

I David Wade at present in a low state of health, but sound
in mind, knowing the uncertainty of all things not knowing what
fate may call me hence I dispose of my worldly goods as follows my
soul I resign to its creator in all humble hopes of its future happiness
My friends James Rayburn, Eliza Melanahan and Andrew Lewis
I appoint my Executors of this my last Will & Testament, and request
them after my Just debts are paid out of my Estate, to make the
following distribution - To my beloved wife Rebecca I give a negroe
Woman Fanny and Henry during her natural life. To my Daughter
Elizabeth I give a negroe girl Melly On the day of Marriage or when
of Age. To my son Hamilton I give a negroe Boy called Samuel
To my son John I give a negroe Girl call'd Polly - To my son James
I give a negroe Girl call'd Betty - To my son William a negroe Boy
call'd Spicer. To my son David I give a negroe Boy call'd Joe.

Isabella Spencer. To my Son David I give a Negroe Boy called Jack
at her coming to the age of twenty One, it being my wish that he live
with his mother untill that Age. My wish and desire that my
Executors do dispose of by sale in the manner they may think best
for the Interest of my family my five Dols in the Town of Salem
on One of which a Brick house stands, also a tract of Land adjoining
Salem containing One hundred twenty six Acres or thereabouts also
one tract of Land containing One hundred and thirty five Acres in the
County of Ulster out of which sales I wish my just Dols to be paid
then with a small comfortable place of residence to be purchased for
my wife & family and at her death, to be disposed of and equally di-
vided among my children if any money remains after the above
request its my wish the money if any to be on Interest and as my
children come of Age each to receive their equal share. William Boulton

venture to dispose of by sale in the manner they may think best
for the interest of my family my five lots in the Town of Salem
on one of which a brick house stands, also a tract of land adjoining
Salem containing one hundred twenty six acres or thereabouts also
one tract of land containing one hundred and thirty five acres in the
County of Ulster out of which sales I wish my just debts to be paid
then with a small comfortable place of residence to be purchased for
my wife & family and at her death to be disposed of and equally di-
vided among my children if any money remains after the above
repaid to my wife the money of any to be on interest and as my
children come of age each to draw their equal share. William Bond
in the County of Worcester purchased of me one hundred and thirty
acres of land agreeable to which twenty pounds of which is only paid

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to make him the said Bowler a sufficient title, my house & stock
of every kind, as well as beds & other furniture I have in the hands
of my wife to be disposed of to my children at his own discretion,
I hereby acknowledge this to be my last will & Testament, and
revoke all others Given under my hand and seal this 7th day
of November 1803

The words (the money of any)
interlined before signed,

David Wade Esq.

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in presence of
A. H. Robertson
Thos Lewis
James Barker

At Montgomery March Court 1806

James Burket

At Montgomery March Court 1804

This Last will and Testament of David White deceased was presented
in Court and proven by the Oath of Alexander H. Robertson as
Witness thereto and continued for further proof. And at July
Court 1804 The Same was further proven by the Oath of James
Burket an other ~~witness~~ thereto and Ordered to be Recorded

And at November Court 1804 on motion of Andrew Jones one of the
Executors therein named who read the will and entered and acknowledged
said will. Severely awarded to him certificate is granted him for
attestory a free that thereof in due form

Teste Charles Taylor Clerk