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 wether shall be well & Truly Contented & Paid or ordained  
 to be paid within convenient Time after my Decease  
 by my Exors hereafter Named. Item I Give & bequeath  
 unto my Grandson Charles Mathis one Hundred  
 Acres of Land Situate Lying & Being on Hawks  
 in the County of Halifax above. Item I Give &  
 Bequeath unto my Beloved Son Thomas my  
 Fellow Named Peter & my Part of the White Mill  
 Item I Give & bequeath unto my Son Thomas  
 Mathis my Negro Fellow Named Cook in  
 Paying of Forty Pounds Virginia Money to be Equally  
 Divided Amongst the Heir and Inher of him this  
 Thomas Mathis Brothers & Sisters. Item I Give &  
 Bequeath unto my Beloved Son Thomas Mathis all  
 my Moveables Goods & Chattels to be Equally Divided  
 amongst his Brothers & Sisters & also I do here by my  
 Name & appoint my beloved Son Thomas Mathis  
 this to be my whole & sole Executor of this my Last  
 Will & Testament In Witnes whereof I have  
 hereunto set my hand & affixed my Seal the day  
 & Year first above Written. James Mathis  
 Signed sealed & Delivered in the presence of us  
 Edward Collins Sen. Edward Collins Jun. Rachel  
 Phillips; Halifax, Oct. 20th 1762  
 This Will was Exhibited in open Court by the Deed  
 and duly Read by the Clerk of Edward Collins Sen. one of the  
 Subscribing Witnesses thereto who on his Oath did say he  
 saw Edward Collins Jun. & Rachel Phillips sign the said  
 Will as Mathis's sole Exors. Thomas Mathis the Deed  
 in the said Court & was duly & legally by Taking the  
 Oath by Law Directed. Read this Will & signed  
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J. M. Montfort  
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