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In the name of God Amen I John Pavely of the
County of Charles City and Wicorover Parish, being sick and weak in Body, but of
sound and perfect sense and Memory thanks be unto Almighty God for the same,
do constitute and Ordain this to be my last will and Testament in manner and
form following. First I give my soul into the hands of Almighty God humbly beseeching
him to be merciful to me in the Hour of death and day of Judgment, and my body
to the ground to be decently Buried by the direction of my Executor hereafter named,
and as Touching such worldly Estate as God has been Pleased to bless me with.
I give and dispose of in manner and form following. Item I Give and
bequeath unto my loving Wife Mary Pavely the sum of twenty five pounds.
I give it to her and her Heirs forever. Item I Give and bequeath unto my friend
John Snipes my wareing Cloths, working Tools, and one sorrel mare and saddle.
I give it to him and his Heirs forever. Item all the rest and residue of
my Estate to be sold and the money thence arising to be given to such poor
persons of the Parish of Wicorover as my executor shall think proper. And

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I give it to him and his heirs forever. Item all the rest and residue of
my Estate to be sold and the money thence arising to be given to such poor
persons of the Parish of Westover as my executor shall think proper. And
lastly I do nominate and appoint my friend Joseph Vaicere to be my
whole and sole Executor of this my last will and Testament Revoking
and disannulling all other wills heretofore made by me as Witness my
hand and seal this twenty second day of September one thousand seven
hundred & eighty six

Signed Sealed Published & Delivered
by the S. Pavey to be his last will
and Testament in presence of

John Cymon

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