

Thing remaining that it be equally divided between  
my children.

And I do hereby constitute & appoint my two sons John & James Dowdall my whole & sole Executors of this my last Will & Testament & I do hereby revoke all former Bequests Wills & legacies by me heretofore in anywise left or made, declaring this & no other to be my last Will & Testament witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this twentieth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & sixty nine.

In the presence of Thomas Dowdall

Jas. Wren Robt. Lindsay

James Trammell Suckey Trissell

Be it known to all men by these presents that I Thomas Dowdall of the County & Parish of Fairfax by this present Codicil do ratify & confirm the above to be my last Will & Testament & do give and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth Hubbard the sum of Ten pounds Current money of Virginia to be paid unto her by my Executors out of my estate, & my meaning is that this Codicil be adjudged to be part & parcel of my last Will & Testament; and that it be truly performed as fully & amply as if the same so declared & set down in my last Will & Testament — Witness my hand this day of

Thomas Dowdall,

At a Court held for the County of Fairfax

18<sup>th</sup> March 1771.

This Will was presented in Court by John Dowdall and James Dowdall Esqrs. herein named who made oath their to & the same being proved by the oaths of James Wren Robt. Lindsay & James Trammell three of the witnesses admitted to Record and the said Esqrs. having performed what the laws require a Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probate thereof in due form.

Teste

P. Waggoner Jno. & C. Clark.

Co. of

An Inventory of the Goods & Chattels of Mr. James Bowmachers deceased pursuant to an order of Fairfax County March 15<sup>th</sup> 1771 George Thrift Nelson Reed James Robertson.

To a parcel of old Closets £1.6.6 To 1 pair shoe buckles £1.0.0 To 1 wallet 1 saddle & blanket 7/3 To 1 Bible & ink holder 9/3 10.6 To 1 old Trunk 9/3 To a parcel of wheate in the straw 3/3 D. 9.0 To 1 old Razor.

£5. 9. 11.

At a Court held for the County of Fairfax

20<sup>th</sup> March 1771.

This Inventory was returned & ordered to be Recorded  
Taste

In the name of God amen. This fourth day of March one thousand seven hundred & seventy one, I Anthony Groswhite of the Town of Alexandria married being very sick & weak in body but in perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God, Wherefor calling in mind the mortality of my body and that it is appointed for all men once to die do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament. That is to say principally & first of all I give & recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it & my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at the general resurrection how I shall receive the same by the mighty power of God.

And as touching my worldly estate I give & dispose of it in the following manner Viz.

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved wife Elizabeth all & singular the whole of my estate both personal & real during the term of her natural life & after her decease to be disposed of all she shall think most proper.

I do likewise constitute & appoint my dearly beloved wife Elizabeth my sole Executrix of this my last Will & Testament.

Testament & do hereby utterly disallow revoke & disannul all of every former Testaments Wills. Legacies and Requests by me in any wise aforesaid ratifying and confirming this & no other to be my last Will & Testament In Witteness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & year above mentioned

Signed & Sealed *J* John Dogen *mark* *his*  
in the presence of *J* John Grafton *mark*

John Carlyle  
John Orr.

At a Court held for the County of Fairfax <sup>22d</sup> May 1771 This will was presented in Court by Elizabeth Grafton Executrix herein named who made oath thereto of the same being proved by the oath of the Witnesses admitted to Record & the said Executrix having performed what the Laws require a Certificate is granted her for obtaining a probate thereof in due form.

Pestk P. Maginn cl. et

March 30<sup>th</sup> 1771.

George Darrell will & desire in presence of his mother Mary Darrell & Valinda Wade is that his brother Philip Darrell should have all his estate after paying his just debts.

This day came before me Mary Darrell & Valinda Wade & made oath on the Holy Evangelist that the above writing was the last Will of George Darrell certified under my hand this 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 1771

Sampson Darrell

At a Court held for the County of Fairfax 20<sup>th</sup> May 1771 This Will was presented in Court by Sampson Darrell who made oath thereto & being proved by the oath of Mary Darrell & Valinda Wade witnesses thereto before Sampson Darrell Gent one of his Majesties Justices of the peace for the said County is ordered to be recorded and on his

His motion a certificate is granted him for affording Letters of Administration with the will annexed in due form

Pestk P. Maginn cl. et

In the name of God amen. I John Dogen of the County of Fairfax being of sound and disposing mind & memory do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament in manner & form following That is to say I谨 witness my will that all my just Debts be paid by my executors hereinafter mentioned out of the money arising by my crop not yet sold

