

all things in the name of God amen I declare unto you that
I have been and lately eight or nine full years
of Chesterfield County being weak in Body but for my
perfect Sense do make and declare this my last Will and
Testament in the manner and form following making void
all my former Wills by which I Principally gave my
Soul to God that gave it me and secondly I give my Body
to be buried in a decent manner by my Executors direc-
tion, I having given to my Children which I had by
my first Wife their full Portions that I have allotted
them I exclude them from having of any more of my
Estate - as touching such worldly Estates which I am now
possest of after my lawfull Debt is discharged I give as
follows to ~~John~~ my present Wife and the Chil-
dren that I had by her.

1881, James, Will Puckett, Emma Puckett, Marant, Will Puckett,
Edward Will Puckett and Residence Puckett, to be equally
divided amongst them and their heirs forever; giving
the above mentioned children their portions as they come.

divide amongst them and their heirs forever; giving
the above mentioned ^{Ghesterfield County, Virginia Wills 1785 to 1800} ~~children~~ three portions as they come

of age or marry; but if either of them should die,
before they should come of age or marry, then Carl
is to be equally divided amongst the surviving children

Carl, James, James. Edward, Edward, and Andrew also ~~and~~
I do appoint my son William Hill, my friend Peter ~~and~~
and Daniel Fryer are my beloved wife executor of
this my last Will and Testament and witnesses whereof
I have hereunto set my Hand and seal the ninth Day
of December one thousand seven hundred and eighty
eight.

Signed Sealed and Published,
in the presence of

Matthew Jones

Ed. C. ~~James~~ F. Puckett
man

Ed. C. White

John Hill ~~James~~ (Seal)