

Improvements. One Tract of Land on the N. Island known by
half Moon bluff and Lion Young Negroes say little Hannah
Murreiah Abraham Peggys Rachel Will and Phoebe but in case
she should die before she arrives to the age of fifteen years or day
of Marriage the said property to be equally divided betw my Sons
Walter and John Baker

Item I give and bequeath unto my Son in Law. Nathaniel Lapin, Two Hundred and fourty pounds Sterling to be paid out at Interest for him as soon as my Executors can conveniently settle my affairs -

He told him when he arrives to the age of twenty years -
 Item. It is my Will that after the payment of all my Just debts
 and funeral Expence. that the remaining Part of my Est. Real
 & Personal. that have not been expressed in my Will. be sold and
 equally divided among those already mentioned in this my Will -

Lastly - I do hereby constitute and appoint my Thos. Pons, Stephen Whit-
man and John Baker, and my Nephew Artemas Baker,
Executors of this my last will and Testament - In Witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the first day of
August in the year of our Lord one thousand Two Hundred
and Eighty Nine

Signed Sealed published and
attested by the within John Baker
in presence of us who subscribe our
names in presence of John Baker
John Lawton Junr.
Ad. Chamberlain.
J. Hardy 500

John Baker

In the name of Jesus Christ I Edward Ball of the Parish of St. John in the Province of Georgia Planters being in health of Body and perfect Mind Unanimously thanks be given unto God knowing that it is appointed for all men one to die, Do make & Ordain this my last Will and Testament That is to say Principally & first of all I give and recommend my -

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I wish into the Hands of Almighty God that gave it and my body I recommend
to the Earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executors; and as touching such
Worldly Estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me with in this life I give
over and give of the same in the following manner and form
First I give by bequest to Rebecca Ball my dear & beloved Wife the whole
of my Estate real or in the Province of Massachusetts during her natural
life, I give by bequest to my well beloved Wife Rebecca Ball an
equal share with my Child or Children both of my real and personal Estate
and it is my desire if my Children should live that each of them should share
alike of my Estate real and personal. Next it is my desire that John Smith
should have a proper Maintenance out of my Estate during his life, and
likewise that my Father Bartholomew Ball should have a proper Mainte-
-nance out of my Estate at the discretion of my Executors. Then it is my will
that if in case my Children should die under age that their part be equally
divided between Sampson Ball, William Ball, (my Brother) and Elizabeth
Thompson (Daughter of my Sister Thomson) John Mikel (son of my Sister
Mikel) and the first born Child of Hugh Gely by my Sister
undoubtedly I appoint and ordain Rebecca Ball my beloved Wife Sam-
-son, and John Bacon, Thomas Bacon, Sampson Ball, James Thomson
and Adm. Ball their my Executors of this my last will & Testament and
impower them to bargain buy & sell as they shall think best, In Witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this thirteenth day of March in
the year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty seven

Witness, sealed, Published, Pronounced and declared
by the said Edward Ball as his last will & Testament
in the presence of us in his presence and in presence of each
Other have hereunto subscribed our Names

Edward Ball

Elizabeth Lewis
Mr. Armstrong
John Smith

of St. John
Perfect Mind
into do you
Testament
and my -