1<sup>st</sup> Item I give & bequeath unto my two sons Henry Dogen & John Dogen three negroes to wit, Nan, Peg & her child Sarah also eight head of cattle to wit two Cows four Heifers & 2 Yearlings also sixteen head of sheep also two Leather Beds & furniture of the value of twenty pounds & my will & desire is that the said negroes & stock bequeathed to my two sons shall be kept on my plantation whereon I now live by myself until my son Henry Dogen shall attain to the age of twenty one years during which time I desire that what profits may arise from the said negroes and stock aforesaid may be applied to the educating & maintaining my said two sons & at the time my said Henry shall attain to the age of twenty one years that the said negroes & stock & bed be equally divided between my two sons Henry & John & if either of them should die without issue then the whole to the survivor

2<sup>d</sup> Item I give unto my son Henry Dogen also one roan mare called Piggy & a saddle & Bridle also to my son John Dogen one sorrell mare called Jon & a saddle and Bridle over & above what I have before devised

3<sup>rd</sup> Item I give unto my son Henry of his heirs my plantation whereon I now live he the said Henry suffering and permitting his brother John Dogins part of the negroes before given to be kept on the said plantation according

Dr. M<sup>r</sup> William Gardner

To a parcel of broken leather

To wearing apparel

To 2 pairs meal sifters & boat y some plank

Dr. M<sup>r</sup> Baxter Simpson

To bag & tray seeds To iron pot 3.

Dr. M<sup>r</sup> George Tillet

To a parcel of old hoes axes & drawing knife

To a parcel of horse leather

Dr. M<sup>r</sup> Moses Simpson

To 9th sides of land Horsham

To a parcel of Tray & old Saddle

To a pad lock

The amount of the Sale of the Goods sold

Dr. M<sup>r</sup> Moses Simpson

To Cash rec'd of William Gardner

To Cash rec'd of John Hamilton

To Cash received of John Skinner

£ 1. 1. 0  
1. 1. 0  
1. 3. 10  
1. 3. 7

At a Court held for Fairfax County £ 1. 1. 0

12<sup>th</sup> May 1771.

This Inventory & Appraisement was returned and ordered to be Recorded

Pete

1770 Aug 27<sup>th</sup> Dr. John Hollenshead D<sup>r</sup> Deed.

To sundries

£ 1. 0. 15. 7<sup>1/2</sup>

To Coffin 1/46 to winding sheet 15/- digging grave 1. 12. 6

To dieting & liquor one day for the appraisers 7.<sup>1/2</sup>

To 10 P<sup>t</sup> 6<sup>1/2</sup> from of £ 6. 15. 0 the amount in

cash of the Estate sold of the decd. Hollenshead

13. 5

To a Lawyers fees

10. 0

To Clerks & Secretary fees 7<sup>1/2</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup>

12. 0

To Levy 9<sup>th</sup> Total at 2<sup>nd</sup>

15. 0

£ 1. 1. 0

At a Court held for the County of

Rainfax 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1771.

Moses Simpson Adm<sup>r</sup> of John Hollenshead Decd ex-  
hibited this account on oath against the said Estate -  
which being examined by the Court is allowed and  
ordered to be Recorded.

Pete

In Obedience to an order of the Worshippull Court of Fairfax  
dated March Court 1771 we the subscribers being first sworn  
have met valued & appraised the Estate of John Lowe deceased and  
finds the particulars and value as follows (Viz.)

To one old bed of furniture £ 3. 10 To an old Gun £ 1. £ 1. 10. 0  
To an old Skillet 3/4 one frying pan 2/4 three plates 10.  
To one Pewter basin of three Pewter Spoons 5.  
To tea ware if one old tea iron grates 2/4 To old Boxes 2/3 5. 3.  
To one claw hammer 1/6 an old iron Trace 2/6 1.  
To one water pail 3/4 one hatchet 2/4 1 drinking glass 7/2 6. 7/2  
To one Lin g<sup>t</sup> Red S<sup>d</sup> To a drawing knife & hand saw 2/4 3. 2.  
To an old marching Iron & two old bridles of iron saddle 1/2 2. 0.  
To two old books & two old Trays if one Ale 1/3 2. 9.  
To one old Table 6/4 to 1 box 3/4 to one old bed & blanket 5. 1.  
To one old Iron pot 4.

£ 7. 1. 10 1/2

4. 6

£ 7. 0. 1 1/2

William F. Hardin James F. Green

Daniel Fennings

At a Court held for Fairfax County 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1771.

