

J^r William
White's

In the name of god amen this twenty fifth day of February one
thousand seven hundred and sixty five I John Williams of the
county of Southampton and parish of Saint Luke, gent being
in perfect mind and memory thanks to almighty god for the
same therefore calling to mind the mortality of my body and
knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do
make and ordain this my last will and testament that is to
say for ever finally and first of all I recommend my soul to almighty
god that gave it and my body I recommend to the earth to be
buried in a decent Christian manner at the discretion of
my executors hereafter mentioned nothing doubting but at the
general resurrection I shall receive the same again of the
mighty power of god and as touching such worldly and
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~~Impiety~~ I leave the use of my plantation I have on with all the
stock viz cattle hogs sheep horses and all my household
goods and the use of ten negroes viz Jeffery Jammy
Will, Dick, Jack, Lewis, Ned, Amos & Pat during their whole
lives

127 Item I give and bequeath unto my son Jeremiah at the age of twenty one years one negro boy called Frank one bed and furniture and the fifth part of my stock to be decided by my executors and at my wifes death or marriage a negro boy called Will to him and his heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Thomas Clemens the plantation known here upon containing three hundred and ten acres at my wifes decease or marriage likewise one negro boy called Lem at the age of twenty one years and one bed and furniture and the fifth part of my stock and likewise a negro boy called Dick at my wifes decease or marriage

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Judy one negro girl called Amey at the age of sixteen years if or married one negro boy called Ned at my wifes death or marriage and the fifth part of my stock and one bed and furniture

Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary at my wifes death or marriage Jamney Cornsack and Pass at the age of fourteen one bed and furniture and the fifth part of my stock and likewise at my wifes death I desire if my may be sold and the money

arising from the said sale may equally be divided amongst my
four children James Thomas Clements, Judson and all the
remainder part of my estate after my just debts are paid
I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Lucy and to her
disposal let it be of what nature or quality soever and I
do likewise constitute and name my loving Father Thomas
Gillum and my Son Benjamin Clements and my loving
wife Lucy my whole and true exorsutors of this my last
will and testament and I do hereby utterly disavow
and disannul all and every other former testaments wills legacies
and bequests and exorsutors by me in any wise before made
named written or bequeathed ratifying and confirming this and
no other to be my last will and testament in witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first

above written.

Signed Sealed published pronounced
and delivered by the said John
Gillum as his last will and testament

John Gillum

in presence of us

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John Gilliam Esq

is a Court held for the county of Southampton the 10 day
of April 1765

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This will was presented in court by Thomas Gilliam &
Benjamin Clements junior the executors therein named proved
by the oaths of Samuel Peter Ann Wolk and Arthur Gilliam
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of the said executors was made oath according to an certificate
is granted them for obtaining a probat Writ in due form
giving security whereupon of

Phillips

Acct Given
The Barron
est. acc.

The estate of Thomas Barron died in account current with Cash
Money of Joseph Phillips executors Hereof

To Joseph Barron for a Coffin	10
To funeral expences	4 6
To expences at the sale & division of the estate	2 16 11
To John Barron as for his account	0
To Peter Butler as for his	1 8 11
To Mr Secretary	32 0 00
To Richard Wells	2 32 30
To the Sheriff	63 0 00
To Cash to John Barron	2 65 00

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