

old estate, after the payment of my debts and funeral expenses and exclusive of that bequeathed herein.

Lastly, I give and bequeath, the other ten thousand of my Negro Slaves, and those bequeathed to my wife, at her death, and all the rest of my estate to my four children, Charlotte, Edwin, Polly Hill and Stuart to be equally divided amongst them, and if any of my said children shall die under age, and without lawful issue, it is my will and desire that the property real and personal devolve to such child or children shall be equally divided among my surviving children, and the lawful issue of such, if any, as may have died having issue - such issue taking per stirpes.

Lastly, My last and desire is to make an equal distribution of my estate amongst my children and whereas by the death of Elizabeth Barrow, my three eldest children, Charlotte, Edwin and Polly Hill, are entitled to a share of her estate which came to my hands, now the foregoing devise and bequest, to them and each of them, including that to said Charlotte their husbands, are made upon the express condition, that each of them shall release to my Executors for my estate, the said distribution share in the said Elizabeth Barrow's estate. And if any one or more of them shall refuse to execute such release, I then give, devise and bequeath all the property herein before devised and bequeathed to such child or children so refusing to my son Stuart Harris.

Lastly, I hereby invest my Executors as Executors and Testamentary Guardians of my children, with full power, if they seem it best to sell the negro slaves bequeathed my infant children, and put the money at interest for them.

Lastly, I nominate and appoint my friends Dr Robert I. Musgrave and Peter Edwards Executors of this my last Will and Testament, and Testamentary Guardians of my infant children. In witness I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this seventeenth day of October in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty three

Signed sealed, published and acknowledged in presence
of us, who at request of the testator and in his presence,
have subscribed our names as Witnesses.

Stuart Harris (son)

Joseph Joiner

William S. Williams

Mills Williams

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 19th day of June 1837.

This last Will and Testament of Stuart Harris deceased, was proved by the oath of Joseph Joiner and Mills Williams two of the Witnesses thereto and named to be examined. And on the motion of Robert I. Musgrave and Peter Edwards the Executors therein named who made oath and together with Samuel Quincy, William A. Jones, Nathaniel Francis and Joseph T. Lewis, their securities entered into and acknowledged as herein in the penalty of twenty-five thousand dollars, conditioned as the Law directs, that if it is granted them for obtaining a probate of said will in due form.

Teste L. R. Edwards C. C.

The Estate of Jernell Turner decd

J. Turner's
and Cash

In account with David Bowens late Sheriff of the County

		Dr	Cr	Shd
1833				
Decr	31	By balance due as Tolson's Report	71 89	
1834	Jan'y	1 " Sales of 5 negroes	1105 00	
		2 To paid Robert Musgrave guardian James & Elizabeth Turner	1176 89	
		" " William S. Parker attorney	3 25	
		" " John M. Thomas clerk at sale	1 00	
	27	" " J. B. Bowry his account	1 00	