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James
Wm. Mallory
Ag. Parnell

This Inventory of the Estate of Benjamin Mallory dec^d was returned into Court
the 24th Day of July 1766.

Test
Geo. Taylor C. C.

In the name of God Amen I Francis Williams of the County of Orange Planters
being weak in body but in Perfect and Sound memory Thanks be to Almighty God
for the same Do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and Form
Following

I give and bequeath my precious and comfortable estate into the hands of my
Dear Son and Beloved Friend and my Body to the Care of the

Ordered at the direction of my Executor herein named as for my
Temporal Estate with which it has pleased God to bless me I have by my
Item I Give and Bequeath to my loving Son Edmund Williams one hundred Acres of
Land with the Plantation whereon I now live and also Summers Creek of Land
Joining Kennerly Straddle whereon I now live Bryan and Philip Rogers now
Live and Three hundred Acres of Land on the Dogwood hill adjoining James
Hillars and one hundred and Fifty Acres of Land joining Simon Ramsey
With all my Household Goods and Furnitures Stock and Regalia them and his
Hors and if he dies without Issue to my Son Francis Williams the Heir and
for want of such issue to return to my Heir.

Item I Give and Bequeath to my loving Son Francis Williams one hundred Acres of
Land adjoining Plantations whereon I now live ^{to him and his heirs forever} if he survives my loving wife
Elizabeth Williams

Item I send unto my Dear and Beloved Wife Elizabeth all and singular my Real and
Personal Estate to her Bequest and I do hereby give and bequeath unto the
Widow if she survives the whole of the Estate that I have lent to wife shall be divided
as the Law directs.

Item I Do here constitute and appoint my loving Son Edmund Williams Executor of this

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my Last Will and Testament and do hereby revoke and make void all other Wills by
me heretofore made In Harmony whereof I have heretofore taken my hand & affixed

my seal this 3rd Day of April 1766

Signed Testes & Witnesses

Declaris in presence of us

William H. Hargis

John Hargis

Samuel Bullock

Francis F. Williams

At a Court held for Orange County on Thursday the 24th Day of July 1766.

That the Last Will and Testament of Francis Williams Dec^d was proved by the said W^m Hargis

John Hargis and Samuel Bullock Witnesses thereto and the said Will being contested by

Francis Williams and several Witnesses being Examined it is the opinion of the Court

that the said Will be admitted to record and in the name of Edward Williams the Executor

who made oath according to the Certificate as granted him for obtaining Probate

thereof do in uniform for giving security whereof he with John Gaudin John Oag

and others have taken the oaths and acknowledged their names for the same

the 24th of July 1766