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Brunswick County, Virginia Wills
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N. Edwards, Jr. D.H.

John Oliver

Will

In the Name of God Amen the 15th Day of
January 1764 I John Oliver of the County of Brunswick
of perfect Mind and Memory thanks be given unto God
therefore calling unto 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 &
Testament that is to say Principal and first of all I
give and bequeath my Soul unto the Hands of God that
gave it And my Body I recommend to the Earth to be
buried in decent Christian Burial at the discretion

of my Executors not doubting) but at the general
Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty
Power of God AND as touching such worldly estate where
with it hath pleased Almighty God to bless me with in
this life I give and dismiss (and dispose of the same in
the following manner) and form
ITEM I give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Lucy
Oliver all my Land and Stock of Cattle Hogs and Horses
and all my Household Goods and likewise four Negroes viz.
Daniel, George, Serato and Harry, to her and her disposal
ITEM I give and bequeath to my Brother James Oliver five
Shillings sterling. ITEM I give (and bequeath to my
Brother Isaac Oliver five Shillings sterling). I likewise
appoint my beloved Wife Lucy Oliver whole and Sole Exec
of this my last will and Testament in Witnes whereof I

have hereunto set my Hand and Seal
of
Test John Whittington

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Test William Love } At a Court held for Brunswick
County the 23^d Day of June 1766

This Will was presented in Court by John Whittington
and William Love who made Oath to the said Will according
to Law and the same was proved by the Oaths of John
Whittington and William Love the Witnesses thereto
ordered to be recorded and certificate granted the said John
Whittington and William Love for obtaining Letters of
Administration of the Estate of the said Decedent
therewith annexed in due form they having with Swan
Pritchard and Howell Whittington their Securities entered
into and acknowledged Bonds in the Penalty of two
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