

A Court held for the County of Southampton the 15th day of December 1789.
 This Will was presented in Court by P^r. Joseph Tyler and Edmund Tyler
 the executors therein named proved by the oaths of John T. Blane Robert Williams
 and William Blawie witnesses thereto and ordered Esds recorded and on the Motion
 of the said Executors who made oath according to law Certificate was granted them for
 obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving Security whereupon to

John
 Edwards
 wife

In the name of God amene I John Edwards of Hampton
 County and late of Virginia being sick and weak in body but in perfect mind &
 Memory than be to God for sending calling to mind the mortality of my Body know-
 ing it is appointed for all men once to die and ordain this my last will &
 Testament principally and first of all commending and commanding my soul to
 almighty God trusting in a glorious resurrection and my body to the ground to be
 buried in a Christian manner and attaching such worldly Estate as it hath
 pleased almighty God to bless me with in this life to give in the following
 manner and form Vizt

I give to my son Micajah Edwards the plantation he now lives on containing
 one hundred and ninety Acres more or less lying on the East side of Little
 swamp and bounded as follows beginning at a gum in the said swamp then
 nearly East Course to a line of Market trees to the head of washings swamp
 thence down the various Courses of the said swamp to a red oak then a
 long line of market trees to a white oak in middle of my pond thence
 along a line of market trees nearly west Course to a pine a corner tree
 thence by a line of market trees to the Little swamp to a Cypress a corner
 tree thence up the various Courses of the said swamp to the beginning
 also one Negro Boy named Luke to him and his heirs for ever

I give to my son Eustis Edwards the plantation whereon he now lives
 containing two hundred and fifty Acres more or less and bounded
 as follows beginning at a Cypress in the Little swamp in William
 Joneses line thence along the said line to a Hickory thence in
 a line of market trees nearly a East course to a small Cypress
 near the run of the Little swamp thence up the various Courses
 of the said swamp to Micajah Edwards line thence along
 his line to a white oak a corner thence a long a line of market
 trees to a red oak in washings swamp a dividing line between
 the aforesaid Micajah and Eustis Edwards thence down the
 various Courses of the said swamp to the Cypress road
 thence up the said road to Pauls Dornings line