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At a will last for the county of Southampton the 15th day of May 1815 His will was presented into court by James Mallett the executor therein named proved by the oaths of the Witnesses thereto of record to be accorded. And on the motion of the said executor who made oath according to law testificated is granted him for obtaining a probate in due form on his giving bond security in the sum of £1000

Teste James Mallett clerk

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In the name of god I James Fowler of Southampton county state of Virginia being sick in body at present but of sound mind and perfect memory do hereby declare to you altogether of my own free will and accord this my last will and testament vizt First of all I desire that all my debts and funeral charges be paid and discharged

Item I give to my daughter Elizabeth Johnson during her life and after her death I give to her lawful heirs begetter of her body if she leave no such heirs then I desire that following property be equally divided among my other three children to wit the Fowler Dammot Fowler of James Fowler to wit One negro girl named Sarah

Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Sabatha Fowler and her heirs forever one negro girl named Fanny one feather bed and furniture one cow and calf one ewe and lamb one chest and spinning wheel and ft of boards one pewter dish two basons and four plates Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Dannah Fowler and her heirs forever One negro girl named Ru and one feather bed and furniture one cow and calf one ewe and lamb one chest and spinning wheel and boards one pewter dish two basons and four plates

Item I give to my son James Fowler and his heirs forever after the death or marriage of my wife Sabatha and two daughters Sabatha and Dannah the plantation whereon I now live with the whole of my lands and also give him one feather bed and furniture and two guns also two negro boys named Pompey and Mingo one cow and calf one ewe and lamb one chest one pewter dish two basons and four plates one horse bridle and saddle and Saddle and after the death or marriage of my wife I give him what money is then remaining in the house

Item I give and bequeath to my wife Sabatha and her heirs one woman Lucy and child Peter I also bind the use of my land in the whole of my household and kitchen furniture and the whole of my negroes that are not named her likewise on the 1st