

At a court held for the county of Southampton on the day of January 1808. This will was presented in court by John Harris the executor named in the will proved by the oaths of Willm. Chapman and Elisha Whitley the witnesses hereto and ordered to be recorded - And on the motion of the said executor who made oath according to law probate is granted him on his giving security Whereupon &c.

Edmund
Tyler's
Will
Imp^d

In the name of God amen I Edmund Tyler of the county of Southampton do make this writing my last will and Testament in manner and form following -

My will and desire is that my Land Negroes and every other property may remain together for the term of five years from the date of this Instrument, and to be under the management of my son Edward M. Tyler and out of the net proceeds of one half of the produce I desire that all my just debts may be paid and the remainder of the net proceeds of one half at the end of said term to return to my estate the other half of the said produce I give and bequeath to my son Edward M. Tyler

Item

I give and bequeath unto my son Edward M. Tyler all my land and plantation, when now I live containing by estimation Two hundred and seventy Acres be the same more or less and bounded by the ancient lines to have and to hold, to him and his heirs forever

Item

I give and bequeath unto my four daughters Pervincia Clayton Margaret Washington Catharine Edwards and Elmer Joyner the following Negroes to wit Mandy Citney Willis and Quiso to be equally divided according to value upon this particular condition that they do not then to be transported or one of the family and in case they do so my will and desire is that they shall be freed by my executor hereafter named

Item

I give and bequeath unto my son Edward M. Tyler my still which is planted on my plantation upon conditions the he pay unto my estate one hundred dollars -

Item

I give to my grandson Saml. H. Tyler Thirty dollars to be applied towards his education -

I leave the remainder of my estate of what nature soever to be divided into six equal parts that is to say Pervincia Clayton Margaret Washington Catharine Edwards Elmer Joyner

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