

Joshua Hawks, Mary Hawks, Rebecca Hawks & Lowsee -  
Hawks, and if any of the <sup>said</sup> Six Children should die before they  
should have any heirs then their said Estate shall be divid-  
ed Among the Surviving Children

Item I do also appoint my beloved wife Angelica Hawks  
and my son George Hawks Executor and Executrix of this my  
Last Will and Testament and I do hereby utterly revoke &  
disannul all & every other will and Legacies bequeathed by me  
in any wise before this time & named In Witnesses whereof  
I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and Year  
Above Written

Signed & Sealed & Delivered

In Presence of us

John Clay

John Clay Junr.

William Adams

Joshua <sup>his</sup> Hawks (L.S.)  
(Mark)

At a Court held for Amelia County the 28<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1775.  
This Will was proved by the Oaths of two of the  
Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be Recorded and  
on the motion of Angelica Hawks & George Hawks  
the Executors therein named who took the Oath  
and entered into Bond with Security as the Law  
directs Cert. was granted them for obtaining probat in  
due form. (C. P. 28)

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In the Name of God Amen I William Moulson of  
the County of Amelia being of sound mind do make this my last  
Will and Testament in manner following that is to say  
I certify This is my Will and desire that After my Just and  
Lawful debts are paid, that I give devise and bequeath the re-  
mainder of my Estate in manner and form Following  
Item I lend to my loving Wife Mary Moulson during her  
Natural life one fifth part of my Slaves in five equal parts  
to be divided and she to take her choice, and all my Stocks of every  
kind and the Use of the Tract of land whereon I had purchased  
of Thomas Atkinson and containing Four hundred & Seventy  
Acres and Further I lend my loving Wife during her Natural

Life all my household Furniture, Carts, planters & Carpenters Tools and Every Other Necessary Implement of plantation Use, and it is further my desire that if my said Wife should Survive my Son Josiah that she shall enjoy all the Estate that I shall devise to him, during her life

Item I lend my daughter Mary Langon one other fifth Part of my Slaves during her Natural life, and should she survive her Present Husband I give her the Above Mentioned one fifth part of the Slaves to be at her Own disposal and should she die before her Present husband, then my Will and desire is, that the said one fifth part of the Slaves, be Equally Divided between her Children

Item I give to my Son William Seagar Moulton all the Remainder of my land on the North Side of the Saw Branch Except the Meadow Land on the said North Side, I shall here After give to my son Josiah Moulton to him & his heirs forever With the one fifth part of my Slaves

Item I give to my Daughter Judith my Mair Julia & her increase I give to my Daughter Judith Moulson, one other fifth part of my Slaves to her & her heirs forever but if my said Daughter should die before she Attains the age of Twenty one Years or Marries, then I give and bequeath the said Slaves to be Equally Divided Amongst all my Children or their Representatives under the Restriction before Mentioned

Item I give and devise to my Son Josiah in fee the Reversion of the Tract of land herein before devised to his Mother during life, with the Addition of All the Meadow land on the North Side of the Saw Branch beginning at Apino at the lower End thence up the North Side of said branch, Including all the Meadow land up to the back line between Southall & Hubbard to him & his heirs forever, likewise I give my Son Josiah the Other fifth part of my Slaves Amongst which I would have Anthony included to be Worked on the said Land with his Mother for their Mutual Support but should my said son Josiah die before he attains the age of Twenty one Years or Marries, in that case I give & devise the Land to my son William Seagar Moulson and the

Slaves to be Equally divided amongst all my Children under the Restrictions before Mentioned

Item it is my Will and desire that the Estate of Slaves, Stocks And household Furniture lent to my Wife during life, should After her Death be Equally divided with all the rest of my Estate Whatsoever amongst all my Children and their Representatives Under the restriction respectively so often before mentioned

Lastly I do constitute and Appoint my Friends Joseph & Richard Eggleston & William Giles Executors of this my last Will and Testament, and Richard Eggleston Jun<sup>r</sup> Guardian of my son Josiah, hereby revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made & declaring this to be my last Will, I constitute Rich<sup>d</sup> Eggleston Jun<sup>r</sup> one of my Executors In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Affixed my Seal this Eighteenth day of Jan<sup>y</sup> in the Year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy five Signed sealed & declared

by the Testator to be his last

Will and Testament

in Presence of \* & Interlined,

William Rice

Cornelius McHancy

Thomas Davis

Alexander Kelly

William Moulson Esq<sup>r</sup>

In the Year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred & Seventy Five September Ninth, I Thomas Bates of Amelia County and Parish of Newbury being very Sick and weak of body but of perfect Mind & Memory doth make this my last Will & Testament in manner & form following Viz<sup>t</sup> I give and bequeath my Soul to Almighty God hoping to be saved by & through the Merits of