

In obedience to an order from the Worshipful Court of Southampton we the undersigned have attended at the dwelling house of the late Benjamin Browne in the County aforesaid and have appraised all the Estate of the said Browne deceased as for Inventory at the rates aforesaid

Arthur Crum
John St. Paul
Thomas Wood

A Court held for the County of Southampton the 10th day of April 1789 This Inventory and appraisement of the estate of Benjamin Browne deceased was this day reported and ordered to be recorded

Timothy
Thorp's
Will

In the name of God amen Timothy Thorp of the parish of St. Lukes and County of Southampton being of sound mind and memory do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following (to wit)

- I give and bequeath to my Nephew John Richardson the Tract of land where an Inn resides containing the whole of my lands on the three Creeks and also one Negro Boy called Tom
- I give and bequeath to my Nephew John Person of Millium the Tract of land lying and being on the Anglica Swamp with all its appurtenances and also one Negro Boy called David
- I give and bequeath to my Niece Peggy Ridley two Negroes Phinor and Juny with their children
- I give and bequeath to my Niece Patsy Thorp one Negro called Sam
- I give and bequeath to my Nephew John Person of Phillp one negroe called Tany
- I desire that all my estate be kept together for the benefit of my daughter as long as she lives single and after her marriage or death
- I desire that my estate be sold and equally divided betwixt the following persons
John Richardson John Person of Phillp Dorothy Atterton Peggy Ridley Patsy
- My will and desire is that if any of the above Legatees die his her or their Legacies be equally divided amongst the surviving ones
- and lastly I do appoint Petersen Tharpe and Phillip Person executors to this my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have set my hand and Seal this 27th day of January 1776.

of January 1776. Signed Sealed published & declared by the Tutor to be his Will in presence of

William Moore } of Timothy Thorp did in consultation before that Court was established
Sarah Atkinson }
whereupon the same was ordered to be recorded and on the motion of Jordan Richardson who made oath according to law certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration in the said will annexed on the estate of the said deceased giving security whereupon &c.

A Court held for the County of Southampton the 4th day of April 1789 at transcript of the record from the general court was produced from which it appears that the last will & testament of Benjamin Browne deceased was established

Timothy Thorp

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