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Will

In the Name of God Amen, I, John Pitman of the County of South-
ampton being in perfect sense of mind memory & free Recollection of my mind
One thousand Seven hundred & Eighty do make of Publish this my last
Will & Testament in manner & form following (that is to say, Viz)

Item, I Give & Bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Boykin, the Solan-
tation whereon I Live, Including all the Land I possess in this State of
North Carolina, also three Negroes Viz, B. N. Pace & Phillis to her &
her Heirs for ever

Item, I Give & Bequeath to my Daughter Dorcas Stevens Three Negroes, Viz,
Nan, Morning of Aaron to her & her Heirs forever

Item, I Give & Bequeath to my Daughter Susanna Taylor four Negroes (Viz)
Anny, Patience, Jack, Henry & Watt to her & her Heirs forever

Item, I Give & Bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Williamson six
Hundred to her & her Heirs forever

Item, I Give & Bequeath to my Daughter Mourning Pitman seven
Negroes (Viz) Grace, Kate, Jacob, Simon, Fathy, Jane, & Rachell one
Sea-ther Bed of Furniture, her Choice of my Wifes, Saddle of Bridle
also a Promerary Note due me from John Boykin for thirty thousand
pounds of N^o. or Three hundred pounds in Gold or Silver to her & her Heirs
for ever

Item, My will & Desire is that all the remainder of my Estate be split &
the Money arising therefrom be equally Divided Between my Daughters
Sarah Boykin Dorcas Stevens Susanna Taylor & Mourning Pitman of their lives

Item, I do make ordain constitute & Appoint my son Indaw John Boykin
my whole & sole Executor of this my last Will & Testament In Witness
whereof I have set my hand & affixed my Seal the Day & Year first above
written

Signed Sealed & Acknowledged
In the presence of
Micaiah Edwards, William ^{his} Newsum _{mark} John Wilkinson

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 11th Day of Jan^r 1781.
This Will was presented in Court by Jn^r Boykin the Ex^r, therein named
& proved by the Oaths of Micaiah Edwards, William Newsum & John Wilkinson
the Witnesses thereto and Ordred to be Recorded and on the motion of the Ex^r Executor
who made Oath according to law Certificate is granted him for obtaining a
Probate in due form giving Security whereupon &c.

Sam^l Wells & Co.

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