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William Vick
Will

In the name of God I shew the 14th day of November in the third of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and forty six that William Vick of the County of
Southampton and State of Virginia being weak in body but of sound mind
and memory calling to mind the mortality of man and knowing that it appertaineth
for all men to die I shew and shew that my last will and Testament and
first of all I recommend my soul to the hands of God that governeth our form
body I recommend to the bar that I stand in a decent manner and shew that I
and as keeping worldly Estate and that I have and I have and I have
of as follows in manner and form viz. 1st I desire that as much of the personal
part of my Estate be immediately sold after my decease as will be sufficient to pay
all my just debts and funeral expenses with what money I have 2nd All the
payment of all my just debts and funeral expenses I shew my loving wife Sally Vick
and my plantation where I now live for and during her life or widowhood also
I shew my wife Sally Vick the use of all the residue of my Estate both Real & personal
during her life or widowhood I shew consideration of the maintenance of my three
children George H. Andrew & Rebecca Vick 3rd I give to my son Lewis Vick after
my wife's decease a marriage the land and plantation where I now live
during the same land I shew to my wife during her life to her
and his heirs forever 4th I give to my two daughters Mary H. & Rebecca Vick
after my wife's decease a marriage all the residue of my Estate both Real & personal
be it great or small to them and their heirs forever to be equally divided between them
5th If it my wish that my Executors under named should take my son Lewis Vick
when he arrives to the age of Thirteen Years and put him to his trade and to set
him free when he should arrive to the age of Twenty Years 6th and Lastly
I hereby constitute and appoint my friend John Holt my Executor and
Executor of this my last will and Testament all other wills by me informed
In Witness whereof I the said William Vick hath hereunto set my hand and
this day and date above written

signed sealed published
in presence of

William Vick

Lewis Howell
James ^{his} Vick
John ^{mark} Henry
Southampton County January Court 1848 The said
William Testament of William Vick dec^d was proved by
the oath of Lewis Howell and John Henry pres of the witnesses
therein and made a record and the said the Executors under named signed to take on
himself the burden of the Executors thing on the motion of Lewis Howell whom said
witnesses both and together with the said Lewis Howell his standing entered into and each
a bond in the penalty of one thousand Dollars conditioned as the said Lewis Howell Certificate
is granted the said Lewis Howell for showing Letters of administration on the said
William Vick's Estate with the will aforesaid annexed in due form

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