

testament in manner following after recommending my
soul to god the creator of it and of all things and my
body to be decently buried at the discretion of my exors
hereafter mentioned.

Item

My will and desire is that all my just debts be paid
I then I lend to my loving wife Martha Thorpe during her
natural life the part of my plantation wherein I
now live to be laid off as I have informed James Jones
Henry Taylor with the following negroes Moll Dick
Phibb and Tom I give and bequeath to my said
wife two good feather beds and furniture fifteen head
cattle my grey mare and colt an old mare called
Peachum twelve sows & piggs and ten good hogs for
bacons.

Item

I give and bequeath to my son Peterson Thorpe my
plantation on Nochevian wherein Jesse Newsom is
now overseer with all the land I hold joyning the said
plantation with the following negroes Jarmy Hagar
Bess Neer Sam Poingy Judy Daniel & Ball Also twenty
head of cattle on each plantation to be taken out of my
stock on the said plantation as I have informed James
Jones and Henry Taylor with all the breeding sows
on the said plantations which said ^{lands} negroes & stock I
give to my said and his heirs forever.

Item

I give and bequeath to my son Timothy Thorpe my planta-
tion wherein William Pomeroy is now overseer with all
the land I hold joyning the said plantation & the
plantation wherein I now live with all the land I
hold joyning the said plantation on both sides of the
three creeks except that part which I have lent to my
wife during her life and that after her death with
the following negroes Bristol Jarmy Samy Theodor Gay
Babish Jacob and Darby Also ten breeding sows and