

In the name of god amen I John Beale of the
Parish of Lunenburg and County of Richmond being very sick
and Weak of body but sound in mind & memory thanks Be
to almighty god for it. do make and ordaine this my Last Will
and Testament hereby Revoking all former will or wills for
I Recommend my soul to god who gave it hoping for vale
Through the merits of a Blessed Redeemer, as to the worldly
Estate with which it hath been I have God to bless me
and bequeath the same in the manner following (Vizt) I give
I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Elizabeth Beale my
Chair and house to her and her heirs for ever, Item I leave
to my beloved Wife the use of all my negros. Stock of every kind
with all my household and Kitchen furniture during her natural
Life, Item it is my Will and Desire that my Estate be neither
Inventory'd nor apprais'd till after the death of my said Wife
Item I give and bequeath to my Daughters. Ann, Sarah, Mary
Quarles, Elizabeth & Charlotte, Beale each of them one neg.

from Aqueduct & bequeath to my Daughters. Anne, Elizabeth,
Guarantee, Elizabeth & Charlotte. Beale each of them one neg.
Gale such as they shall separately make Choice of as soon
they shall arrive at years of Discretion to them & their heirs
for ever. After my Wifes Discease live my will & Devise
that all my then Estate be Equally Devided amongst my
Surviving Children. Lastly I appoint John Currier Sam.
Currier & Richard Edwards Executors in conjunction wth
my wife of this my Last Will and Testament & likewise
Guardians to my Children As Witnesses my hand and seal
this 2^d day of December & in the year of our Lord 1766;

Sign'd and Seal'd

In Presence of

William Buckland

Job Thomas

Job Thomas Jun^r

John Beale

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At A Court Held for Richmond County the 1st day of Aug^r 1767
This will was Presented in Court by Elizabeth Beale one of the
Exors therein named Who made oath thereto according to Law
and being Proved by the oath of William Buckland Job Tho^s
& Job Thomas Jun^r the witnesses thereto were admitted to Record
and a true and correct copy of the same was certified to the Clerk of the Court

At A Court Held for Richmond County the 7th day of Aug^r 1767
 This will was presented again in Court by John Evertice on
 of the Exors therein named Who made oath thereto according
 and on his motion & giving Security a Certificate is granted
 obtaining a Probate thereof in Due Form

Test LeRoy Peachey

In Obedience to an order of Court dated Jan^y 9th 1767 We
 Names are underwritten have appraised the Estate of Thomas
 Deed being sworn before William Pinckentrough Gent.

	£	s	d		£	s	d
One negro man with	30	0	0	one mane Saddle	1	0	0
Negro Name	30	0	0	10 Chains	0	1	0
one yoke oxen	6	0	0	1 Desk	1	10	0
one D ^o	5	0	0	a Parcel of old books	0	2	0
A Cords & Quarlenger	6	0	0	1 Large Table	0	5	6
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