

In the Name God Amen I Richard Brown of Halifax County being
 sick and weak of body but of sound mind and memory do make my last Will & Testa-
 ment in manner following. I do give & appoint my Executors herein after
 named to sell and dispose of all my lands in the Colony of Virginia for the best
 price that can be got for the same and the Money arising therefrom to be applied to the
 payments of my Debts and the Balance if any remains to be paid to my Wife to
 whom I give & Bequeath all the rest of my Estate during her life on this Condition
 that she Educate my son Daniel and maintain the rest of my Children, and after her
 death the same may be equally divided among my five Children in their legal
 portions. I appoint Leonard Huling Collector of all my outstanding Debt due on this
 day and desire my Executors may allow him ten percent for his trouble therein or
 appoint any other Collector they shall think proper. My Will and desire further is that
 neither he nor his Wife may not be disturbed in the possession of the house as now occupied
 by them during their natural lives. Lastly I appoint my friends Thomas
 Parrell and son Richard Executors of this my last Will & Testament. In Witness
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 11th day of January 1773
 two hundred and seventy two.

Teste Published & declared

in presence of

Matthew & appoint

my other Collectors they shall think proper being

his
 Matthew Parham
 made
 the
 Woodson

Rich^d Brown

At about held for Halifax County the 21st day of January 1773

This Will was presented in Court by Thomas Parrell one of the Executors herein named
 made oath before according to Law, and the same being proved by the oath
 of the other Executors, was ordered to be Recorded. And on the Motion of the same
 Thomas Parrell Certificate was granted him for obtaining a probate hereof in
 form. Paul Carrington Just. became his security & they entered into and acknow-
 ledged their Bonds according to Law. And liberty is reserved to Richard Brown the
 Executor herein named to join the said Probate when he shall think fit

Teste

P. Carrington Clk