

446 In Witness to an order of S^tampton County Court dated December 1853 we have
appeared and Invented the Estate of William Stephens on Sub^d Dec^d as it above
stands —

Arthur D. dis
Sack Tenny
Jas. Boykin

At a Court held for the County of S^tampton the 17th day of October 1853
the Inventory and appraisement of the estate William Stephens on Sub^d Dec^d was
this day read and ordered to be recorded —

Sam^l Hall Esq

Adm^r
of
will
In the name of God Amen, I Andrew McElliac of S^tampton County, being
of perfect sound memory and calling to mind the uncertainty of
this mortal body, do make constitute and ordain this my last will and
testament, In the following four first and principally: I will that all my
lawful debts and burial charges be paid out of my estate, the residue and
remainder of my estate, I dispose of as follows, and I will that the land and
plantation whereon I now live be sold at my exec^r my wife receive i.e.
the use of the s^d plantation during her natural life or widowhood ex-
cepted, and the money arising from the sale of the land to pay my debts,
I also leave my Horse Coll to my Son Andrew, to be kept for the use of my
wife till the s^d Andrew shall arrive to an age to take possession of him, also the
residue and remainder of my estate, I give to my beloved wife Mary McElliac,
during her natural life, or widowhood, and at her death or marriage I will
that my whole estate then remaining be equally divided among all my
children. Lastly I do appoint my friends John Johnson Jun^r and my Brother
Frederick McElliac my whole and sole Executors to this my last will
Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Affixed
my seal this 25th day of October in the year of our lrd, one thousand eight
hundred & Three —

signed sealed published and declared to be — } Andrew McElliac
the last will and testament of Andrew McElliac } mark

James ^{his} Bryant

James ^{his} Gray

Asa Beale

At a Court held for the County of S^tampton the 16th day of
December 1853 this will was presented in Court by John
Johnson Jun^r the Ex^r there in name, proved by the oath
of James Bryant James Gray and Asa Beale the witnesses
there to and ordered to be recorded — and on the motion of the s^d Executors who made
oath according to law, Certificate was granted him for obtaining a probat^e thereof
in due form on giving bond —

Sam^l Hall Esq
Clerk