

I Item I give to my son Ethelred every the plantation and tract of land now lying on which a house may be sold to the highest bidder at my death and the money arising therefrom to be put out to interest untill he come to the age of twenty one to him and to his heirs for ever but in case my said son Ethelred should dye before he attain to the age of twenty one then my will is that the money my lands sell for go to my daughter Elizabeth every and to his heirs for ever

I Item my desire is that after my just debts and funeral expences are discharged that all the remaining part of my estate be sold and after my loving wife sometime taking her one third part that the remainder be equally divided between my son Ethelred and my daughter Elizabeth every

I do hereby appoint my friend Rowell Edmunds to be my whole and sole Executor of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all others by me before made allowing this to be my last In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27th day of July 1773 Richard Avery

Signed Sealed & acknowledged  
in presence of  
David Edmunds  
Benjamin Turner  
David Edmunds Jun<sup>r</sup>

A Court held for the county of Southampton the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 1776 This will was presented in Court by Rowell Edmunds the executor therein named and proved by the oaths of David Edmunds and David Edmunds Jun<sup>r</sup> two of the witnesses thereto and order to be recorded and on the motion of the said Executor whomade oath according to law certificate is granted him for obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving security Whereupon R<sup>d</sup> J<sup>o</sup> Hellece

Inv<sup>ty</sup> Acc<sup>ts</sup> Cur

The Estate of Henry Ivy deced<sup>t</sup> to Henry & Robert Ivy

Executors of his will	De <sup>s</sup>
1774 Top <sup>ts</sup> Moses Harris for 2 gallons & 3 quarts Rum for the	15.12
Burial	1.5
for packing and carrying in the crop of Tobacco	1.6
shaping a parcel of Tobacco	11.2
25 nails for fixing Tobacco	2.8
8 Gallons Rum for the sale of the estate	11.6
Top <sup>ts</sup> Edward Reese for crying the estate	1.10
To trouble for looking after the crop &c	1.10.10
To p <sup>ts</sup> John Shaw & C <sup>o</sup> their acc <sup>ts</sup>	1.9
To p <sup>ts</sup> Moses Shope his acc <sup>ts</sup>	1.8.5
To p <sup>ts</sup> James Harris his acc <sup>ts</sup>	5
To 11 y <sup>rs</sup> Cotton to Cloath the negroes & 27	1.16.3
To Richard Holt Tobacco Secretary	1.3.2
To 200 to D <sup>o</sup> Clerk Southampton	10
To p <sup>ts</sup> Sheriff Southampton for 2 Rent of land and levies for	10
To p <sup>ts</sup> Robert Jones his account	10.1
To 11 lb Tobacco for the Clerk of Southampton for record	3
his account current	
To making 3 p <sup>ts</sup> negroes shaft	