

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 aern jayning Wm Ruffin to him
his heirs forever, also all my stock of hogs belonging the
of forty aern jayning 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 & disposi-
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 Menoree Plantation 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 Dwyer, 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 Wall & Co

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 of form following that is to say, first I humbly
-ly I Commend my soul into the hands of God trusting
through the meritorious Prop & 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
Committ it to the Earth from whence it was taken to be