

# 352 Southampton County Seal?

In Obediance to an order of Court bearing Date the 11<sup>th</sup> of Oct: 1770 we the subscribers being appointed appraisers to appraise the estate of Elizabeth Hart Decd have met & being first sworn as usual have appraised all the Estate of decant that was brought before our views as followeth (to wit)

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| To a Negro woman - - - - -       | 40      |
| To a parcel of corn - - - - -    | 7 16    |
| To a parcel of Tobacco - - - - - | 2 0     |
| To a parcel of hogs - - - - -    | 1 21 9  |
| To Cask - - - - -                | 1 14 8  |
| To fodder - - - - -              | 12      |
| To a bottle - - - - -            | 4       |
| To a parcel of Cotton - - - - -  | 15 7    |
| Sepe Washington                  | 54 10 6 |

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 13<sup>th</sup> day of December 1770

This Inventory & appraisement of the Estate of Elizabeth Hart Decd was returned & ordered to be recorded

*J. Kelly & Co*

B<sup>th</sup> Hart's Will

In the of God amen I Robert Hart of Southampton County being in good health of body & sound mind & perfect memory do make this my last will & testament in manner following first I command my soul to God who gives it me & secondly my body to the earth to be decently buried the executors hereafter mentioned & for what estate I have I dispose of as followeth

- Item I give unto my son Thomas Hart 50 acres of land more or less lying on the North side of Tedders branch running up to Biggs Branch to Robert Atkinson live to him & his heirs forever
- Item I give unto my son Sepe Hart the plantation whereon I now live with all the remainder of my land to him & his heirs forever
- Item My wife's devise is that my son Robert Hart may have my young mare as she shall be appraised & money due to my Estate likewise my will & devise is that my neg. Bob & Tony may be sold & the money to return to my estate

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