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Lastly

In the name of God Amen I Richard Harrison (of Henry of the County of Southampton & State of Virginia being weak in body but of sound mind & memory do make and ordain this to be my last will & Testament in the following manner (to wit,

I leave unto my beloved wife Lucy during her natural life the whole of my negroes namely Sterling, Mingo & Simon

I give and bequeath unto my dear Mother Sarah Harrison, one Hundred dollars to her & her heirs forever

I give and bequeath unto my Sister Sally Davis, one feather Bed & furniture to her and her heirs forever

I leave unto my beloved wife Lucy during her natural life, after paying all my just debts, the residue of my Estate which I have not herein before disposed of

My will and desire is that in case my wife should be delivered of a child within nine months from the date hereof that at the death of my said wife, the above mentioned negroes & residue of my estate shall devolve unto the said child as his, or her proper right & title; but should the said child die without leaving a living issue, then and in that case my will & desire is that the above mentioned negroes and residue of my estate should be equally divided between my Sister Sally Davis's children, namely Sally Davis, William Davis & Richard Davis to them and their heirs forever

I nominate & appoint my friend Humphrey Drewry Executor of this my Last will & Testament in Testimony, whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal this 27th September One thousand

Eight hundred & Eight
Signed Sealed & delivered
in presence of
Richard Harrison
Richard Harrison Junr.

Richard Harrison Junior

Tho. Rowell

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the day of December 1809 - This will was presented in Court proved by the oaths of Richard Harrison & Richard Harrison Junr. two of the witnesses hereto and is ordered to be recorded - And at a Court held for the County of Southampton aforesaid on the day of January 1810. On the motion of Humphrey Drewry, the Executor therein named who made oaths according to law Certificate is granted him thereof in due form on giving security whereupon &c

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