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Given Bond and Security According to Law.

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John Jameson 666.

Allen
In the name of God Amen William Allen of the
Parish of Bromfield in the County of Culpeper being sick and weak
in Body but of a sound and perfect mind and Manfully thanki be
to Almighty God for the same do make this my last Will and
Testament in manner and form following (vizt) I Bequeath my
Precious and Immortal soul to Almighty God who gave it in
full hope of Pardon and Remission of all my sins and Tranquillity
through the all-sufficient merits and Mediation of my Blessed
Saviour and Redeemer Jesus Christ my Body to be decently

3991 Buried at the Direction of my Executors herein after named
and as to such Worldly Estate wherewith God hath
Blessed me I dispose of the same as follows
Imprimis I give and Bequeath unto my Loving and Dear
Wife Mary Allen all that of Land Lying in Tauxier
County and on Chapel Run one of the Branches of the
Marsh Run (which land was given to me by my Father)
to be possessed by my said wife During her natural life
And no longer also an Equal third part of all my Personal
Estate During her natural life

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Item I give and Bequeath the Proceeds of my Estate to be
Equally Divided amongst all my Children both sons and
Daughters (each) proportion to be Delivered to them into their
Possession at their Marriage or at the age of Twenty One years
As also all and every part of my Estate both Real and
Personal which my said wife shall leave at her Decease
to be Equally Divided amongst all my Children as aforesaid
And Whereas my said wife Appears to be with
Child my Will is that it shall be Delivered at the same that

said And Whereas my said Wife Appears to be with
Child my Will is that if she be Delivered of the same that
it have an Equal part of my Estate with the rest of my
Children, and if at any time heretofore I have said any
thing which might entitle any one of my Children to any
Negro or other Considerable part my Estate which may be
Provable by Law my Will is any such Article shall
bear so much of any such Childs proportion in Division
as the said Negro or other Article shall be valued at
Lastly I hereby ^{Guineper County, Virginia Wills} ¹⁷⁷³⁻¹⁷⁸³ ^{www.virginiapioneers.org} and appoint my loving
and Dear wife Mary Allen and my Trusty and Faithfull
Friend Daniel Bradford Executors and Executors of
tho my Last Will and Testament hereby Revoking
all ~~former~~ Wills by me made and Declaring this to be
my Last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have
^{and} ~~hereunto~~ set my hand, Affixed my seal this 23^d Day of
March one thousand seven hundred and eighty
Signed sealed and Delivered

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Lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my loving
and Dear wife Mary Allen and my Trusty and Faithfull
Friend Daniel Bradford Executors and Executors of
this my Last Will and Testament hereby Revoking
all ~~former~~ Wills by me made. And Declaring this to be
my Last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand ^{and} Affixed my seal this 23^d Day of
March one thousand seven hundred and eighty

Signed Sealed and Delivered to be his Last
Will and Testament Before us

John Bradford
Enoch Bradford
Witness

100) The words of in the first page & sealed in
the record I intended before signed

W. Allen L.S.

At a court held for Culpeper County the 18th Day of September 1780

This Last Will and Testament of William ^{Allen} Deceased was exhibit-
ed to the Court and proved by the Oaths of Enoch Bradford and

William Green two of the Witnesses thereto and ordered to be
Recorded and on the motion of the Executors Certificate is
granted them for obtaining a probat thereto in due form they
having made Oath thereto and given bond and Security

According to Law

Teste

John Jamison C.C.C.

Pursuant to an Order of the Worshipfull Court of Culpeper Drawing