

mother In the name of God Amen I Swearunt mother of the County of
Rappahannock and State of Virginia being weak in body but
of sound mind and disposing memory for which I thank God
and knowing the uncertainties of life, do make this my last will
and Testament, in manner and form following, hereby revoking
all others my:

First. It is my will and desire, that all my Just debts and
funeral expences be paid.

Second. It is my will and desire, that my Recolor House after
mentioned, purchase six Silver Table Spoons, for each of my
three Daughters, and have my name inscribed, on each Spoon
and deliver the same to my three daughters, six Spoons to each
of them.

Third. I give and bequeath my Daughter Eliza Porter the
wife of John Porter, the sum of fifty five Dollars, and one
third part of the next proceeds, of whatever pension money
may be obtained by Wilfred E. Senter, who is authorized to prosecute
the same by contract, heretofore made, under a Cole Law
of Congress passed July the 11 1836. entitling me to receive the
pension of my late husband James Withers Deceased.

Fourth. I give and bequeath the residue of my estate, both Real
Personal, and mixed, to my other two Daughters Fanny and
Catharine Withers, jointly and severally, and do
hereby constitute and appoint my daughter Fanny Withers my

Three Daughters, and have my name inscribed on each Spoon
and deliver the same to my three daughters, Six Spoons to each
of them.

"Now I give and bequeath to my Daughter a Silver Plate the
wife of John Porter, the sum of fifty five Dollars, and one
third part of the net proceeds of whatever Pension money
may be obtained by Hilpin & Seale, who is authorized to procure
the same by contract, heretofore made, under a Call Law
of Congress passed July the 11 1836. entitling me to receive the
Pension of my late husband James Withers deceased.
I wish I give and bequeath the residue of my estate, both Real
Personal, and mixed, to my other two Daughters Fanny and
Catharine Withers, to be equally divided between them, and I
hereby constitute and appoint my Daughter Fanny Withers my
Executor, to this my last Will and Testament. It is further my
wish that the Court may not require security from my said Executor
in Writings when of Shewards Sir my hand and Seal this 2nd day of
December 1846

In presence of
Elizabeth Turner
Margaret McCallister
James Withers

Jessamine L. Withers

1837 at a Court held for said County of Rappahannock on the 1st day of July 1837
The last Will and Testament of Susanah Miller)
and the day calendar following, given by the oath of Frankton
Barnes and Joseph Miller) one of the subscribing witnesses thereto
was read and taken record.

And at a Court held for said County of Rappahannock on the
the 1st day of March 1838. On the motion of Mary Miller the
executrix named in the last will and Testament of Susanah Miller
deceased, which was duly proved and admitted to record at
Savannah Court last, in this Court, who made oath thereto and
entered into Bond, in the penalty of Ten Thousand Dollars, in
condition as the Law directs, Certificate is granted her to obtain
a probat thereof in due form.

Teste Wm J. Menzies & Co.

which
document

Rappahannock County Court,

December 1836

Order that Nathaniel Miller Esq and
his wife Rebecca Younger Josephus B. Barnes as one of
them of them, after being first duly sworn, appraise the
Real and personal estate of Mary Cheek deceased and
return the appraisement under their hands to the Court.

W. J. Menzies

Personally appeared
Rappahannock Co., VA Will Book A, 1833-1842
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Barnes