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In the name of god amen I Thomas Davis Junion
of Southampton County being sick and weak but of sound mind &
memory do make and ordain this as an & for my last will & test-
ament and with such goods as it hath pleased god to bless
me I give and bequeath it is followed

I Give to my daughter Anne Davis one feather bed and furniture
two Cows and calves and four sheep which is in her possession

I Give to my son Phillip Davis one feather bed and furniture
two Cows and calves six sheep and young mare named Wilson
also all my flatters tools

I Give to my daughter Elizabeth Davis one feather bed and
furniture two Cows and calves and four sheep

I Give to my wife Hannah Davis one horse named Jack with
saddle and saddle three Cows and calves and four sheep and
one feather bed and furniture Also the use and labour of two
negroes named Lemah and Emey during her natural life and
after her death to be equally divided amongst my three children
and their heirs for ever Also my will and desire that all the
remainder part of my estate not heretofore mentioned may be sold
and after all my just debts being paid to be equally divided
between my wife and children I likewise constitute and appoint
my son Phillip Davis Executor of this my last will and testa-
ment Revoking all other wills before made by me Given under
my hand and seal this seventeenth day of September 1776

Signed Sealed published

and declared to be the last

Thomas Davis Junion

also all my flatters tools

Give to my daughter Elizabeth Davis one feather bed and
furniture two Cows and Calves and four sheep

Give to my wife Hannah Davis a horse named Jack with
saddle and saddle these Cows and Calves and four sheep and
one feather bed and furniture Also the use and labour of two
negroes named Denah and Emory during her natural life and
after her death to be equally divided amongst my three children
and their heirs forever Also my will and desire that all the
remainder part of my estate not heretofore mentioned may be sold
and after all my just debts being paid to be equally divided
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my son Phillip Davis Executor of this my last will and testa-
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Thomas Davis

and declared to be the last
will and testament of Thomas Davis

Edwin Davis

Sally Riggan

for mark

The Court held for the County of Southampton the 14th day of November
1776 This will was presented in Court by Phillip Davis the Executor
therein named and proved by the oaths of Edwin Davis and Sally Riggan
two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded And on the motion
of the said Editor who made oath according to law a Certificate is granted
him for obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving security R.E. &c.

Sam. Holles