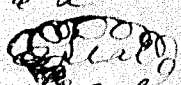


In the Name of God Amen I Richard Pope of the  
Parish of Edgcombe in the County of Salisbery being sick  
and Weak but sound and Perfect Mind and Memory  
do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament  
in Manner and form following Vizt.  
I give and Bequeath the Plantation and Land  
whereon I now Live to my Brother Jordan Pope also the  
Plantation and Land whereon the Widow Walker  
now Lives after the death of Mr. Walker in Law Patience  
Payer to him and his heirs forever, But if my said  
Brother Jordan should desert this Life with out  
Leaving Lawfull Issue of his body then I Give and  
Bequeath the said Plantations and Lands to my  
Brother William Pope and to the heirs of his body  
Lawfully Begotten for ever, I also Give and Bequeath  
my said Brother Jordan nine head of Cattle my  
stock of hogs and sheep, Except one Pig & Lamb my  
horse Saddle & Fiddle, all the Corn, wider Cakes & Working  
tools on my Plantation my Cart & the Cart and Wheels  
which are between my Brother Jordan and my self  
my Lids Bedchamber and furniture, my Chest my Writing  
Apparrell all my household furniture, half my Cuck  
my debts and Ready Money and oats, he allowing  
and Paying unto his Brother Joel Pope one suit of new  
German serge Cloath when he shall arrive to Lawfull Age  
Item I Give and Bequeath to my Brother William  
Pope four head of Cattle half my Cuck & small Chest  
Item I Give and Bequeath to my Cousin Molly Cronell  
one Cow and Lamb, and I do hereby Constitute and  
Appoint my said Brother Jordan Pope my sole Executor  
to this my last Will and Testament Making and  
Requesting my Neighbour Mr Thomas Hall to assist  
and Advise him in, and Concerning the Premises

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to this my Last Will and Testament Relating and  
Requesting my Neighbour Mr Thomas Hall to assist  
direct and Advise him in, and Concerning the Premises  
Until he shall arrive to Lawfull age, In Witness whereof  
I the said Richard Pope have hereunto set my hand and  
seal this twentieth day of April Anno Domini 1762

Richard Pope   
Signed Sealed Published and Delivered by the within said  
Testator to his his true Last Will and Testament I Presents of  
Thomas Hall John Cronell, Testers in the presence of  
Halifax 3<sup>rd</sup> July Superior Court 1763  
Shew this Will was exhibited in open Court in such Manner

Extenors and and was duly sworn by the oath of John  
Cromell one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto, who deposes  
that he saw Thomas Hall and Katherine Morgan  
sign the said Will as a Witnesses. Whereupon Jordan  
Pope came into Court and was duly Qualify'd by  
taking the oath by Law directed. on Motion Affidavit to be  
Recorded.

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