

Penalty of Three Thousand Dollars, with Condition as the Law Directs,
Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probat thereof in Due form &
liberty is reserved Henry Gray the other Executor therein named to quote
by when he shall think proper —

Teste

J. Young Clerk.

Matthew Mays of Isle of Wight County being of sound mind and
memory do hereby certify that I have read every Will & with
heretofore made by me; and I do make and Ordain this my Last Will
and Testament in manner and form following (Viz.) I Give the use
of all my Estate both Real and Personal to my Wife Mary Mays dur-
ing her natural life or Widowhood. but in case she should die I
will then Direct that my Personal Estate be sold and the Money arising
therefrom to be divided as follows. 1st I give to my Wife one fourth of the
residue of the Estate I have & give to my Daughter Sarah Mays in the
same fourth hundredth I have at in my separation of them I give to my

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low branch the same I hereby give and bequeath to my
may be equally divided among my three young sons
Michael, John and Samuel I am establishing a boundary
between my two sons as follows I give and bequeath my land the
Harris the Plantations where on I am now with all my Land on the
south side of the Branch which runs through my Plantation thence
on to a Poplar Thence by a line of tall white trees to two large Cypress
Thence nearly a north ^{east} course to Col. Willis line to him and his heirs
for ever. I give and bequeath to my Son Samuel Harris all the remain-
der of my Land on the North side of the above mentioned branch thence
by the aforesaid line to him and his heirs forever. But in case either
of my Sons above named should die in their Minority or without law-
ful Issue I then Direct that the said Land devised to him may Devolve
to his surviving Brother and his heirs for ever. I give to my said sons an
equal Rights in my Brandy Still likewise an equal rights in the
Cypress and Oak timber on all my Land. My Will and Desire is
that if ever my Land should be rented out during the Minority of my

by pines and Oak timber on all my Land. My Will and Desire is
that if ever my Land should be rented out during the minority of my
Sons above named, that the Money arising therefrom shall be equally Di-
vided between my said Sons. Item I give to my Son John, one Case of
Gallon Bottles and two Large Deep Dishes. I give to my Son Samuel
One Case half Gallon Bottles and two Large Deep Dishes. These last
Articles devised to my Sons I desire may not be sold but kept by some
friend in trust untill my Sons arrive of Lawful Age. I constitute

and appoint my ~~Heir~~ ^{Heir} ~~Thomas~~ ^{Thomas} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~sole~~ ^{sole} ~~executor~~ ^{executor}
of this my Last Will and Testament, I Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my Hand and affixed my Seal this Fifteenth Day of the
Third Month 1749

Signed Sealed and Published
in the presence of

Thomas Brown

John Pinner

Samuel Davis

Matthew H. and

Witnessed for Samuel Wright County the 3
Day of September 1748. This Will was

One Case half Gallon Bottles and two Large Deep Dishes these last
Articles devised to my Sons I desire may not be sold but kept by some
friend in trust untill my Sons arrive of Lawful Age. I constitute
and appoint my Wife Mary Harriett my whole and sole Executor
of this my last Will and Testament, I  Witnesses whereof I have
hereunto set my Hand and affixed my Seal this Fifteenth Day of the
Third Month 1799

Signed Sealed and Published

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Thomas Pellow

Matthew Harriett

John Pinner

Isiah Davis & ... I do hereby certify that the above Bill was
presented into Court by Mary Harriett the Executor herein named who
made affirmation thereof at a sitting before the Court & was
read by the Clerk of said Court and the same was
found to be correct and duly authenticated

From the said [illegible] with [illegible] and [illegible] to the [illegible]
[illegible] for obtaining approval thereof in due form.

Witness my hand
J. Young Atk.

Attest
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In the name of God Amen I Nathan Whitley of the
Parish of Newport and County of Isle of Wight Being in perfect
health and sound memory but calling to mind that there is an ap-
pointed time and that all men must once die I do make ordain and
constitute this my last Will and Testament in manner following
to wit I Give and bequeath after my Decease to my Son Jesse
Whitley the - inconsider Plantation whereon I now live to him and his
heirs forever I Give and Bequeath to my Son Elias Whitley all
the remainder of my Land lying over Black Water Road to him and