

At a Court held for Frederick County August 12. 1787.

Testament of John Reagan Dec^d was proved by the Oath of Edward
Lin Daigle John Abrell John Lin Daigle his nephew the said Edward
be Recorded, upon the motion of the Executrix therein named
(Who took the most Oath Certificate is granted her for obtaining
Letters of Administration the giving security (Whereupon she together
with Edmund Lin Daigle her security Entered into a Release & gave
Bond in the Penalty of Five hundred Pounds conditioned for her due
& faithful Administration of the said Decedent's Estate
(By the Court)

(CA)

Wm. Keith

In the Name of God Amen. At this time in a poor State of health
at this present be I find in memory. I make before God for my
my Soul to God which I give it to mean as for my worldly goods I give
has bestowed upon me I give as he reafter mentioned. I am now
to my living wife Ann Cromb the Plantation (Whereon I now
live with all the Household Furniture of the Stock that is Respects
by me at this time of all kinds Excepting a Drains pipe. I am now
& to my son John Cromb all my Land that I am now Respects
with after my wife Ann Death or (Marriage). I am now
to my daughter Catherine after my wife Ann Death or Marriage
all my Stock Household Goods & every other thing of my value
as I am Respects with this Dying (Which I have hereunto set
my hand at this 11th Day of December One thousand seven hundred
& eighty seven
Signed & sealed
in the presence of
John Edwards, Peter Huffman
Richard R Morris
Mark

his
Henry C. Cromb

The Deposition of John Edwards one of the Witnesses to the within
Will Depose that he was Present at the time the Testator
signed sealed & acknowledged the within Instrument of Writing
as his last Will & Testament & that he signed the same as his Request
as a Witness & further he Deposeth that to the best of his
knowledg & belief the Testator was in his perfect Sense & memory
at the time of signing the same & the Deposant being interrogated
by the Court for the hear at law (Whether he knew of any means
or Persuasion made use of to induce the Testator either by his wife
or other Person to devise his Land in the manner he has done
answered that he did not

Know to in Court

This 11th Day of June

1787

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced & Declared by the said John Denton
as his Last (Will & Testament) in the Presence of the Subscribers viz
Abraham Denton, John Lipton
Jonah Little, Benjamin Denton.



Court held for Frederick County August 4th 1767

This Last will

& Testament of John Denton Deceased was Proved by the Oaths of
Jonah Little and Abraham Denton (Two of the Witnesses thereto)
Ordered to be Recorded and upon the (Production of the Oath for the said
Named John ^{Samuel Odell} made oath thereto to dedicate is granted him for obtain-
ing letters of Administration of the said Decedent's Estate he giving
Security (Whereupon he together with Caleb Odell & Robert James his
Securities Underwrote & Acknowledged Bond in the Penalty of one
Thousand pounds Conditioned for his due & faithful Administra-
tion of the said Decedent's Estate (Which is Ordered to be forthwith
John Odell who in the Death of the said John Denton hath Interma-
ried with Sarah his Widow & Beloved came into Court to be sworn to the
of the ~~same~~ ^{same} herein bequeathed her. Which is also Ordered
to be Certified By the Court J. H. H. H.
In the name of God Amen the 12th Day of May Anno Domini
one Thousand Seven hundred & sixty Seven being Sick in Body but of
good & perfect Memory thanks be to Almighty God willing to mind
the uncertain State of this Transitory Life & that all Things must
yield unto Death & that it Pleaseth God to call & make & Declare
this my Last (Will & Testament) in manner & form following
First being Satisfied & Sorrowful for all my sins & most humbly Desiring
forgiveness for the same. I Commend my Soul unto Almighty God
my Father & Redeemer in Whom & by Whose merits I trust to be re-
ceived as I truly do believe I have full Remission & forgiveness for all my
sins & I humbly Desire forgiveness for the same. I Commend my Soul
unto Almighty God my Father & Redeemer in Whom & by Whose
merits I believe I shall be saved and to have full Rem-
ission & forgiveness for all my sins & to inherit the Kingdom of Heaven
and my Body I Commit to the Earth to be Decently Buried after the
(Discretion of my Executors hereafter named) for the settling of my
Temporal Estate for which God's Chances will hath Pleased God to bestow
upon me as by Order given & Disposed of in manner & form following
That to wit I give & Bequeath unto Son John Reagan one Crown piece
which he now hath in Possession. Also I give unto my Beloved wife
Mary Reagan all my Estate of Land which I now do own contain-
ing five hundred & thirty Acres to her & her assigns & hereby make & give
my Loving Wife Mary Reagan my sole Executor of this my last (Will
& Testament hereby Revoking all other former Wills by me made & hereby
due to be my last (Will & Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto
hand & seal.

John Reagan (Seal)