

Samuel Pond & I Samuel Pond of the County of Southampton do hereby make my last Will and Testament in manner and form following witnesseth

- 1<sup>st</sup>. I bind to my wife Anne Pond, the use of my land during her natural life and after the payment of my just debts I give her the balance of my personal property.
- 2<sup>nd</sup>. After the decease of my wife I give my said lands to Edward Pond and his feather bed and furniture, on condition that he shall pay to my son Richard Pond five dollars to Richard Pond five dollars to John Pond five dollars to George Pond five dollars to Benjamin Pond five dollars and to Charles Pond five dollars.
- 3<sup>rd</sup>. And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint John Denys Executor of this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 1<sup>st</sup> day of August 1832.

Signed sealed and delivered

Samuel Pond *(Signature)*

in the presence of us

William C Pond

Wiley Joyner

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 30<sup>th</sup> day of January 1833,

This last Will and Testament of Samuel Pond dec'd was proven by the oaths of John C Pond and Wiley Joyner the Notaries Clerks and Ordners to be recited and on motion of Edward L Pond John Denys the Executor named in the said Will appeared in Court and refused to take upon himself the burden of the Execution thereof.

Oath and together with Richard Helle, William C Pond and John Vick made out this instrument and acknowledge a Bond in the penalty of Fifteen hundred Dollars conditioned at the Law directs. Certificate is granted him for his letters of administration on the Estate of the said Samuel Pond with his usual sum and in due form.

Teste James Rockwell *(Signature)*

Eliza Drake's Inventory and Appraisement of the property of Eliza Drake Decr 1<sup>st</sup> 1833  
Inventory 8<sup>c</sup> 3 Beds & furniture

Bone Jug, Keg, Spinning 8 <sup>c</sup> of Card	3 00	Bone of Blk. & 3 00	2 51
Kettle pit Butter cans, bowls, skin mutton spittoon	4 75	3 Silver 875 <sup>1</sup> 12 from old work	1 17
4 Table Cloth, 2 Stands, 2 Pairs stockings, 2 Pcs	1 75	1 Grand Stone	1 25
7 Chairs 1 pine chest, 2 red fruit	2 37 <sup>c</sup>	Cotton Lin R Works 1 pecker	3 11
3 Table 2 Stands, 2 Mergins, 3 Trays, 2 small plates	2 25	Pine Rep. 3 pts. Shaks 1 pair, 1 pair, 1 pair	5 51
pine combiner & 2 leather Rep. &c	2 00	1 1/2 Molar audience Tong & Tong	1 43
4 1/2 sqf books of various subjects 1 H. Blk.	1 25	1 Cuprons Coffe Mill Corn Gear & 1 hook	7 51
Coffee mill, tea kettle, glass & cans	3 00	Bay minn	3 11
Plough gear 1 plough horse & cart & Plough	5 50	Cat wheels & Gear 1/2 lb. Lead 12 lbs	40 00
8. Kissing hood	1 50	1 Scale Chest & Basket white Porous	1 47

W<sup>r</sup>. the appraisers do certify that we do appraise the property of Elizabeth Drake to

John Summard

Seize Little

William E. Hobart

William E. Hobart

J. C. Schell

Personally appraised before me John Summard & Hobart and William Hobart and that they will appraise the property herein mentioned according to law and under my hand this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 1833.

J. C. Schell