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In the Name of God Amen, I Daniel Valentine

of Halifax County being of Sound and Disposing Mind and Memory do make this my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following to wit.

Item I give unto my Brother Joshua Valentine all my household Furniture and my working Tools of every kind now to him & his heirs for ever.

Item My Will and Desire is that if I should die that my Mare should be sold to the highest bidder, and the money arising therefrom, I give an bequeath to my Mother Mary Valentine and my sister Mary Valentine to be Equally divided between them to them and their heirs for Ever. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and fixed my seal this first Day July in the year of our Lord 1779.

Test
Tho.^s Neale.

Daniel ^{his} Valentine Seal
March

Halifax County February Court 1782

The above Will was duly proved in Open Court by the Oath of Tho.^s Neale. as subscribing witness thereto and after the necessary Qualification was ordered to be Recorded