

In the name of God Amend. Know all men by
these presents, that I Thomas Epon of Wilmington, being of
sound mind and memory, but weak in body, do make
this my last Will and Testament in manner and form fol-
owing, viz,

I do leave all my estate of whatever kind or kinds it may
be to my daughter, Janet Epon after the payment of my funeral
charges and just debts. And as there is a sum of nine, pounds
or upwards, due from the Sheriff of New Hanover County for an
execution against the estate of Andrew Raudeson dec^d, which
property has been sold to satisfy the same, its my desire that
my Executors do lay out said sum in negro girls or young
servantes for my aforesaid daughter, Janet. Its my desire that
my weaning apparel may be sold, and my tools &c, and the
monies arising from said sales to be appropriated to my daugh-
ter's use as may be necessary for her from time to time. And
as my good friend Mrs. Hingley has a wish to take my daugh-
ter, and raise her, it is my request that she may have her, and
in case my daughter should die before marriage or before she
arrives at the age of twenty one, in that case I do leave and
bequeath all my estate to my brother, Archibald Epon in the
Shire of Angus in North Britain; and that the same should
be remitted him in the best manner, my Executors seeing, so that
there might be as little loss as possible in getting the same remitted
him.

Lastly. I do appoint and constitute George Logue and Alex-
Hostler as my whole and sole executors to this my last Will and
Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto put my hand
and seal this 28th day of October, 1782.

Signed, Sealed and delivered }
in presence of }

Henry Rocks
Daniel Cobett

Thomas Epon. (Seal)

New Hanover County }
January Term 1791 }
The within last Will and Testament

of Thomas Epon, was proved in due form of law by Henry
Rocks a subscribing witness thereto,

Thos. MacLaine. Clk