

of my said wife I allow the providence of living on the 1st track I
satisfying the same during her life if she chooses to continue thereon
Further I do hereby constitute & appoint my beloved Wife Lucy Cook my brother
Thomas Cook my nephew John Cook & Richard Henry Executors of this my will
hereby revoking all former wills, I declaring this to be my last will & testament
Sign^d Seal^d & publish^d I declare this day & date just above written In presence of
James King

Hazel Reuther Suror

Richard R C Cook

Elihu King

read

or much by himself

In the name of God Amen I Elizabeth Duncan of
Fredell County in the State of North Carolina being weak and sick of body
but of perfect mind & memory (thanks be to God) do make & ordain this my
last will & testament. First I Give & bequeath to my Grand Daughter Elizabeth
Calahan my bed & all the clothes belonging to it which is all I have Also all the Sea-
equipment I have with my hat also three plates two porrygen basons 5 your spoons & silver bowl
Also to my Grand Daughter Peggy Calahan I Give & bequeath two of my best Gowns
my mantle & Clasp & three of my best petticoats together with my largest pewter
Dishon 5 your spoons one linen handkerchief one fine apron one fine Shift & young pair
hot Blanket & one linen handkerchief Also to my grand Son Benjamin Calahan
I Give & bequeath my best hat & one short cloth Also to my daughters Mary & Susan
I Give & bequeath the remaining part of my clothes not yet bequeathed Also to my
Grand son Robert Calahan I Give & bequeath my bible basons four gold Plate & sticks
supperations Also to my Grand Daughter Martha Dobson I Give & bequeath

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to be my last will & testament I do utter by disallow revoke & annul every other
former will & testament whatever In Witness whereof I have hereunto annexed
my hand & affixed my seal this 18th Day of March 1803 signed sealed
& published & pronounced in presence of

Andrew Hippatrick Suras

Margaret Bone (read)

Elizabeth & Duncan

In the name of God Amen

I William Davidson of the County of Iredell in the State of North Carolina being
sick and in a low condition but thanks be to God am in sound mind & memory therefore
calling to remembrance the mortality of the Body do this twentyfifth day of the
month of March in the year of Our Lord 1803 make & Ordain this my last Will & Testament
And first I recommend my Soul to God who gave it me & my Body I recom-
mend to the dust there to be buried in a Christian & decent manner at the discretion
of my Executors. And as touching such worldly estate as I am possessed of I leave
it to bequeath as followeth. I first of all I allow so much of my personal prop-
erty to be sold as may be sufficient to pay my just debts the property to be such
as my Executors may think can be best spared out of my estate Unto my beloved
Wife Polly I leave a good Horse saddle & bridle two beds with there furniture in this
of the kitchen & a large board furniture three cows & three calves six head of sheep
ther choice of my three negroes & I hereby provide that ther choice be made within
three months after my decease