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Maby during his life, all the lands I now hold, that I had of Richard M. Hyatt's wife, and at his death I give the Land to his son, Robert S. Maby, to him and his heirs forever; I also give unto my brother Richard Maby the following negroes Viz. Wey, Olive and Hannah, to him and his heirs forever; Item, I give unto Nathaniel E. Maby my grey-bellied Horses to him and his heirs forever. Item, All the rest and residue of my estate of what kind or nature or wherever found, I give it unto my dear and well beloved son in law George Mason to him and his heirs forever; and lastly I do hereby appoint my said son in law George Mason Executor of this my last will and Testament, revoking all other wills by me made: In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of January 1808. Rob^t Maby

At a Court held for Southampton County, February the 20th 1809

This last will and Testament of Robert Maby deceased was this day produced in Court, and there being no subscribing witnesses thereto, James Miller and Henry Buggs Esquires were sworn, who depose that they truly believe that the body of the said will and the Signature of the said Robert Maby the Testator, is wholly written in the proper hand writing of the said Robert, and the said last will and Testament is ordered to be recorded, and George Mason the executor therein named refusing to take upon himself the burden of the execution thereof. On the motion of the said George Mason who made oath according to law, Letters of administration is granted him on the Estate of the said Robert Maby dec^d with his will aforesaid annexed in due form, on his entering into Bond with Security, Whereupon &c. Justs Samuel Wells

Hardy Thorp's
Will

In the name of God amen, I Hardy Thorp of the County of Southampton, being sick, but of sound mind & memory, do make and appoint this to be my last will & Testament, First, I recommend my soul to Almighty God who gave it, and my body to the Earth, to be buried in decent Christian burial, and as to what worldly goods it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow on me in this life, I give & dispose of them in manner and form following; First, I lend to my wife Mary Thorp all & every article I possess on the plantation whereon I now live during her natural life, Item, I lend to my wife Mary Thorp my tract of land whereon John Gray formerly lived during her natural life, and at her decease I give the same to David Thomas this heirs forever, Item, I lend my sister Lucy Long, forty Acres of the Land I possess of my father's Estate during her life, and at her death I give the same to Patsy Long & her heirs forever. Item, I lend my negroes Francis & Dorcas to my mother Martha Thorp during her life & at her death I give the same to my niece Polly Long & her heirs forever.