

my hand and affixed my seal this twentieth day of February A^d 1778
thousand seven hundred & seventy eight.

Signed Sealed Published and
declared to be the last will and
testament of the above named
W^m Hancock in presence of
Robert Magee
William M^cEldon
Catharine M^cEldon.

William Hancock 

At a Court held for Sussex County the 21st day of May 1778

The last will and testament of William Hancock dec^d was presented
into Court by Rebecca Hancock and John Mason the executors and Exors
therein named who made oath thereto as the law directs and the same
was proved by the oaths of William M^cEldon and Catharine M^cEldon the wit-
nesses thereto and by the Court ordered to be recorded and on the motion of
the said Rebecca & John Certificate is granted them for obtaining a Probate
thereof in due form.

Tooke

William Claiborne jun^r C. C. C.

In the name of God Amen I Warrick Silman of the County of Sussex
and Parish of Albemarle being sick and weak but of sound and disposing
mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will & testament in
manner and form following. First and Principally I recommend soul
into the hands of him that gave it and my body to be decently buried at
the discretion of my Executors hereafter named - touching my worldly
Estate I dispose of as followeth. Viz^t. I give I give Warrick Silman Alias
Davis one shilling Sterling. I give Peter Jennings my Gun. I give
William Scoggin all my wearing apparel. My will and desire is that
all the residue of my Estate be kept on my plantation, that my wife be
generally maintained out of the same without waste during her con-
tinuance as my widow and what ever should be made more than will
maintain my said wife & wife's for meate Scoggin Son of William
Scoggin. Item I give all the residue of my Estate, after paying my debts
and Legacies before devised, be it of what kind or quality so ever to for-
meate Scoggin Son of William Scoggin and to his heirs forever. Lastly I
Nominate and appoint my friends Nicholas Selridge and John Mason
junior Executors of this my last will and testament revoking & do hereby
all other wills before by-made to be void. Witness my hand & seal this 11th
day of December 1776.

Signed by the Testator in
presence of.

Richard Christie

William Weaver

Edward E W Weaver

mark.

Warrick W. Silman 
mark.

At a Court held for Sussex County the 21st day of May 1778.

The last will and testament of Warrick Silman dec^d was presented into