

In the name of God Amen I George Heller of the
First Parish & County of Shenandoah in the State of Virginia being at Present
of sound memory tho in a weak State of health do hereby make this
my last will and Testament which I do in the following Manner & in the
first place I give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Barbara one full
third part or an Equal share with my children herein after Mentioned
which she shall choose after my Decease out of my Personal Estate dur-
ing her Natural life and the use of my two Plantations untill my son
Jacob Heller shall arrive to his full age of Twenty one Years & peaceable
possession on the Plantation whereon I now live both house & stable room
garageon & after the arrival of & coming to his lawful age of Twenty one
years then my said Wife Barbara to have only one third of the use
of the Plantations whereon I now live during her Natural life and to
live on & my said son Jacob on the Plantation he shall make charge of
at his coming up to his full age & possession of both Plantations as herein
after shall be more Expressly and provided.

And I bequeath & give unto my son Jacob the charge of my two Plan-
tations the one lying on Fowlsford whereon I now live the other on the

East side of the North River Shemandoah and County aforesaid Tracts
Parcels of Land respectively thereto belonging with every of the Appur-
tenances which he shall make choice of at his coming to his said
full Age aforesaid of either one and shall thereafter Whosoever his
mother may wife During her Natural life One full third of the use of
purchasable ~~portion~~ of house ~~room~~ hablage garden & as aforesaid and
~~the plantation~~ ~~the~~ ~~my~~ ~~may~~ ~~son~~ ~~shall~~ ~~have~~ ~~made~~ ~~chose~~ ~~as~~ ~~as~~ ~~aforesaid~~

Then such Plantation I give & devise to him and his lawful heirs
and after the death aforesaid and my said son shall not have power
to dispose it off to any stranger other than his heirs During his
Natural life nor to grant any lease or leases a longer term than

Ten years nor any of them
Then I give & Devise the Other Plantation left after the making choice
by my said son Jacob aforesaid & line aforesaid to my said other child
and their heirs and assigns of this mine for ever and my said
Estate on share and share alike at the time aforesaid & mine
and mine if my said other child shall be a male child

that is to say my Daughters Elizabeth ~~Smith~~ the wife of Joseph ~~Smith~~
& Mary Shireman the wife of ~~William Shireman~~ ~~Daniel~~ ~~and~~ ~~Madeline~~
& Barbara Haller if in case they ~~should~~ ~~not~~ agree amongst themselves
or their lawful heirs or a Divisor or my said Plantations left to them
as aforesaid, and the Personal Estate without a Sale thereof that then I
direct and Order that said Plantations may be sold and the money
arising from such a sale to be Equally Divided amongst my, four
Daughters Last Mentioned share & share alike at the time within
Mentioned & convey the same to any persons or persons forever
I direct & order the consideration of the use of both my Plan-
tations given and bequeathed herein to my said Wife during the full
Term of Time until my said son Jacob comes to ~~the~~ Age of Twen-
ty one Years my said son Jacob shall stay and be with my said wife
during his minority as aforesaid & provide for him during that
time all necessaries and I do appoint my two sons John & David to be
Guardians over him the time aforesaid which I shall likewise
appoint Executors.

Item, I direct and order if in case any or either of my said
Children should die under Age or unmarried that their such
part or share herein given & bequeathed shall go & pass to the survivors.

Will. I do hereby nominate and appoint my sons
in law Joseph Smith & Adam Sherman junior to be my exors.
to this my last will and Testament ratifying & allowing this
& no other to be my last will & Testament Intwined whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal this Twentieth Eighth day of December
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & Eighty seven

Witnessed Published & Declared
by George Miller as his last will
& Testament in the presence of us
who subscribe our names of witness
in the presence of the Testator

George Miller

Alexander Hale

Wily M. Rowland

George Cobb

At a Court held for the County of Shannandoah on
a Thursday the 1st day of January 1818

The last will and Testament of George Miller was
shown to the Court by Joseph Smith & Adam Sherman junior
and was found to be the last will and Testament of the said

refers thereto and is to be recorded in the motion of the said Court
What thereof is granted them they having sworn to the same before Honor and
Security according to Law.

Test John Williams C. J. & C.

Know all men by these presents that we Joseph Snapp & Adam Thurman
Joint Administrators of the Estate of George Peller deceased and his natural
bondsmen Abraham Paul Abraham Mackin John Anderson & Michael Shagle
Gentlemen Justices of the County of Shenandoah in the sum of Two Thousand
hundred current money of Virginia to the which payment will and truly to be
made to the said Justices and their successors the time our selves or each
of our heirs Executors and Admors. Jointly and severally jointly by these presents
sealed with our seals and dated this 31st day of January 1846.

The condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above
bondsmen Joseph Snapp & Adam Thurman Joint Executors of the last will and
Testament of George Peller do make or cause to be made a true & perfect
Inventory of all and singular the goods chattels & credits of the said George
Peller which have or shall come to the hands or possession of the said Joseph
Snapp & Adam Thurman, &c. or into the hands or possession of any other
person or persons for them and the same as made & exhibited in course so