

Roper deceased and his heirs and assigns
and divided the Estate amongst the Legatus
David Flournoy
Thomas Harris Jr
John Harris.

At a Court held for Powhatan County the 18th day
of May 1803 This Report of the settlement of Anthony
Martins executorship Accounts of the estate of Shadrach
Roper deceased was returned and Ordered to be recorded

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I John Hughes of Powhatan County being in good health
and of sound disposing sense and memory, but knowing the
uncertainty of this transitory life, do make this my last
Will and Testament in manner following.

It is my Will and desire that all my just Debts and
necessary funeral charges be first paid.

I give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Williams
one Negro Girl named Lucy, and her future Increase; a
feather Bed and furniture which stands up stairs

in the house wherein I now dwell, on a Black Walnut
Bedstead; and one large Turkish, to her, her heirs and assigns
for ever.

I give and bequeath to my grand Daughter Marcia
Williams one Negro girl named Tumah, also a small Turk.
I give and bequeath to my grand Daughter Ann. H. Harrison
wife of Benjamin Harrison the sum of Fifty pounds Current
Money to be paid to her out of the proceeds of my Estates by my
Executors hereafter named.

I give to my Daughter in Law Judith Hughes one half of
my Stock of Hogs, also one half of the Pork or Bacon which
may be in the house at my Death.

From the entire trust and confidence which I repose in my
friends Benjamin Harrison Peter Stratton and Thomas
Tucker junr. I do, after all my Just debts and the specific
legacies herein before given are fully satisfied and paid, vest
in Trust to them the said Benjamin Harrison Peter Stratton
and Thomas Tucker junr. all the rest and residue of my Estate
both real and personal for the following uses, to wit that all
the Slaves which I shall die possessed of, contained in the said
residue, with the consent of the Guardian or Guardians of my
Grandsons Robert and Jesse sons of my son David Hughes
deceased, shall be employed on the Lands which have or may
devolve to my said Grandsons, untill the eldest of them shall
attain the Age of Twenty One years, that my said Trustees

Money to be paid, to her out of the proceeds of my Estate by my Executors hereafter named.

I give to my Daughter in Law Sarah Hughes one half of my Stock of Hogs, also one half of the Pork or Bacon which may be in the house at my Death.

From the entire trust and confidence which I repose in my friends Benjamin Harrison Peter Stratton and Thomas Tucker junr. I do, after all my Just debts and the specific legacies herein before given are fully satisfied and paid, Vest in Trust to them the said Benjamin Harrison Peter Stratton and Thomas Tucker junr. all the rest and residue of my Estate both real and personal for the following uses, to wit: that all the Slaves which I shall die possessed of, contained in the said residue, with the consent of the Guardians or Guardians of my Grandsons Robert and Jesse sons of my son David Hughes deceased, shall be employed on the Lands which have or may descend to my said Grandsons, untill the eldest of them shall attain the Age of Twenty One years, that my said Trustees shall appropriate the Net proceeds of the profits arising from the labor of the said Slaves, or so much thereof as will be found necessary, to the support and education of them my said Grandsons, the surplus, if any, to remain on their hands to be accounted for as effects and to the end, that the said Slaves may be settled on the

said Lands with as little expence as possible,
 it is my Will that my said Trustees, who will be
 herein after named Executors to this my last Will and
 Testament, shall allot so much of my live Stock of
 every kind, plantation Tools and utensils, household and
 Kitchen furniture contained in the said residue
 which they in their discretion, shall think fit and
 necessary to place on the said Lands with the said
 Slaves, and sell the surplus, if any, of my goods and chattels
 of every kind, according to Law, for the benefit of my said Grandsons.
 After the eldest of my said Grandsons Robert and Jesse Hughes shall
 have attained the full Age of Twenty one years, I give and bequeath
 all the aforesaid residue of my estate to be equally divided among
 them my said Grandsons, to them and their respective heirs or assigns
 for ever provided that if either of them the said Robert or Jesse
 shall depart this life before he arrives to the Age of Twenty one
 Years, the dividend of the Estate hereby meant to be given to him
 so departed, shall be, and is hereby given to the survivor of them and
 if it shall so happen that both of them the said Robert and
 Jesse shall depart this life before they shall have attained
 the Age of Twenty one Years, It is my Will and desire that
 the said residue of my estate be equally divided among all my
 Grand Children or my Daughter Fanny Williams her Daughter
 Henrietta excepted; not from any dislike I have to her but her being

necessary to place ~~the said~~ ^{Land} with the said
Slaves; and sell the surplus, if any, of my goods and Chattels
of every kind, according to Law, for the benefit of my said Grandsons.
After the eldest of my said Grandsons Robert and Jesse Hughes shall
have attained the full Age of Twenty one years, I give and bequeath
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this Age of Twenty one Years, It is my Will and desire that all
the said residue of my estate be equally divided among all my
Grand Children by my Daughter Fanny Williams her Daughter
Henrietta excepted; not from any dislike I have to her but her being
amply provided for.
I nominate constitute and appoint my friends the above named
Benjamin Harrison Peter Shallow and Thomas Tucker Just
Executors to this my last Will and Testament. In testimony
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal
this Thirteenth Day of December One thousand Eight hundred

and I do declare this to be my last Will and Testament
and hereby making null and void all and every Will or
Wills heretofore by me made.

Signed Sealed published
I declared by Ann Hughes
to be her last Will and
Testament In Presence
of us, who at her request do
here attest the same.

Ann Hughes (Seal)

Test

Pleasant Tucker
Thomas Tucker
John Hughes Russell

My Will and desire is that what follows be considered
as part of my Will I give to Judith ^{Hughes} one fourth part of the
horned Cattle including what she already has;
I give to my Daughter Fanny Williams one third of the horned
Cattle that may remain after Judith Hughes has taken
out her part, ~~and~~ to my Saddle & Bridle and a suit of Morning

Test

Thomas Tucker
John & Russell

Ann Hughes (Seal)

At a Court held for Powhatan County the 18th Day of June
1803 This last Will and Testament of Ann Hughes deceased
was presented in Open Court and proved by the oaths of
Pleasant Tucker Thomas Tucker and John Russell and the

