Halifax County } Then this Will was exhibited in Open Court
Dec 6th 1847 } duly proven by the oaths of John Carter & Edward Drongoole Esqrs
two of the subscribing Witnesses thereto who says that the Testator at
the time of signing & acknowledging the same was of sound mind &
memory & no Matters ordered to be Recorded, Whereupon Edward
Drongoole Esq the Executor therein named came in & was duly
qualified thereto —

Test Richard Eyres Clk

I James Davis make this my last Will & Testament I give
all right title & Interest which I have to my wife Rina & my Children
which she now has or may have, under & by Virtue of the Will of Wm
Mary Davis, I give & devise to William Bunt of Halifax Town in
Trust & on this express condition to use all Lawfull ways & Means to
have my said wife & children liberated & set free, as soon after my death
as practicable. And I give to the said William in Trust for the benefit
of my said wife & all my Children, (and as well as free) all my
property of every description. My wife & keep possession of my Houses
&c &c

Debts & all my other property during her life & after her Death to be sold & the Money equally divided among all my Children - and I appoint the said William Burt my Executor - Witness my hand & Seal this 2d Jany A D 1817 -

Signd & Seald in the presence of
Jno Burgess Jr
E. Andrews Jr

James his X mark Davis Seal

Halifax County } Then this Will was exhibited in open Court & duly
Feby Sessions 1817 } proven by the oaths of Thomas Burgess & Edmund Andrews the two
subscribing witnesses thereto & on Motion ordered to be Recorded. Whereupon
William Burt the Executor therein named came in & was duly qualified
thereto -

Test Richard Eppes C.C.

I James Davis of North Carolina Halifax County. being of
perfect mind & memory do make & ordain my last will and
Testiment - I will my living after paying my Debts the balance
I have & have to my wife to have & raise my Children with
and if my wife gets Married I then leave my property to