

To two Yearlings----- "10 " -
 To 1 old Mare & horse----- 2 "10 " -
 Accomack County Wills, Inventories, Appraisements, Divisions 1729-1737
 To 2 Sheep & Two Sows & 6 Shotes----- 1 " 2 " -

Sum £14 "16 " 1 1/2

Jonathan Aleworth

John Briemer

John Hall

Accomeck ss: December Court 1731

This Inventory was returned to Court and ordered to be recorded

Test:)

Jn^r Jackson Cl: Cur.

Recorded Test:)

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In the Name of God Amen the Thirteenth day of March Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and Thirty I Joseph Blake of Accomack County in the Colony of Virginia being Sick and weak of body yet of Good and perfect memory praised be almighty God therefor do make and ordain this my Last will Testament in manner and form following that is to Say first I commend my self and all that I have to the mercy and Protection of almighty God being fully persuaded by his holy Spirit through the Death and passion of Jesus Christ to obtain free pardon of all my Sins and I will and ordain that all Such Debts as I shall happen to owe at my decease be Truly paid and Satisfied and as for what worldly Goods the Lord in his mercy hath pleased to bestow on me I Leave as followeth Viz^t Imprimis I Leave to my Son Charl's Blake one hundred and Sixty five acres of Land the Land whereon I now live it being joyning to M^r William Watts Jun^rs Lands in Accomack County in Virginia to him and his heirs for ever Lawfully begotten of his body and for want of Such issue

to the Child my wife Rebecca now goes with and if that Child hath no issue then to Rachell

Wilson and her heirs for ever Item I will that Jonethan Thornton have free possession of a parcell of Land that Lyes on Jengotesque Branch which he now lives for Fourteen years Provided always that the said Jonethan doth plant out one hundred and fifty apple Trees and to keep them within a good Fence and to pay the Quitrents of the said Land being one hundred and Fifty acres to the King our Lord the Sovereign that shall become due and after the time is Expired I Live the said one hundred and fifty acres of Land to the Child my wife is now bigg with and if that Child dies without heir I leave the said Land to my brother in Law John Morris and his heirs for ever Item I give to my Brother Gilbert Morris a horse of about four years old that is on Jengotesque Island proviso that he Stays with my wife and help to make Corn this Year I do Constitute and ordain this my Last will and Testament and do appoint my well beloved wife Rebecca Blake and my brother Dennis Blake my only and Sole Ex^{rs} and Ex^x of this my Last will and Testament In Witness hereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal

Signed Sealed and Pronounced)

Joseph Blake (//)

in the presence of us to be)

the Last Will and Testament)

of the Testator)

Test.

Uriah Collins

William Watts

John Melten

At a Court held for Accomack County the 4th Day of January
1731

This Will was proved in open Court by the Oaths of Uriah Collins and John Melten two of the Witnesses to the same and admitted to Record, & the Ex^x refused to accept of the Legacies in the said Will, and chose to take what the Law allows.