep and two Beds and furniture
which she is to have when she leaves her mother to make her property equal
to what I have given to my other children when they left me
4th I give unto my son Benjamin Falls the Tract or parcel of land
I own known by the name of the Johnson place for which he holds
a title Bond he is to have the same at the death of his mother and
to have no part of my other land as I think it is a full share
5th I give unto my loving wife Eleanor Falls all my personal property
of every kind during her life Except such as is heretofore devised at
which time it is to be sold Equally divided between all my children
6th I give unto my wife the Tract of land on which my son John
Falls now lives during her life and at her death it is to be equally
divided between all my children Except my son Benjamin Falls
they may either divide the land or sell it as they think proper
I do hereby nominate and appoint my two sons Peter Falls and Benjamin
Falls as my Executors to the same

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I do hereby nominate and appoint my two sons Peter Falls and Benjamin
Falls as my Executors to this my last will and Testament as written
my hand and seal this 15th day of November 1879.
Test the Interlineations between
the tenth & Eleventh line from the
bottom from the other side before signing
Lepe Camper
Mat Wilson
John S. Lackland

At Monticello September 6th 1831 This Instrument of Writing pur-
porting to be the last will & Testament of James Falls Esq. was Exhibited
in Court and proved by the Oaths of Mathew Wilson and John S. Lackland
Subscribing Witnesses thereof and comes to be Received

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