

In the name of God Amen.

I William Nottingham of the County of Bath ^{rich} being
weak in body but of sound mind and disposing me-
mory for which I thank God and calling to mind the
uncertainty of human life and being desirous to dispose
of all such worldly estate as it hath pleased
God to bless me with, I give and bequeath the same
in manner following that is to say after the pay-
ment of all just debts and funeral expences I give
to my wife Susannah Nottingham One third of the land
on which I now live the term of her natural life and
One more and two more and to have her choice of
them and all the Household furniture and all my
other perishable property I desire to be sold and
Equally divided amongst all my Children James ex-
cepted which I leave to him the S^r James Nottingham
twenty pounds and I further desire that the executors
hereafter named to settle with my sons Jacob William
and James their just dividend of the Estate as soon
as it may become due and the land to be equally
divided amongst all my Children James excepted and
lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my friend George
Pouge executor of this my last will and Testament
hereby Revoking all other former wills or Testaments
by me heretofore made In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this fifth
of April in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven
hundred and Ninety Nine or
Signed Seal published and
declared as and for the last
will and Testament of the
above William Nottingham
in presence of us

In Witness
Jacob Hillsopie
John Heucher

William ^{his} Nottingham
mark

Bath County September Court 1799

This last will and Testament of William Nottingham
was produced in Court by George Pouge the Executor
therein named and was proved by the Oaths of John
Warwick and John Heucher and Ordered to be Re-
corded. Teste J^{as} Cameron C.C.C.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I John Dickinson of the County of Bath, Bath County Virginia,
being frail in body but of perfect health and memory thanks
be to God for his mercy and calling to mind the mortality
of my body and knowing that I am appointed to die, do make Ordain and appoint this to be my last
will and Testament and first of all I will and bequeath
my soul to almighty God that gave it, and my body to the
earth from whence it came to be buried in a Christian manner
at the discretion of my Executors, nothing doubting but I
shall receive the same again at the last day by the mighty
power of God, Next I do Ordain constitute and appoint my
trusty son Adam Dickinson and three son in law as follows
By John & Samuel Shrimshury and Joseph Kinkeade all to
be my whole and sole Executors; and as for such worldly
Estate I care with it hath pleased God to bless me with in
this life, I will and bequeath in the way and manner
following, The first ^{my} will and desire is that no spiritous
liquor may be made use of at my Interment, and next
I will and bequeath unto my dear and loving wife Martha
after all my just debts and funeral charges being first
paid, my home plantation from the crop fence above
my Mother's widow as was in her life time, down to the
lower end of the big field with all the buildings such
as they are during her natural life time and all the

furniture

furniture belonging to said settling house, such as beds and bedding only one bed apiece for her three unmarried children Adam Isaac and John when they marry if ever with all their furniture belonging to each bed, but the whole of all the other furniture belonging to said house keeping of every kind with the waggon and team her own ware, young horse and mare colts, and the whole of the Cow beasts except four Cows and Calves or Cows with Calves to each of her three unmarried children Adam Isaac and John when they marry, the negroes to be divided between her and her two sons when married, as she may think proper and as to my Negroes, I will and bequeath them in the way and manner following Old Negro Ned I will to be free and to live where he now lives during his good behaviour, and Harry, Pallas, Bet. Tom and Peter, them with every thing before not excepted, I will to my dear wife Martha for her own proper use and at her disposal as she may think proper, I will and bequeath to my two daughters Mary Shrewsbury and Martha Shrewsbury after what land and other property they have already received, five pounds Cash each for their own use, Next I will and bequeath to my dear daughter Nancy Kinkade more than what she has already got, a tract of land on Sandy Creek a branch of Elk river on the North side and about eight or ten miles up said Creek containing One thousand and fifty acres, by Survey, and also another small tract or survey of land on the South side of Elk River and nearly oppisid to the mouth of Sandy Creek containing Two Hundred and Sixty Eight Acres by Survey, those two tracts of land I will to my daughter Nancy Kinkade and her husband and heirs for

