

John Pate, Will

In the name of God amen. I John Male of Northampton County
being in perfect health & disposing memory Calling to mind
the uncertainty of this transitory life am willing to make
my will & dispose of my worldly Estate as follows. After
bequeathing my soul to almighty God that gave it me
and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my
Executors after my funeral expenses discharged and my
Debts are paid, I give & bequeath the rest of my Estate as follows.

Item I give & bequeath unto my son Richard Beale three hundred acres of land at Chatsky and two hundred & fifty six acres where any son of mine did live to him & his heirs forever, also all the stock of hogs belonging to the land at Chatsky.

Agree and bequeath to my son William Beale my manse
plantation wherein I now live and all the land there unto
belonging, alla forty acres adjoining Wm Ruffin to him
his heirs forever, also all my stock of hogs belonging the
saide forty acres adjoining William Ruffin.

Further my wife and I desire is, that all my negroes except what is here
after a way be equally divided between my two sons Richard
Deals & William Deals to remain them & their increase
to them & their heirs forever also all my stock of horses Cattle
& sheep to be equally divided between my two sons, and my
stair, handmill, whiff saw & crop cut saw for both their
uses and not to be divided and all my household utensils
to be equally divided between them, except the use & occupa-
tion of the above mentioned premises, as are left to my wife

Item I give Shigwath to my Daughter Putaner Lookhart my negro
girl rather Black than white and my negro fullow called
Caff to her she is his forever

Further, my will & desire is that my living wife Melbrey Pease shall have the use & occupation of my Men, & Plantations and the Stock of aid kinds, to it belonging & all my household goods and the balance of my Slaves during her natural life and all the remaining part of my Estate

Back real & Personal Ojine to my two sons Richard and Maurice
Klein to be & jointly division between them & their heirs & assigns
I give & bequeath to my grand daughter Mary Livingston one
flashed bed & furniture two Cane Seaters, two Saus & pigs
three silver dishes six plates one Iron pot & frying pan.
Now for the trust & Confidence I put in my friend John
Dawson and John Wadsworth, I do appoint them Executors
of this my Last will and this I own to be my Last will
Testament Revoking & disallowing of all other Wills before
by me made In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand & affix my seal this 10 day of October 1754

Wm Ruffin, Demagogue.

David Rich,

John Pratt & usual

Northampton County N. H. November Court 1799.
The preceding case of John Paul and was submitted into
Court and a proven on the oath of Company Hunter & David
Rice two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, at the same
time Am Bridger was called off and deposed there off,
which on motion was ordered to be certified & recorded.

John A Edwards clerk

Thomas Green: Will

In the name of God amen. I Thomas Green of Warrington County in the Province of North Carolina being at present in perfect health sound mind & memory thanks be to God therefore Calling to mind the mortality of my body I do Con-
-stitute and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner & form following that is to say, first I humbly
-ly I Commend my soul into the hands of God trusting
through the merits of Christ & passion of my blessed
Saviour to have full & free pardon & forgiveness of all my
sins to inherit Everlasting life, and as for my body I
Commit it to the Earth from whence it was taken to be

buried in a Christian like decent manner at the Dis-
cretion of my Executors hereafter named, and astonish-
ing all such temporal Estate as it hath pleased almighty
God to bestow upon me I give and dispose thereof in the
manner & form following.

- I give unto my loving daughter Mary Worsle five Shillings
 I give unto my loving daughter Ann Gay five Shillings
 I give unto my loving Son Thomas Brown five Shillings
 I give unto my loving son John Brown the Plantation whereon
 I now live with all the Land thereunto belonging, also my
 other Crop & worm, I also give unto my son John Brown all
 the remainder & residue of my Estate within doors & without
 doors.

And I do nominate & appoint my well beloved son John to run
my hale and sole executor of this my last will & testament
disannulling revoking & making void all other wills heretofore
by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand &
seal this 23^d day of October 1759.

Signed sealed & delivered in presence of us — Thomas Youn & associates,

Thomas Grant & ascal.

Wm. Ingham, Henry Wheeler, ^{his} ^{mark} Parks
Northampton County 10 November Court 1760

The preceding will of Thomas Gran was also exhibited into Court and proved on the oath of Mr. Magness & Henry Wheeler two of the subscribing witnesses thereto; at the same time John Gran was qualified Executor thereof, which was ordered to be Certified & Recorded.

John Edwards. Clerk

James Sherard Will

In the name of God Amen; This the tenth day of July in the
year of our Lord Christ, one thousand seven hundred sixty
three I James Stewart of the County of Northampton being sick
& weak of body but of perfect mind & memory thus begin

unto God; therefore do make & ordain this my last will & testament in manner & form following, that is say, first & principally I give my soul unto the hand of God who gave it me & my body I commend to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter, nothing doubting but at the General resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God; & as touching such worldly estate as herewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life, I give & devise the same in manner & form following.

- Then I give Hingham unto my son James Shuard my plantation &
 track of land whereon I now live to him this time for ever.
 Then I give Hingham unto my sons John Shuard & James Shuard
 & survey of land that have now entered; to them & their heirs for
 ever.

- them all the rest of my estate I lend unto my dear beloved wife
Martha Shurtant, to raise her small children upon during
her life or if a widow, then to be equally divided between
all my children; and after my last will & testament I
make and give & appoint my truly & ever beloved friend
James Sapiter Son & Joseph Sapiter Executors; & affirm this
to be my last will & testament. Signed sealed & delivered
in the presence of us.

Samuel Thomas
Jacob Laporte
Joseph Laporte

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Northampton County for November Court 1860.
The preceding will of Jonas Sherard being duly exhibited
into Court, I sworn on the oath of Samuel Thomas one
of the subscribing witnesses thereto; at the same time James
Lapater Sen & Joseph Lapater were qualified Executors
thereof which was ordered to be Certified & Recorded
Attest & Given under my hand