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In. Name
Link's Will

In the Name of God Amen. I, John Adam Link of the State of Virginia, County of Halifax, being of sound mind and Memory, do make and Ordain this my last Will & Testament in manner and form following, that is to say, First I will that all my just debts and funeral charge be paid and be charged by my Executors hereafter named. Also I give and bequeath unto my son Boston Link, Ten pound Virginia Money to be paid him after his Mothers death by the Executors.

Also I give and bequeath to my son Thomas Link this Tract of Land whereon I now live Containing two Hundred & sixty seven Acres more or less with all appertaining houses, orchards, and to forth.

Then I give or lend to my dear and loving wife for the term of her life all the Remainder of my Estate. Residue after the death of my wife Sarah Link that all the remainder of my Estate be sold & equally

divided between William Link Senior & my son John Link & my Daughter Peggy Foster, & my Daughter Sarah Warner and my Daughter Milley Warren. And I do appoint William Link & Thomas Link Executors of this my last Will and Testament and Trustee for my Wife.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & signed my Name the 21st day of November in the year of our Lord 1783

John Adam Link

James Holt
James Holt
James & Son
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At a Court held for Halifax County the 27th day of April 1789
The within written last Will and Testament of John A. Link deceased was exhibited in Court and proved by the oath of two witnesses hereunto duly sworn to be the last & will of the said Link and was accordingly

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one of the Executors in the said Will named, who made oath according to Law, certificate for obtaining probate was granted him in due form he giving security. Whereupon he together with James Holt and John Graves his securities entered into & acknowledged Bond for that Purpose according to Law.

Test George Farrington Clk.

Tracy Recorder William Thompson

In the name of God amen I, Luke Kent of Halifax County & State of Virginia, being sick and weak but of perfect sense & memory thanks be to God for it do make, constitute, ordain, and appoint this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following (to wit). — I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Sarah Kent the land and plantation whereon I now live, for and during her widowhood, together with my two Negroes Joe and Poll.

I give, ^{and bequeath} to my daughter Polly Kent my Negro girl Alice and her Increase, to her & her heirs forever.

I give and bequeath to my son Robert Kent, my Negro boy James, to him & his heirs forever. I give to my son John Kent my

Negro girl named Rose, to him and his heirs forever.

I give & bequeath to my son Smith Kent my Negro boy named Ned to him and his heirs forever. And when the eldest of my heirs, comes of age, my will and desire is, that my Negroes George, Ben, and Poll be equally divided between all my children. I give

to my son Robert Kent, my Negro boy Ben to him and his heirs forever. my Will and Desire is that two Hundred pounds be raised out of my Estate, and advanced in Land for my son John Kent. Also it is my Will, that two Hundred pounds be likewise raised out of my Estate, and advanced in Land for my son Smith Kent; my will is that my son Robert Kent shall have his choice of my Guns, and that