

of consanguinity give them an equal claim to my
friendship, that gratitude for the many favors which
I have received from my brother James and not partiality
is the only motive which induces me to
make the foregoing bequest at the same time
declaring that could they with the same convenience
have given equal evidence of their love and friendship
I firmly believe they would fully as much have desired
this testimony of my gratitude. I fear and hope for
nothing after death. I therefore hope that no memorial
of my present existence will be preserved, and that my
name and actions may as soon as possible be forgotten.
That this paper contains my will, witness my hand
(which is too well known to require subscribing witness)
and seal this the 22nd day of April 1800 and Sixteen

Peter Peters Wyche Esq.

At a court held for the County of Southampton the 31st day
of July 1817 this writing purporting to be the last will and
testament of Peter Wyche dec^d was this day presented in
court by James Wyche the executor therein named and there
being no subscribing witness thereto, John M. Jeffries and
Austin Middleton were sworn and examined who deposed that
they believed as well the body of the said writing, as the
signatures thereto, to be in the proper hand writing of
him the said Peter P. Wyche, thereupon it is ordered that
the said writing be established as and for his last will
and testament and the same is ordered to be recorded.
And on the motion of James Wyche the ex^r named in said
will who made oath according to law, certificate is granted
him for obtaining probate thereof in due form on his
giving bond and security. Whereupon the said James
Wyche with Samuel Blunt & Lewis Fort his securities
entered into & acknowledged their bond in the penalty
of Five Thousand Dollars, conditioned as at
the law directs

Teste

James Rochelle

Mary Hoag's
Will

In the name of God Amen I Mary Hoag of the county
of Southampton being very sick & weak in (or in perfect
health of) body but (or being) of perfect mind and
Memory thanks be given unto God, calling unto mind
the mortality of my body & knowing that it is appointed
for all woman once to die do make and ordain this my
last will & testament. First I give and bequeath to
Jane Donnell all my personal estate but life's freely
to be used & enjoyed. Also I give to my gr^d daughter
Polley Joyner one brown, one safe & one table & one cow