

In the Name of God ~~amen~~ I Lewis Gomer of Norfolk
County in the Colony of Virginia being Sick but of Sound Mind
and Memory Do make this my Last Will and Testament in Maner
and form following

First I Recommend my Soul to God who Gave it and in hope of
a Joyfull Resurrection at the day of Judgement and my Body to
the Earth to be decently Buried at the Discretion of my Executors
Hereafter named And as to What Worldly Goods It hath Pleas'd
God to Bless me with I give and bequeath as followeth
My Will is and I do hereby Impower my Executors or the Survi-
vers or Survivor of them to Sell to the best Advantage they can
All my Lands or such Part as they shall think proper in North
Carolina and the Money arising by such Sale to go as Appts
to my Estate, and convey the same to the Purchaser or Purchasers
by Good and sufficient Deeds in Law It is likewise my Will & Desire

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And I do further empower my said Executors or the Surviv^{rs} or
Survivor of them to sell my Land at Cape Henry, Pung, Land at
Matchapongo in Princess Anne County, and my Land at or near the
Cross Roads in Tanners Creek in Norfolk County, & convey the
same by good and lawful Deeds to the Purchasers and the
Money arising by such Sales likewise go as Assets to my Estate

My Will is and I do hereby empower my Ex^{rs} or the Surviv^{rs} or
Survivor of them as soon as conveniently can be to purchase out
of the Money ~~out of the Money~~ arising by the Sale of my Lands that
they or the Surviv^{rs} or Survivor of them purchase a Tract of Land in
this County or Princess Anne as convenient as possible of about
the Value of two Hundred pounds Curr^t Money of Virginia and the
Overplus of the Sale of my said Lands to lay out in young Negroes
Which said Land and Negroes I give the Use of to my Loving Wife
during her Natural Life or Widowhood Which shall happen first
to be ended And after her Death or Marriage I give the said

To be Laid And after her Death or Marriage I give the said Land
(Ordered to be Purchased) to my Son Joseph Cannon and his Heirs
forever

I Give and bequeath unto my Son Joseph Cannon All my
Freeing furniture with me, I will Give to him and his Heirs forever

I Give unto my Son Lewis Cannon my Clock now lying in
the Hands of Mr^r Jones in Norfolk Town I Give the same to him
and his Heirs forever

I Give unto my four Sons, Lewis, Charles, Samuel and
Lawson Cannon each One Silver hilted Sword to be sent for by my
Executors or the Surviv^r or Survivor of them or my Loving Wife
Margaret Cannon

I Give unto my Loving Daughter Mary Cannon and her
Heirs forever One Cow and calf

I Give and bequeath the Use of all the Rest of my Estate
(Not here Disposed of) both Real and Personal to my Loving Wife
Margaret Cannon

(Ordered to be purchased) To my Son Joseph Pomeroy and his Heirs
forever

I Give and bequeath unto my Son Joseph Pomeroy All my
Trailing furniture with my Small Gun to him and his Heirs forever

I Give unto my Son Lewis Pomeroy my Black Horse lying in
the Hands of Mr. Jones in Norfolk Town I Give the same to him
and his Heirs forever

I Give unto my four Sons Lewis, Charles, Samuel and
Lawson Pomeroy each One Silver hilted Sword to be sent for by
Parents or the Surviv^{er} or Survivor of them or my Loving Wife
Margaret Pomeroy

I Give unto my Loving Daughter Mary Pomeroy and her
Heirs forever One Cow and calf

I Give and bequeath the Use of all the Rest of my Estate
(Not here disposed of) both Real and Personal to my Loving Wife
Margaret Pomeroy During her Natural Life or Widowhood which

shall first happen and after her Decease or day of Marriage What
I shall give my said Loving Wife Margaret Canner for Support during
her Widowhood said the said given to my son Joseph I give with
the Remainder of my Estate be it of What Nature or Kind soever
I give the same to be Equally Divided between my six Children
Mary Canner, Jacob D Canner, Lewis Canner, Charles Canner
Samuel Canner & Lawson Canner Each an Equal Part I give
the same to each of them and their Heirs forever —

I do Appoint my Wellbeloved Friends Col^o William Bradford Sen^r
Ben^d the Elder Cap^t James Iny and M^r John Swan Attorney at
Law in North Carolina to be Executors of this my Last Will &
Testament In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand &
Seal this 25 day of October 1752 —

Signed Sealed and published
as his Last Will & Testament

Lewis Canner Seal

In presence of —

James P. H. H.

Seal this 25 day of October 1752

Signed Sealed and published
as his Last Will & Testament.

Lewis Gannett Seal

In presence of

James Shelbale

James Shelbale

Wm Sanger,

George Collins

As it hath pleased Almighty God to take from the my Friend
Capt James Iny I do hereby Appoint my Good Friends Mr Thos.
Wishart of Prince Georges County and Mr Samuel Boush Junr of
Horseshoe Borough Green and I do hereby Give them full Power to Act
Transact & do any thing Which shall be to the Advantage of my
Estate with my other Exrs or the Survivors that will Qualifie, in
as full and ample a Manner as if they had been mentioned
Within. With In Witnes whereof I have hereunto set again my hand
Seal this 11th day of November 1752

George Collins

As it hath pleased Almighty God to take from the my Friend
Capt James Iny, I do hereby Appoint my Good Friends Mr Th^o
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Hosk^{ts} Borough Esq^{rs} and I do hereby Give them full Power to Act
Transact & do any thing Which shall be to the Advantage of my
Estate with my other Esq^{rs} or the Survivors that will Qualifie, in
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Witnesses

William Iny

Edward Portlock

Lewis Cannon Seal

Test 1753 The Above Will proved & Ordered to be recorded

of Order Book

Test Sam^l Boush