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Given under our hands this 20<sup>th</sup> September 1793

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Cuth Williamson

Henry Madison

Thomas Harvey

At a Court held for Charlotte County the 2<sup>d</sup> June 1794.

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Douglas Puckett decd was this day returned  
and ordered to be recorded

Teste Thomas Read Secd

William Tapley's }  
Will

Truly Recorded

Thomas Read Secd

In the name of the great God of heaven amen I William Tapley of Charlotte County  
being deeply afflicted by the hand of Providence and reflecting the uncertainty of human life and  
the importance of adjusting all our worldly concerns, being informed in writing make and ordain  
this my last will and testament in manner and form following. I desire that all my just debts be  
collected and paid and my estate of whatever nature or kind wherewith it hath pleased God  
to bestow on me, I give and bequeath in manner following. It is my will that my  
dear and affectionate wife may have the use of all my estate real and personal  
during her natural life and after her death to be equally divided, share & share

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alike between my brothers Robt. Tappley Thomas Tappley John Tappley, Elerson Tappley and my  
Sister Molly Cuddeley, Betsey Miller, Nancy Tappley, Sally Tappley, Winney Tappley, Lucy  
Tappley and their heirs forever I do appoint my wife Mary and my friend James Elmore joint  
executors of this my last will and Testament, none being all former will by me made, declaring this writing  
alone to be my will. I Testimony of <sup>where</sup> I have hereunto set my hand this Twentieth ninth day of April in the  
year of our Lord God one thousand seven hundred and ninety four

Witness

William Tappley

Lewis Hammack

At a Court held for Charlotte County the 2<sup>d</sup> day of June 1794

This last will and Testament of William Tappley decd was exhibited in Court by Mary Tappley executrix  
& James Elmore the executors herein named and the same was proved by the oath of Lewis Hammack  
the Witness hereto subscribed & ordered to be recorded in the motion of the said executrix and executor  
whomade oath according to law certificate is granted them for obtaining a probate of the said will  
in due form they given security whereupon they together with James Inge & Caleb Featherston their  
Securities entered into and acknowledged their bond according to law for that purpose

Teste

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In Collies of Mr John Collier Decd on the eight day of December one thousand seven hundred & ninety three