

July Court 2 N D C 1771

In the Name of God amen I Charles Gee of the County of Sussex being sick
and weak of body but of sound mind and memory thanks be to Almighty God for the same
therefore calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing it is appointed for all
men once to die I do make and Order this to be my last Will and testament in
manner and form as followeth First and principally I Recommend my Immortal soul
into the hands of Almighty God that gave it me hoping through the merits of my blessed
Saviour to inherit Life Everlasting and as to my mortal body I Recommend it to the earth
from whence it was taken to be buried at the discretion of my fellow Christians first my
will is that my Just Debts be paid Secondly I leave my real Estate as followeth
First I give unto my son Benjamin Gee the plantation he now lives on in Lunenburg
County with two hundred and eighty four acres of land there to belonging to him
and his heirs and assigns for ever

Second I give unto my son Jesse Gee my plantation where I now live with four hundred
and twenty five Acres of Land there belonging to him his heirs and assigns forever

Third I leave my stock of Cattle to be equally divided between my two sons John
Gee and Jesse Gee to them and their heirs forever

Fourth I leave all my Negroes to be sold by Executors together with all the residue
& Remainder of my Estate of what kind or Quantity so ever it be and the money
therefrom arising to be equally divided amongst all my Children To wit James Gee,
Charles Gee, William Gee, Henry Gee, Benjamin Gee, John Gee, Noel Gee, Jesse
Gee, Elizabeth Branson Come over Hereto to them and their heirs and assigns for
ever My will and desire is that my Estate may not be appraised

Lastly I nominate and appoint my two sons Saml Gee, & Henry Gee Executors
of this my last will and Testament In Witness whereof I have set my hand and
affix my seal this fourth day of January in the Year of our Lord Christ One
thousand seven hundred and seventy eight

Signed & Sealed
in the presence of us
Richard Carter
Joshua Jefferson
Benjamin Reeves Esq.

Charles Gee Esq.

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2 Anno Regni Caroli Georgii Tertii Regis

At a Court held for His Grace's County the 19th of August 1760
The Last will and testament of Charles Gee, deceased was presented into Court by Benjamin Gee
and Henry Gee the Executors therein named who made Oath, that as the last will and the
same was proved by the Oaths of Richard Carter and Benjamin Rivers both two of
the most honest men and by the Court ordered to be recorded And on the motion of the
said Executors certificate is granted them for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form

Teste
Augustine Blackmore Clerk

In the Name of God Amen I Charles Gee of His Grace's County being
Indisposed of body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be to Almighty God for the same Do
make, ordain, this to be my last will and Testament, as followeth to wit
I Give and bequeath to my Loving Wife Ann Gee one feather bed & furniture one mare
and six saddle one bridle and one trunk and two leather Chaises and five head of Cattle two
ponies, Pishes and three potatoes one Gun pot and I leave the use of my two negroes Viz^t Tommy &
Lucy to my wife during her widowhood
I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Briggs her heirs forever one Negro
woman called Tommy one Negro Girl named Prudence, two cows and calves one young mare
called Tommy white stockings one three Gallon stone Jug
I Give and bequeath to my Son Richard Gee and his heirs forever all the land and
plantation I have and do own on the Aspinowock Swamp also one Negro fellow named Sam and
one Negro Girl named Tab one mare bridle & saddle, one feather bed and furniture one
bridle one Gun pot four head of Cattle and one pointer dish one measure of three potatoes one
Gun one three Gallon stone Jug
I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Gee and her heirs forever one Negro
woman called Tommy one Negro Boy called Harry one feather bed and furniture one pointer
dish and three plates one bridle and three head of Cattle and one three Gallon stone
Jug
I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Gee and her heirs forever one Negro

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Anno Regni Undecimo Georgii Tertii Regis. 287

November 19th 1768.

The Inventory of Charles Lee Deceased Estate,

One Gun one fso. a parcel of old iron thirty seven head of Hogs, seven Sheep, a parcel of Cotton, six Negroes three Mares
one hand Saw, one nest three Axes two casks, two Beds and furniture, one Bag — sixteen Geese, one iron Pestle,
four Chairs a parcel of old Pewter, four Pewter Dishes a pair Shoes, punches & Nippers one Gallon Jug, a pair Stilliards
one Box iron one heater a parcel of Wool one Spinning Wheel two pots & pot hooks a pair of Sheep Shears one Bell
twenty Cattle, a parcel of Tobacco a parcel of Corn. Benjamin Reeves Bond £70-15-2, Lambys Bond £16-15-10
James Lee £2-2-6 William Lee £12 Henry Lee for Rent £1 James Bonner of 16 Charles Lee £1-16-6.

Henry Lee Esq^r

The Court held for Superior Courts the 24 day of March 1771.

This Inventory of the Estate of Charles Lee Deceased was returned & by the Court ordered to be Recorded.

Teste C. A. Ashborne Clk.