

Signes Seales published pronounced
and declared by this say Joseph Dodson
as his last Will and Testament in the
presence of us who in presence and in the
presence of each other have hereunto subscribed
our Names

George Dodson

Caleb Dodson

Mary ^{his} Edwards
_{mark}

At a Court held for Halifax County the 18th day of November 1773
This Will was exhibited in Court by the Exors herein Names who made tests and
being proved by the Oathes of two of the Witnesses tests was ordered to be Recorded
and on the Motion of the said Exors Certificate was granted them for obtaining
a Probate thereof in due form, giving security whereupon George Dodson and
J^{no} Frederick Miller became their security and they entered into and Acknowledged
Bonds according to Law

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P. Farrington Clk.

P. Farrington Es.

In the Name of God Amen

John Jones of the Parish of Abstrin in the County of Halifax, being weak of body but of sound
and perfect mind and memory (Says he God for this sake) do make and publish
this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following (that is to
say) I Give and devise to my eldest son David Jones one Shilling
Sterling, also I Give and devise and bequeath unto youngest son Sol Jones
one Shilling Sterling. Also I Give and devise unto my Daughter Susanna
Jones one Shilling Sterling. Also I Give and devise and bequeath unto my
Daughter Margret Jones one Cow and Calf at the day of her Marriage,
Also I Give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Jane Jones all my Goods and
Chattels of every kind and degree whatsoever I have during her Widowhood and

John Jones's

Will.

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if in case she should Marrie. I give and devise all the whole to my daughter,
Margaret Jones my Goods and Chattels, and if my Wife Jane Jones should not Marrie
she is to dispose of the whole at her death to whom she shall please to leave it to, to
them their Heirs and Assigns forever, I appoint my Wife Jane and William Douglass
Joint Executors and Executors of this my last Will and Testament desiring my
Brother in Law William Douglass to take upon him the Charge and trouble thereof
and to see the same performed according to my true intent and meaning.
And lastly I do hereby revoke all former and other Will or Wills by me made
and declare this only to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof
I being John Jones have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Fifth day of October
in the year of our Lord God One thousand seven hundred and Seventy three

Sealed and delivered
In the Presence of
Isiah Tullins
Thomas Wilson

John + Jones (Seal)
Mark

Alex^r Douglass
Robert F. Wilson
Mark

A Court held for Halifax County the 18th day of November 1773
This Will was Exhibited in Court by the Executors herein named who made
oath to it, and being proved by the Oath of two of the Witnesses hereunto
was ordered to be Recorded. And on the Motion of the said Executors Certificate
was granted them for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form of Law
Security whereupon Alexander Douglass and Peter Hall became their Security
and they entered into and acknowledged Bonds according to Law

Truly Recorded

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Haughton & Co