

And at another Court held for said County as aforesaid the 16th day of May following, The said will for reasons appearing to the Court was ordered to be recorded: and on the motion of Thomas Browder the executor therein named who made oath thereto according to law, and with John Tyer and John Lamb his securities entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of one thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs, certificate is granted the said Browder for obtaining a probate of said will in due form

Teste

Wyatt Walker Clk

John H. H.
New SocJohn Adams
Will

In the name of God Amen, I John Adams of the County of Charles City being weak in body but of sound mind and disposing memory, and willing to dispense with what worldly goods it has please God to bless me doth therefore ordain this my last will and testament in the manner following that is to say, I leave, after my decease I leave to my son Edwards one bed and furniture together with the first choice cow to him and his heirs forever. I leave after my decease I leave to my daughter Lucy the bed I now lie on together with the furniture thereunto belonging to her and her heirs forever. I leave after my decease I leave to my daughter Ann the bed she now lies on at present with its furniture together with second choice cow to her and her heirs forever. I leave after my decease I leave to my son Henry the bed he lies on at this time with its cloathing together with the remaining choice cow to him and his heirs forever - And lastly the remaining part of my personal Estate of every description after my death I leave to be divided in equal proportions to my above named children to them and their heirs forever. I now nominate my son Edwards Adams and Henry A. Adams Executors of this my last will and testament In Witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this twenty first day of April One thousand eight hundred and seventeen

Attest

John H. Phillips

John Folkes

Peter Brew

John ^{his} X Adams Seal
marksG. A. Brown
Inventory

At a Court held for Charles City County at the Courthouse the 18th day of September 1817. The aforesaid last will and testament of John Adams was proved by the oaths of John H. Phillips and John Folkes and the affirmations of Peter Brew the witnesses to the same and ordered to be recorded. And at another Court held for the said County as aforesaid the 16th day of October following Edward Adams and Henry A. Adams the executors

named

named in the said Will appeared in Court and made oaths thereto according to law and the said Edwards with Henry Adams his security and the said Henry A. with Peter Crew and John Folkes his securities entered into and acknowledged two several bonds in the penalty of five hundred dollars each conditioned as the said directs, certificates and granted them for obtaining a probat of said will in due form

Teste

Wyatt Walker C

John Shells
Ans Sales

An Account of Sales of the Estate of M^r Shells decd
June 7th 1817

To 1 Silver watch	James Jordana	\$ 11 50
" 1 Gun	James Jordana	6 00
" 1 ditto screw malds &c	Thomas Huslett	5 25
" 1 Tomahoe, powder horn &c	Elisha Crew	0 87
Charles City County		\$ 23 12

The above acc^t of sales has been correctly made by me
Given under my hand this 7th June 1817

Joseph Folkes

Returned into Charles City County Court the 17th day of July 1817
And Ordered to be recorded -

Teste

Wyatt Walker C

E. A. Snow
Inventory

An Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of Ellison
A Negro deceased taken this 27th day of March 1817

4 Pots and 2 Gugs	3 "
pair plate iron	75 "
5 Hoes	2 "
3 Axes	1 50
1 Saddle and Bridle	1 50
2 Harrow hoe callers &c	1 "
3 Bells	2 "
Lot carpenters tools	4 "
Collars hames &c	1 "
Lot of old Iron	1 "
pair Steelyards	50 "
2 Churns and 2 old Chairs	50 "
Flax wheel and keep hooks	25 "
2 pots 1 frying pan and skillet	4 "
1 Whips Saw	50 "
1 Chest and Cards	1 "
6 Rush Chairs	3 "
1 Tray and Piggins 5 bottles	75 "
1 Walnut Table	5 "
1 Lot pewters	4 "