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Phoebe
Williams
Beall
Simpson

In the name of god amen I Graphoditus Williams of Southampton County and state of Virginia being in perfect health praise be god do make this my last Will and testament as followeth.

I give unto my son Ephraim Williams my land where now he lives after my decease containing by estimation one hundred and fifty acres more or less it being a part of Robert Bryants pertain and bounded as follows (to wit) Beginning at a highwood post at a corner in Jacob Williams line thence along the said Williams line to a post oak a corner in the said Jacobs Williams line thence to a pine in Joel Edwards line thence along the said Edwards line to a corner tree of Robert Torgersons a willow swamp to a black gum a corner of Edmund Warrets Land in the said Torgersons line thence along the said Warrets line to a red oak thence along a line of new marked trees to the beginning to him his heirs Executors assigns and also after my decease all my household furniture and all my personal estate to be equally divided between my children which is Ephraim Williams and Jacob Williams and Sarah Bryant and Elizabeth Warrell and I do make my Sons Ephraim Williams and Jacob Williams Sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament after paying my debts legacies and funeral expences In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this eighth day of April one thousand seven hundred and ninety one

Teste Lewis Bryant
Joel Edwards
marks

Nathan Williams
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Graphoditus Williams
marks

It is a Court held for the County of Southampton the 8th day of December 1791

This Will was presented in Court by Ephraim Williams one of the executors therein named proved by the oaths of Lewis Bryant and Joel Edwards two of the witnesses there to and ordered to be recorded and on the motion of the said executor who made oath according to law Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate thereof in due form giving security whereupon he