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The following is his will:

I John Eblin of Loudoun County in the state of Virginia being weak in body but of sound disposing mind and memory do this thirteenth day of the eighth month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & ninety five make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form as follows: First, my will is that all my funeral expenses and just debts be fully satisfied and paid by my solicitors hereinafter named, secondly, I give and bequeath unto my daughter Eliza Parker during her life eight acres of land in the north corner of my Plantation, thirdly my will is that my son in law Thomas Chapman have for himself his heirs and assignees forever twenty five acres of land, of that End my Plantation adjoining to Braden and Pierpoint, laid off by and at the discretion of my Executors so as not to Extend further up the run that the head of the mill Pond, and so as not to interfere with the Dwelling house which I live in. In consideration whereof he is to assist in the maintenance of my wife during her life in manner as hereafter mentioned. Fourthly, my will is that my son John Eblin his heirs and assigns have forever all the remaining part of my plantation (including the eight acres after my Daughter Eliza's decease. In consideration whereof he is to pay to my wife, Mary Eblin during her life yearly and every year the sum of ten pounds Virginia Currency. Fifthly, my will is that my wife remain with my son in law Thomas Chapman after my decease (if it be agreeable to her) and that he furnish her with every necessary for her support over and above and which may be wanting more than the ten pounds already mentioned will furnish her with, and further, that if either my son John or son in law Thomas Chapman should refuse, or in any wise neglect to administer to the support of my wife as above mentioned, that then my Executors shall have full power to seize upon by way of distress as for a Common Rent, so much of the land as will satisfy the demand upon him to whom the land is demised, as it is my intent that my wife shall have her support & maintenance from the land. Sixthly, my will is that my son Samuel Eblin have five pounds paid to him his heirs or assigns out of my personal estate. Seventhly, my will is that my son Isaac Eblin have the sum of five shillings, having before given him what I thought right. Eighthly, my will is that my daughter Hannah Carter her heirs and assigns have three sevenths of my personal estate which shall remain over and above paying what is above mentioned. Ninthly my will is that my daughter Mary Pyott her heirs and assigns have an equal share with my daughter Hannah Carter, and that my daughter Rachel Sloan her heirs and assigns have on third part as much as and Lastly I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my son in law James Carter and Jonathan Lovell Executors of this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other and former wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written,
John Eblin