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My will is that my son Thomas Dodd and James White shall be my executors to this my last will and Testament whereof I now set my hand and seal in the presence of us

Israel Olinger
Philip Stearn

John Dodd. Deed

Alexander Ewing

In the name of God amen. The 16th day October in the year of our lord God 1789. I Alexander Ewing of Greene County being sick and weak of body but of perfect mind and memory Thanks be given unto God. Therefore coming to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and Testament that is to say Principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul unto the hands of God who gave it and for my body I recommend it to the earth to be buried in a Christian decent like manner at the discretion of my Executors nothing dissenting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and as trusting such worldly estate it hath pleased God to bless me in this line I give, bequeath and

RETURN.

dispose of the same in the following
 manner and form. I give and
 bequeath unto Rachel my dear
 Beloved wife Two Negroes now in
 my possession as long as her life-
 time or widow-hood and her choice
 of three more now in my possession
 and allowing her a choice of
 the other cattle such as cows and
 sheep and her living on the
 plantation as long as she remains
 a widow. I give unto my beloved
 Son Samuel one fifteen pounds horse
 I also leave unto George my second
 Son a fifteen pound horse. I leave
 unto my third Son James one bay
 colt four years old. I leave unto
 my son William one young mare three
 years. I also leave unto my son
 John one young mare three years old
 and the breeding spring. I also leave
 unto my son Nathaniel a young three
 year old colt and the rest of the
 horses. Cattle and sheep to be divided
 equally divided among the rest
 only Saml and George or to have no
 more than what is above mentioned
 I leave the lands I now live on
 to Mr. and John my sons, and a
 plantation I have up in the Cove
 I leave unto my Son Nathaniel my
 Son William and John is each of
 them to pay unto my Son Nathaniel
 the sum of Twenty pounds each in
 good property. My daughter Rachel
 being in doubtful her mind is lock
 and if it is so I give her one of
 the other breeding mare I leave
 unto Margaret my daughter one bay

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meat and eat a feather bed and furniture for one bed, my daughter Rachel one block meat and eat a feather bed and furniture sufficient for the same. The two Negroes before mentioned I leave unto my two daughters at the decease of my wife to be valued equally between them. I do hereby disavow, revoke and disannul all and every other former testament, wills and legacies, ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and Testament In witness whereof I now set my hand and Seal. The day and year above written

Alexander Ewen 

Signed, Sealed, Published and pronounced declare by the sd Mr Ewing last will and Testament in presence of us the subscribers, viz

David Corfeton
David Coldwell, Junr
James Gillispy, Junr

N.B. The Negroes and their increase is to be equally divided between girls.