

following manner & given to her fifty pounds apiece to my two
daughters as the case may be more than to my daughter or daughter
I will to my wife a sum equal to the sum or sum or something
may arise from the above sums to my female heir or heirs pay-
able by my executors - And I do hereby appoint my father-in-law
Alexander Ferguson & Robert Irwin my brother my, whole & sole
executors of this my last will & Testament. And I make my loving
friend Benjamin Patten bearer of my last will to take care
of the same performed according to my true intent & meaning
I do hereby revoke & disannul all other former wills &
Testaments. In witness whereof I have to this my last will and
Testament set my hand & seal this 10th day of May in the year of
our Lord 1783 - Subd. Published & declared by the
above named William Irwin for his last will &
Testament in presence of us.

James Scott
William Whitey
John Maylie }

William Irwin ^{Seal}

" In the name of God amen. I Alexander Ferguson considering
the mortality of my body & that it is appointed unto man once
to die & after this the judgment. Being very sick & now but enjoying
my present sense & memory ... I do give & bequeath unto my loving
wife one bed & furniture on Due Care & Help one red bird &
one orange bird & her yester, the fourth part of the money
of her father's estate that is now in the hands of Alexander
Prestie, also the brown horse Dick & his whole household
furniture, except two beds, also one white & black, also a
piano & all gears belonging to it, one ox, three hens, also
a black mare & colt, also one sow & two & two barrows,
also a black & white cow & the bell that she has one now
also one market gun, also the notes that is due now
from John Bennett the sum of Twenty two, bound ten
shillings, another £2, 12s. this I give unto her upon
her undoubting & if she sees cause to may, a child
part of her estate - I also give unto my son Mathew

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one Deer Horn, one picket Horn & picket Gun being one hundred
Blanket one shot Gun, one coat jacket & breeches - I also give
to my son Richard the Deer Horn, one red Coat & breeches,
one pocket one killing knife one bed & blanket one shot Gun
after the other property is sold & the debts paid up there is
any over plus it is to go to said Richard.

Also also the two or 3 guns I give to my wife, also below are
two guns, one Coats Horn, two Sangers, two Clippets, & hand
gun & a drawing knife, one Brown horse, one saddle & bridle
two Scars & Shoots & all other articles not mentioned & intended
to be sold to pay my unpaid Debts all this of my own free
will & word & freely do in witness where unto these set my
hand & seal this 15th day of June 1785.

Patrick Jackson

Samuel Thompson

Also Thompson Hargrove & my wife below I appoint as execu-
tors to my estate

In the Name of God Amen. I Patrick Jackson being of sound mind
& memory do make my last Will & Testament my Estate in the following
manner premises, I do will my whole personal estate to my
Beloved wife my Goods & Chattels, also the remanent house & lot of my
House & lots while she liveth I do bequeath unto her, after her death
the House & lots are to be sold & the price thereof divided among
the persons viz my, son Daughter Mary Alexander, Margaret
Wilson, Charity Dyer, Jane Bennett & Sally Nicholson this
15th is my grandson Patrick Jackson each of these now will
have to receive in equal sume of the money arising from
the sale of the aforementioned House & lots -

and I do now constitute & appoint James Jackson & Joseph
Nicholson to be my executors trusting they will see this last
Will & Testament of mine properly executed - 3rd I do now
disavow & make void all former wills which have not
now been made by me - witness my hand & seal this 19th
day of May in the year of our Lord 1780

Witness