

In the name of God Almighty Amen the 16th day of December 1745 I
Timothy Peaton being very sick and weak in Body but of perfect mind and
Memory, thanks be given unto God, therefore calling ^{unto} mind the mortality
of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, Do
make and order this my first and last Will and Testament, that is to say
principally and first of all I give and recommend my Soul into the
hands of God that gave it and my Body I recommend to the Earth to be
buried in decent Christian Burial at the discretion of my Executors
nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the
same again by the Mighty Power of God and as touching such worldly
Estate where with it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life I give
and dispose of the same in the following Manner & form
To James Peaton my first born Son five shillings. To William Peaton Ten
shillings. To Elizabeth Creamer the sum of five shillings and to Timothy
Peaton five shillings. There is the young Mare Bonny I give to my son
Samuel Peaton for ever and then there is the Mill I give to my dearly
beloved son Samuel Peaton after the decease of his dearly beloved Mo-
ther, then there is the Brass Kettle I give to my dear Daughter Dinah
Ewell after the death of her dear Mother, then there is everything else
I give & bequeath to my dearly beloved wife Sarah Peaton during her
Life.

demise & disposed of the same in the following Manner & form —
To James Peaton my first born Son five shillings. To William Peaton Ten
shillings. To Elizabeth Creamer the sum of five shillings and to Simon the
Peaton five shillings. There is the young Mare Bonny I give to my son
Samuel Peaton for ever and then there is the Mill I give to my dearly
beloved son Samuel Peaton after the decease of his dearly beloved Mo-
ther, then there is the Braff Fille I give to my dear Daughter Dinah
Ewell after the death of her dear Mother, then there is every thing else
I give & bequeath to my dearly beloved wife Sarah Peaton during her
Life & after her decease to be equally divided between my son Samuel
Peaton & his dear Brother Samuel Peaton — — — — —
John Britchitt, Geo. ^{his} Creamer
mark

Timothy Peaton
mark

Norfolk County The Court held the 22nd day of August 1746 —
Administration with the Will annexed is granted Sarah Peaton
on her deceased Hubbands Estate she having taken the Oath and
given Bond and Security according to Law —
John Lane Bond Day