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 Queen County at the Court house on Thursday the 9th of
 January 1858. This last Will and Testament of Sarah
 Pyper Jackson was offered for proof and was proved by
 the oaths of Geo. H. Griffith and Henry Shuman two
 of the witnesses thereto subscribed and is ordered to
 be recorded
 Teste Robert B. [illegible]
 Notary Public

In the name of God Amen I John Jackson
 1869 open make and constitute this my last will and Testament
 deliver in manner and form as follows: I desire that after
 my decease the payment of all my just debts, that all my property
 both real and personal, be held by my beloved
 wife Maria Jackson during her ^{natural} life for the joint support
 of herself and my children, John Jackson, Marion
 William Jackson, Adeline Jackson, Sabina Jackson
 and Corence Jackson, and at the death of my said
 I desire that all the said property shall be equally divided
 between my surviving children, and in case any be
 leaving a child or children, the said child or children
 to receive the share to which the parent would be
 entitled, ~~if living~~ if living. I desire that my
 wife shall sell said property only as she shall see
 best for the purpose of paying any claims against
 my estate. I hereby appoint my beloved
 Maria Jackson my Executor to this my last will
 and Testament. Given under my hand &
 seal this 28th day of March 1851
 Witness John Jackson
 John D Evans
 J. M. Evans
 A. D. Evans
 at a court of law

King and Queen County at the Courthouse on Thursday the
8th day of March 1852 This last Will and Testament of
John Jackson deceased was proved by the Oath of
Thomas B Evans and James Evans Two of the Justices
therein subscribed and is ordered to be recorded

Truly recorded
John Robert Bollard J.C.

In the Clerk's office of King and Queen County Court

The Second and original Will of John
Jackson deceased being lost by the burning of the
Clerk's office of the County by the Public enemy
and this County authenticates "John Robert Bollard J.C.
a Copy of the Will of John Jackson deceased", is on the motion
of Maria Jackson administratrix to record anew this
13th day of February 1868 John Robert Bollard J.C.

In the name of God amen I William
Branch of King and Queen County Virginia, hereby
revoking all former Wills, do make this my last Will
(and Testament) as follows to wit:

I leave to my wife Susan Branch all my estate of
every description both real and personal during her
Lifetime for her own support and the support and
education of my children by her; and at her death
I give my Black ~~Lot~~ to my son James Anthony
Branch and the balance of my estate to my wife
Susan and I bequeath to my son James Anthony
and to my daughters Maria Eliza and Ophelia
as their joint property. I desire however, that they
shall be as sole or decision after the death of my wife,
and I desire, so long as my said Children remain
single and unmarried, that they shall have and have
shall be a home for all my said three Children and
that my things shall be kept together for the support