

In the name of God Amen This eighteenth day of July in  
the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and eighty nine  
I John Head of the Township of Letterkenny in the County of  
Franklin and State of Pennsylvania Yeoman being sick and  
In disposed in body but of perfect mind and memory (Blessed be  
God for his mercies) And calling to mind the mortality of  
my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to  
Die; I do make constitute and Ordain this to be my last Will  
Testament; That is to say Principally and first of all I Recom-  
mend my Soul to God who gave it and my Body to the Earth  
to be buried in a Christian like and decent manner at the  
Discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but I shall  
Receive the same again at the General Resurrection by the  
Almighty Power of God -- And as Touching such worldly  
estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me I Give and  
Bequeath and Dispose of in the manner and form following Viz  
I allow my Executors to make Sale of all my Goods and Chattels  
both Real and Personal in the manner following Viz for all  
my Personal Estate to be sold at Publick Vendue; And as for my  
Land or Real Estate I allow it to be sold at the Discretion of my  
Executors either by Publick or private Sale as the said Executors  
shall think proper; and after all my just Debts are paid out of  
the money arising from said Sales I Give Bequeath and Dispos-  
of the Remainder as follows Viz To William Gabby Son of  
John Gabby and Nephew to my Wife I Give and Bequeath  
the sum of Twenty pounds Lawfull money of the State of Pennsy-  
lvania Item to John McConnell Son of John McConnell late  
of the Township of Hamilton in the County of State aforesaid  
Deceased; I Give and Bequeath the sum of fifteen pounds

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Lawfull money aforesaid to be paid to him when he arrives at the age of Twenty one Years but if he Dies before he arrives at the Age of Twenty one Years as Above then and in that case the Said fifteen pounds shall be equally Divided between my Wife Janet Wead and my Brothe William Wead or their Heirs Item to my Beloved Wife Janet Wead I Give and Bequeath one Bed with the Cloths and Furniture thereunto belonging Said Bed to be after her choice of all the Beds belonging to me; And the Remaund of the Money, arising from the Sale of my Property both Real and Personal as before directed to be made I Allow to be Equally Divided between my Wife Janet Wead and my Brother William Wead near Beally Borrough in the County of Cavan in the Kingdom of Ireland; And I do hereby Give and Bequeath the one half of Said money to my aforesaid Wife and the other half to my Brother William as aforesaid but if ~~any~~ the aforesaid William Wead be dead when this my last Will and Testament shall be in force then and in that case the said Legacy given in Request to him shall be equally Divided amongst his Immediate Children or their Heirs — I do also <sup>hereby</sup> make Constitute and Ordain my Wife Janet Wead and James M<sup>t</sup> Cunneel of the Township of Letterkenny in the County of Franklin and State aforesaid to be whole and Sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament —

And so Proving Disallowing and Disannulling all other former Wills and Testaments Legacies Bequests and executors by me in any wise before this time named Willed, Bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming this and no Other to be my Last Will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the Day and Year above written 1780 —

Sealed Published Pronounced and Declared by the Said John Wead in his last will and Testament in presence of us the subscribers Vizt.  
James Mitchel

Samuel Mitchel  
Christian Grove affr.

John Wead <sup>Sealed</sup>

Franklin County, L. On the 25 day of January 1790 James Mitchell  
Nathaniel Mitchell and Christian Grove appear before me  
the subscriber &c and on their solemn oaths & affirmation  
do. say that they were ~~personally~~<sup>publickly</sup> present & saw I heard  
John Wade <sup>do</sup> acknowledge the foregoing instrument of writing  
an end for "his last will & Testament" and that at the  
time of the doing thereof he the said John Wade  
was of sound and disposing mind and memory to the  
best of their knowledge & belief - that their names signed  
thereto in ~~and~~ <sup>if</sup> their several hands writing done at the  
same time ~~180~~

I sworn & affirmed before me  
the date above

Edw Crawford  
Register

James Mitchell  
Nathaniel Mitchell  
Christian Grove

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John Wades Will  
Both Executors Sworn  
to Exhibit Inventory on  
or before the first day  
of March next and  
and settle in one year  
or when legally required

E. C.

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