

In the name of God Amen I James Gunn of Holloway
County, being weak of body, but sound in mind & memory,
do make and ordain this my last Will and testament, hereby
repealing all former Wills by me made, in manner and form
following. Viz first I give and bequeath to my son Spencer
Gunn all my land lying on Whitesack creek in the County of
Prince Georges including the one half of the water Grist Mill
with the appurtenances thereof, containing by estimation five
hundred acres, be the same more or less. I also give the said
Spencer Gunn, the following negroes Viz Kitt Molley and
Daniel to him and his heirs forever. I then I give and
bequeath to my ^{son} Griffin Gunn the following negroes land &c
to wit, Peter, Arney, Little David & Mr. Lilly and her child
Sarah, and Aggy & their Increase, also one hundred acres of
land, whereon my son Elisha Gunn formerly lived, known by
the name of Mayes's old place, to be made up one hundred
acres out of my own old tract, added thereto, with a
straight line made from Mills line, to Jordans line
branch, the line to be directed by any two or three good
freeholders, and also my still to him and his heirs forever,
then I leave to my daughter Polly Bradshaw, the
following negroes to wit, Betty and Loll.

... I leave to my daughter Polly Bradshaw, the
following negroes to wit, Betty and Zeph, and at her death,
I give what I have lent to her, and their increase, to her children
equally and their heirs forever — Then I give to my grandson
Gabriel Ganner, Gunn, Bradshaw, one negro boy named Nelson
to him and his heirs forever — Then I and bequeath to my daughter
Henrietta Howells, all the negroes she has in her possession of
mine, and also Joe, Sally, & Jane & their increase, and also give
her three fourths of the tract of land I now live on, except
that part, that I have given to my son Griffin Gunn,
agreeable to quantity and quality to her and her heirs forever
Then I give and bequeath to my son Elipha Gunn twenty
shillings and all of mine, that he has in possession to him
and his heirs forever — Then I give and bequeath to my
daughter Edith Vaughan, twenty shillings, and also mine
that she has in possession to her and her heirs forever —
Then I give and bequeath to my daughter Ann
Williams all of mine, that is in her possession, and also one negro boy
named Patrick to her and her heirs forever — Then I give and bequeath to
my daughter Mary Lachry, twenty shillings, and also that
part of mine, that is in her possession to her and her heirs forever —

I now give and bequeath to my son James Gunn, all of mine, he has in
his possession, to him and his heirs forever — I then give and bequeath
to my daughter Elizabeth Mills Twenty shillings, and all that she has of
mine in her possession, to her and her heirs forever — I then give and
bequeath to my daughter Sally Mills all of mine she has in her possession, &c.
also, I give her one negro girl named Pamelia, and her increase, to her &
her heirs forever — I then give and bequeath to my son William Gunn
Twenty shillings, and all of mine, that he has in his possession, to him and
his heirs forever — I then give and bequeath to my son Gabriel Gunn
all my land in the fork of Nettosay, and a fourth part of the tract
of Land, known live ox, except, that part, that I have given to my son
Griffin Gunn, a real estate quantity and quality, and also the following
negroes to wit: Johnston; Thomson; Creamy; Henry; David; Sarah,
Cola; and Patience; and every part of my estate, that is not mentioned
in this Will, I also give unto my son Gabriel Gunn, to him and his heirs
forever — I then give and bequeath to my sons Griffin and Gabriel
Gunn, my Daughter Henrietta Shucroft. Equally among them the
whole of my stock of every kind, the Household and Kitchen furniture

Given, my Daughter Henrietta Threault. Equally among them the
whole of my stock of every kind, the Household and Kitchen furniture
of every sort and kind Plantations with sel of every sort and kind and
also the whole of my crop of every sort and kind, to enable them to pay my
last debts, which I hereby require of them by this Will to do. I also give
them equally all my out standing debts, either by Bond or open accounts
to them and their heirs forever. — Lastly My Will and desire is that
there be no appraisements on my estate, I also appoint and nominate my
sons Griffin Gunn and Gabriel Gunn, and my son in Law Ephraim Threault
Executors of this my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I
have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the third day of April.

One thousand Eight hundred & seven

Signed, Sealed and Acknowledged

in the presence of

Thomas Motte

Griffin Hough

James Threault

James Gunn Senr. Secy

July Court 1807

Attorney Court June 4th 1807

On the motion of Ephraim Thwaites our executor named in this will a certificate is granted him for obtaining, ~~any~~ ^{the} having taken the oath and with securities entered into ~~and acknowledged~~ ^{acknowledged} alone for that purpose.

Attorney County Court June 11th 1807

This last will and testament of James Hood dec'd was offered for probate by Ephraim Thwaites, was proven by the Oaths of three witnesses and is ordered to be Recorded.

Francis Fitzgerald Clerk

And Inventory & Appraisement of the Estate of William Hood dec'd Taken September 16th 1806

- To 1 Leather Bed and furniture
- " 1 Walnut Chest
- " 1/2 Dozen Rush bottom Chairs
- " 1 pine Cradle

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