forever or to their disposal as they may think proper and into my two sons Adam and John I will and bequeath the whole of my home plantation together with the small piece purchased of Hugh Hickson Jun^r containing Ninety Acres and three quarters by Survey, all to be Equally divided between them at their mothers death, but she not to be disturbed or mistreated in any part allotted to her as above during her natural life then all to devolve to my said two sons and their heirs forever and to be Equally divided in worth or value as they may agree and in case they cant agree the matter themselves for each to chuse two men apiece to decide it for them and in case they cant agree let themselves chuse one other man to assist in settling the matter, and further I will to my son Adam four Cows and Calves or Cows with Calves and Fittises son bill, and a young horse to be purchased at not less than thirty pounds price a good feather bed and bedding all for himself and his heirs forever or at his own disposal as he may think proper, and to my son John I will four Cows and Calves or Cows with Calves and feather bed and bedding and Fittises young son Jonathan, all to be his own and his heirs forever or at his own disposal as he may think proper, I will and bequeath into my dear daughter Isaac a good feather bed and bedding four Cows and Calves or Cows with Calves, a good young Mare to be purchased at not less than thirty pounds price and ten pounds Cash worth of household furniture for house keeping One Survey or tract of land purchased of John Pence on fifteen mile Creek that came in the Patent twelve mile Creek in a mistake containing One thousand Acres by Survey and One other Survey or tract of land on said Creek formerly by Surveyed for a man of the name of Squier containing four hundred and I think forty four Acres all

which I bequeath to my daughter Sean and her heirs forever or at her own disposal as she may think proper. Item, I will and bequeath the whole of my Survey of land below Mr. Rogers line where Thomas Harvey now lives on to my two sons Adam and John Equally between them, for Timber when needed, and as to all my other rights and claims to other pieces of land, I will and allow to be sold and all debts to be first paid and then the balance to be equally divided between my wife her two sons Adam and John and two daughters Nancy and Sean, and as for all debts now justly due to me as they may be collected to be divided One half between my wife and her six Children two sons, and four daughters and the other half to be equally divided between my eight grand Children that is my daughter Mary Shrewsbury five Children John, Sam^l, & W^m, Maria Martha and Elizabeth, my daughter Martha Shrewsbury two Children John and Martha, and my daughter Nancy Kirkwood one Child John, and as for Joseph Rufers bonds if ever payable, the first four hundred pounds when collected I will to be divided equally between my two sons Adam and John for the building each of them a house and when furnished fit to dwell in their Mother to have a convenient part of either of them, in the way chose to live in as her own during her natural life, and the next of S^r Rufers bonds which is for One thousand pounds worth of Salt I will and bequeath to be equally divided between my dear wife and two sons Adam and John, and two of her daughters Nancy and Sean, and the third bond of S^r Rufers which is for One thousand pounds worth of Salt I will and bequeath, in the way and manner following, that is to my supposed daughter Catherine Humphreys three hundred pounds worth of Salt and to her son John Humphreys One hun-

dred pounds worth of salt for his own use and to my Sister Mary Davis if living when the salt may be due One hundred pounds worth of salt but if not living when due her hundred pounds worth to go to her grandson John Littlepage, and to my Niece Abigail Wblung One hundred pounds worth of Salt out of S^r Bonds if in case her husband William Wblung makes me or my heirs any reasonable part or satisfaction for my former right of the Meadow lands where he now lives on, but if not no part of S^r Bonds to go to his wife but to fall to my two youngest daughters Nancy and Sean Equally and the balance of S^r Bonds which is four hundred pounds worth of Salt I will to be divided Equally between my two sons Adam and John and their two youngest sisters Nancy and Sean and the fourth and last bond of S^r Rufers which is for One thousand pounds worth of Salt if ever it becomes due, I will and bequeath in the way and manner following that is to say Seven hundred pounds worth to be equally divided between my wife and her six Children Mary, Martha, Nancy, Adam, Sean, and John and the balance which will be Three hundred pounds worth of Salt I will and bequeath to be Equally divided between my three grand sons of the name of John, first John son to Samuel Shrewsbury, next John son to John Shrewsbury, the last John son to Joseph Kirkwood, and I do revoke and disannul all other wills, or wills heretofore by me made ratifying and confirming this to be my last will and Testament as witnessed my hand and seal this 29th day of July One thousand seven hundred and Ninety seven.

Soled signed, and delivered before the sealing signing or delivery in presence of
 Robert Settlement
 James Kelso
 Joel Shrewsbury
 Edward G. Spenser

Testament I will and allow my Negro man Bill to be sold and one of better timber bought with the price of his sale and given to my wife during her natural life, and then to fall to my two sons Adam and John to

John Dickinson

Bath County September Court 1799

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Teste

Geo^t Cameron C.B.C.

