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Martha Major

Will

In the name of God amen. I Martha Major of the County of Charles City being  
a weak state of bodily health but in perfect mind sound sense and memory  
make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner following, by to  
I desire that my negro man Minor, as also all my other property be kept for the  
support and benefit of my three Children to wit, Samuel, Patience, and Rebecca, that  
is to say none of the said property to be sold but the same together with the said  
negro Minor to be acted with by my executor for the benefit of my said Children  
giving to each of them unequal proportion of the same and should either of my  
said Children die without heir or arrival to lawful age then such proportion I give  
unto my surviving Child or Children to them and their heirs forever. Lastly I  
nominate constitute and appoint William Graves my whole and sole executor  
of this my last will and testament in witness my hand and seal this 7<sup>th</sup> day  
March 1800

Signed Sealed & declared  
In presence of - - -

her  
Martha Major De  
mark

Wm Graves, Joseph C Valentine, Jacob Vaixen

At a monthly Court held for Charles City County at the Courthouse  
on Thursday the Nineteenth day of June 1800

The aforeswitten last will and testament of Martha Major deceased was this  
day in open Court proved by Joseph C. Valentine one of the witnesses thereto  
swore to be recorded and is truly recorded

teste Wyatt Walker Esq.

David Anderson

Will

April 30<sup>th</sup> 1806 I David Anderson have made my last will and desired  
leave my services due from Mr. Byrd for the year 1805 to my wife Nancy  
being fifteen pounds and also I leave her the present money that will be due  
me for this year, I also leave my wife Nancy one horse and also all my  
household and kitchen furniture and also all the residue of my estate. I desire  
that Nathaniel Pierce may take my estate in his hands and pay all my  
debts, I desire that after my debts is paid that what is behind that my  
wife Nancy may have it

Teste

Walker Gregory, Sarah <sup>her</sup> ~~and~~ <sup>his</sup> ~~and~~  
Hardyman marks

At a quarterly Court continued and held by adjournment at Charles City County  
On Friday the twenty second day of August 1806

The aforeswitten last will and testament of David Anderson deceased was this day  
presented in Court and being proved by Walker Gregory and Sarah Hardyman  
witnesses thereto is ordered to be recorded and is truly recorded

teste

Wyatt Walker Esq.