

all my former Wills, Testaments & bequests by me for
= surely made Ratifying, Approving & declaring this to be
my last Will & Testament, to the date above mentioned
Proceedings, ~~the~~ ^{which} ~~are~~ ^{are} ~~by~~ ^{by} him.
The said Wm. Reed as his last Will and
Testament the day & Year first above written

In presence of us

Thomas Allison
Simon Van Pelt
David Freeman

Wm. Reed {
Seal
of
the
County
of
Chester
Land
of
the
State
of
New
York
1805

In the name of God Amen, I the undersigned Wm. Reed of the County
of Chester Land of the State of New York being very sick &
weak in body but of perfect mind & memory thanks be given
unto God calling unto mind the mortality of my body & know-
ing that it is appointed for all men once to die, Do make and
Declare this my last Will & Testament, that is to say Principally
& first of all I give & recommend my soul unto the hands of
almighty God that gave it, & my body I recommend to the
Earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the dis-
cretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at the
General resurrection I shall receive the same again by
the mighty power of God and as touching such worldly
Estates whereunto it has pleased God to bless me in this life
I give devise & dispose of the same in the following manner
& form First I give & bequeath to Eliza with my dearly
beloved daughter the sum of Twenty five pounds lawful money
of the State of New York to be paid & given
out of my Estate together with the Gray mare & a Colt be-
longing to the same & a Saddle saddle my best & best horse the
value of my metal pots that is to say one Iron pot, a dish
of pewter & likewise three plates of silver a half a dozen
of spoons & dishes two milk cows viz Mary & wise keep
a Heifer according to her own joy to choose the same my
flax all together for the use of my wife & children

kind now growing in my field. Likewise aspinning
 to work on the rest of all my moveable goods
 Secondly, My bed and chamber is to be sold two months after
 my decease. All the rest of my moveable goods & Chattels
 is likewise to be sold for Gold or Silver money my
 children are all & every one of them to be taught &
 educated in the Christian Religion
 especially my sons are to be employed to some honest
 Trade & to become Tradesmen & Writers. Lastly I constitute
 make & ordain Mr. Mark House & Daniel Garret
 my Executors of this my last will & Testament; And I
 do hereby utterly disclaim, revoke & disannul all
 & every other former Testaments, Wills, Legacies bequests
 & Executors by me in anywise before named written &
 or otherwise, Authenticating & confirming this & no other to be
 my last will & Testament. In witness whereof I have here
 unto set my hand & seal the 1st day of May in the year
 of our Lord 1726 -

Signed, Sealed, pronounced, & declared by the said
 Augustinus Reck in his last will & Testament
 in the presence of us who in his presence & in
 the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names
 & signatures signed in Dutch.

Augustinus Reck *Test.*
 In the name of God Amen, I Christian Christen of the
 County of Utrecht Landgrave of the State of Hollandia
 being very sick & weak in body but of perfect mind &
 memory. Thanks be to God calling unto mine the Morta-
 lity of my body & knowing that it is appointed for all
 men once to die, do make & ordain this my last will &
 Testament. I first of all I give & recommend my soul
 unto the hand of Almighty God that gave it & my be-
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 stian burial at the discretion of my Executors. I do
 desire that but at the general Resurrection I shall