This Inventory was returned & ordered to be Recorded

Pete

Inventory of all y singular the Goods & chattels which were  
of Anthony Crosswaite late of the Town of Alexandria in the  
County of Fairfax deceased which was presented to the  
view of the subscribers hereto.

One feather bed with bedstead cord bolster & pillows  
blanket & overlett £ 10. 0. 0

One small feather bed with bolster and bedding	£ 5.0.
2 barrels of 3 bushels	5.0.
2 small stands or Tables	2.0
1 p. money scales weight of box	3.0
1 Ink Stand & 1 Dish & 1 plate pewter 3/8	3.9
A parcel of earthen ware 1/2. 1 small Trunk 1/2	13.6
2 tea spoons 1 p. sugar tongs 1 pint can 1 punch ladle	
1 p. buckles 1 p. sleeve buttons weight 12 1/2 oz avr	4.3.0
2 pairs of shoes at 6d	
1 glass Tumbler of one wine glass	2.
1 bowl & tea cups & saucers China	10.
1 knife with box	2.0
10 bottles glass	1.
1 case with 12 bottles	1.
1 spice mortar	5.
5 Razors a home straps 6pounds	5.0
5 Shirts £3 2 bolster cases 9/. 7 pillow cases 11/.	1.0.0
9 Handkerchiefs 3/. 5 small table cloths 12/.	17.
1 Large table cloth £1. 3 Towels 8/. 2 bags 6.	1.0.6
17.16 Cotton 4f.	2.
wearing apparel 10/- 10 check shirts 12 white	
shorts 10 waist coats 10 coats 6/- breeches	25.11.0
2 caps 1 hats 6/- dozen p. stockings	8.
1 cloth brush 1/6 1 pewter salt 5/- 1 brass lamp 6/-	7.10
1 pepper box 6/- 1 mustard pot 6/- 1 iron pot 8/- both 8/-	9.
1 tea chest £1. 1 Table 8/ 2 Chests £1.5	2.0.
1 wood bowl 11. 1 Chest £1.	1.1.
1 silver watch £7. 2 guns 1 powder horn £3.	10. -
1 handsaw bad 1/- 1 hair scow 1/- 1 tea kettle 2/-	0.5.0
1 sauce pan 1/6 3 pairs 3/- 1 looking glass £1.5	1.9.
1 reading glass 1/3 16 old spoons 1/2 Badley Quadrant 1/-	1.1.
3 sea compasses bad 7/6 3 books of maps 1/- each 1.5.	1.9.1
parcel of old books £1.5 10 fishing lines 10/-	2.3.
1 pair boots £1. 1 p. Shoes £1. a parcel of shot about 12. at 2/-	2.1.0
1 candle molds 4/- 1 house bell of iron 1/-	1.1.

Hunters scale 2/. 1 p. Dividers 1/-	0.3.0
A parcel of old Lumber 1/- 1 pair of Stays £1.10	2.16.0
	2.05.7.10

Total amount is Eighty five pounds seven shillings & six pence as appraised pursuant to order of the Worshippull Court of Fairfax County held in May last this 24th day of June 1771 by Jonathan Hall James Bonnell Chas. Turner.

At a court held for the County of Fairfax xix<sup>th</sup> August 1771. This Inventory was returned & ordered to be Recorded  
Pesta

In the name of God amen I Richard Kent of Fairfax County in good state of health but considering the uncertainty of this life & that all flesh is as grass I think it necessary to settle the affairs of this life as to my worldly goods debts dues & demands & rents & profits whatsoever I give to will to my wife Elizabeth during her widowhood accounting it so long as her keeping from maring or having a child by any man upon these terms it is to be known as long as she lives & as to my dear mother that brought me into this world she is to have a maintenance for her estate that was left by her husband which was in the hands of Richard Kents hands therefore I desire that the estate that has been received in my hands that there be men chosen to divide it equally between them & then if mother is uneasy that they give their bond security such as she thinks proper and as to my sister Mary that takes care of her mother and living upon her own means free from any thing that is found her mother therefore let her claim come out of what is in her mothers hands now according to the above rates if it be contained in her chest that it be sold but upon the failing that the executors do make sale of the same my goods & possessions & keep it till my three children come to be of age & namely Nancy & Mary & John which then divide equally between them this is my last will & testament and I hereby ordain John Reed & John Hampton my sole Executors witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 6<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1770.

Signed