

Arthur Pitman
James Taylor

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At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 18 Day of November
1754 This Will was proved by the Oaths of John Pitman Arthur Pitman
and James Taylor the Witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded
And on the Motion of Katherine & Thomas Taylor the Executors herein
named who made oath according to Law Certificate was granted
them for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form giving Security

Test R. Helles 18

Edward
Barrett's
Will
Southampton County {In Virginia} In the Name of God Amen
I Edward Barrett of Southampton County being Very Sick and weak
of Body but in perfect memory Thanks be to God for it and
Remembering the Mortality of my Body do give and Bequeath
in this Manner following first I Bequeath my soul to God Who
gave it and my Body to be Buried in Decent manner according to
the Directions of my Executors and with what worldly goods God

hath been pleased to Endow me with. I Give and Dispose of in manner and terms as following

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Son Edmond the Plantation as I now Live on and half my Land Belonging to it to he and his Heirs forever and a Feather Bed and furniture

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Son Simon the Plantation that he Liveth on and the other half of my Land to he and his Heirs forever and one Cow and calf and one Dish and one Bacon

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Wife Sarah two Feather Beds and furniture During her Life and then to my Son Edmond and I Give to my Wife Sarah my Riding Horse bridle & saddle

Item Now the Rest of my Estate to be Equally Divided Betwixt my wife Sarah and my Son Edmond

I do hereby Constitute and appoint my Wife Sarah and my Son Edmond my whole and sole Executors of this my Last Will & Testament

Witness my Hand and Seal

This 24 Day of October 1751

Edmond T Barrett
Mark

furniture During her Life and then to my Son Edmond
and I give to my Wife Sarah my Riding Horse bridle & saddle
Item Now the Rest of my Estate to be Equally Divided Betwixt
my Wife Sarah and my Son Edmond

I do hereby Constitute and appoint my Wife Sarah and my Son
Edmond my whole and sole Executors of this my Last Will & Testament

Witness my Hand and Seal

Edmond T. Barrett
Mark

This 24 Day of October 1751

Test Samuel Davis

William M. Fowler

Jacob T. Barrett

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 14th Day of Nov: 1751

This Will was proved by the Oaths of Samuel Davis William
Fowler & Jacob Barrett the Witnesses thereto and on the Motion
of Edmond Barrett one of the Executors therein named who made
Oath according to Law Certificate is granted him for obtaining
a probat hereof in due form giving security

Test R. Wells Ck