KNOW all men by these presents that I William
Dimmick of the County of Bath in the State of
Virginia for divers good causes and considerations
in ^{his} presents moving have made, ordained, consti-
tuted and appointed, John Dimmick of the County of
Bath and State aforesaid my true and lawful
Attorney for me and in my name and for my
use to sell and dispose of certain tract or parcels
of land containing three hundred and fifty acres
more or less lying and being in the County of
Montgomery in the State of Kentucky on the waters
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chaser, or purchasers, of the aforesaid tract of land,
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institute for said land, hereby ratifying and
confirming all and whatsoever my said attorney
shall lawfully do or cause to be done in and
touching the premises in as full and ample
manner as if I myself had been personally pre-
sent. In Witness whereof I the said William
Dimmick have hereunto set my hand and seal

this eight day of October in the year one thousand and se-
ven hundred and ninety nine —

Witness present

Adam Dickinson

Nel. White

W. Dimmick

Seal

Virginia

Bath County October Term 1799

This power of attorney from William Dimmick to
John Dimmick was acknowledged in Court by the
said William and Ordered to be Recorded and is
Recorded in my office

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Persuant to an order of Bath Court we have appraised
The Slaves and personal Estate of Col. John Dickinson
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7 Feather Beds and Furniture	152
Kitchen and Household furniture	38
Old Waggon and four pair Horses	40
4 Ploughs & other Sundries	20
6 head Horses	411
34 head Cattle	319
14 head Hogs	32
6 head Sheep	9
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1 do named Bill	347
1 Negro Girl named Betty	278
1 Negro Boy named Tom	200
1 do named Peter	167
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chaser, or purchasers, of the aforesaid tract of land,
his or their legal representatives or assigns, a pro-
per deed of conveyance, and should there be any
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Bath County October Court 1799

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of John Dickinson
Deceased was returned to Court and ordered to be recorded

Teste

Chas^r Cameron Ck

We the Edmonson Sam^r Gilleland and David Hannah first
being duly sworn to appraise the Estate of Wm Oldham Dec^d
have made the list as follows:

William Edmonson
Samuel Gilleland
David Hannah

	\$	
4 Milch Cows	40	"
2 Calves	3	"
5 young Cattle	20	"
5 young Cattle	47	33
3 Hogs	9	"
12 Sheep	12	"
1 Yearling Mare	30	"
1 Black Horse	20	"
1 Sorrel Horse	25	33
1 Bay Mare	30	"
25 Geese	7	50
1 loom & Tackelum	9	50
3 Spinning Wickets	4	"
3 pair Basketts	5	"
1 Table & Chair	3	"
2 feather beds	13	33
2 tubs Spinning wheel other Goods	8	"
2 Chaff Wags	16	66
2 feather Wags	33	33
2 Sythes 4 Sicks & Crooks & Hangers with other lumber	4	33
1 young pair 1 ad. 2 Waldoes hoes	0	"
plow horse, flax & frigees	5	"
3 bags 2 flours, sugar & Raddas	3	7
1 getting Wax & Horse Geese	2	"

1 Note on Henry Oldham	20	"
7 bee Scaps	5	"
Pots, pails, Dishes, & other Goods	14	75
1 Sorrel Mare	15	"
1 Bay Horse	30	"
1799 March 22 ^d an account against John Blau?	\$661	33
Augusta	\$3	812.23

Bath County October Court 1799

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the Estate of William Oldham Dec^d was returned
to Court and ordered to be Recorded

Teste Chas^r Cameron Ck

Bath County October 1

This day came before me James Vance Jun^r
who was appointed Commissioner of the Tax for this
County and took the Oath by Law Required
I give under my hand this 9th day of October 1799
Joseph Mages

KNOW all men by these presents that we John Brown
Andrew Lewis Joseph Mages & John Lewis are held and
firmly bound unto James Wood Esq^r Governor of Virginia
and his Successors for the true being in the sum of Two
Thousand Dollars which payment well and truly to be made
we bind Ourselves Our heirs Executors and assigns jointly and
severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and
dated this 13th day of Nov^r 1799.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that
whereas the above bound John Brown is constituted and