

On Rockbridge Court June 1 - 1796

This Inventory and Settlement of the estate of Alexander
Guffy Deceased was returned pursuant to an Order of a former Court
and Ordered to be Recorded.

Teste

Geo. Reid C. C. C.

In the Name of God Amen This
the twenty fourth Day of September in the year of our Lord one thous-
and Seven hundred and Ninety four I John Page of Rockbridge
County and State of Virginia being in health and of a sound
mind and memory thanks to God for such a blessing And call-
ing to mind the mortality of my Body and that it is appointed
for all men once to die; do make my last will and Testament
as followeth That is to say I first recommend my Soul to God
that gave it and my Body I recommend to the earth to be

buried in a Christian Decent manner at the discretion of my
 Executors hereafter mentioned, in firm hope that at the ge-
 neral resurrection I shall receive the same by the almighty pow-
 er of God, And as to what worldly estate it hath pleased God to
 bless me with in this life, I Give Bequeath and Devise in the
 following manner (to Wit) My Will is that all my just debts
 and funeral expences be paid out of my personal estate by
 my Sons William and Jonathan. * * * * *

Item I Give unto my Loving Wife a Bed and Furni-
 ture and one third of the rest of the household furniture and
 my roan and mare and her two colts likewise the possession of
 a part of my mansion house during life as also the negro
 wench Phillis and two cows and to be maintained by my
 sons William and Jonathan during her Natural life and for
 her use. + + + + +

Item I Give to my Oldest Daughter Grissel the sum of

Five Shillings as she received her part before. ++ + + + + +

Item I Give unto my sons William and Jonathan all the land I now possess. Except Two Hundred and Thirty three Acres which my son Thomas now lives on, with all its appurtenances to them their heirs or assigns and each to have an equal share of both land and Stock. I also allow my sons William and Jonathan to maintain their mother her lifetime. ++ + + + + +

Item I Give to my Son James the sum of five shillings Virginia Currency he having received his part before.

Item I Give to my son Thomas the land he now lives on containing Two Hundred and Thirty Three Acres with all its appurtenances to him his heirs or assigns for ever. ++ + + +

Item I Give to my youngest Daughter Rebekah the sum of Five shillings she having received her part before. And I appoint my son Jonathan and John Spencer Executors

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Item I Give to my youngest Daughter Rebecca the
sum of Two Shillings she having received her part before.
And I Appoint my son Jonathan and John Greenlee Execu-
tors of this my last Will and Testament and do hereby
revoke and disannul all former Wills by me made in

and confirm this only to be my last Will and Testament by these presents. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal the Day and Year first above written.

Signed Sealed Pronounced and declared by said John Poage as his last Will and Testament in presence of

John Poage Jr.

Dario Millock

James Poage

John Greenlee

At Rockbridge Court June 1st 1803

This writing purporting the last Will and Testament of John Poage Deceased was produced in Court by John Greenlee surviving Executor herein named who refusing to take upon himself the burthen of the Executorship and was then proved by the oath of the said Greenlee & James Poage & Dario Millock with full power and ordered to be Recorded.

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the burthen of the Executorship and was then proved by the oath
of the said Greenlee & James Poyner Subscribing witnesses
and ordered to be Recorded.

Teste

Alfred B.

And at a Court held for the aforesaid County of Rockbridge
the 5th day of July 1803.

On the motion of Joseph Allen who made Oath according
to Law Certificate is granted him for Obtaining Letters of Administra-
tion of the estate of John Poage Senr. deceased with the Well annexed,
who with John Caruthers his Security entered into & acknowledged
bond in the sum of five thousand dollars conditioned according to
Law.

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James Poyner

John Greenlee