

presents have hereunto interchangeably set their hands and seals
the day and year first within written
dated & Delivered

In presence of

Wm Williams, Saml Parrish

Thomas bowles, Rich^d Majiles

B. Dandridge

Mary Dandridge



Received this eight day of October in the year within mentioned
of M^r. Thomas Ballard the sum of Sixty three pounds ten shilling
current money being the consideration money within mentioned

B. Dandridge

At about hold for Charles City County Wednesday the 6th
day of November 1771

The aforewritten Indenture of Bargain and Sale from
Bartholomew Dandridge and Mary his wife to Thomas
Ballard, and the receipt thereon endorsed, were in open
Court acknowledged by the said Bartholomew Dandridge
and ordered to be recorded & are truly Recorded

Test

Hordecai Debnam C. C. C.

Aidlehurst
Wife

In the Name of God amen I Richard Aidlehurst of Charles City
County being very weak in body but of perfect mind and memory do make
and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner & form, as
follows Viz^t

Item I do give the tract or parcel of Land I now live on containing one
hundred and fifty acres more or less to my son William Walter Aidlehurst
during his natural life and after his decease to his heirs forever.

Item I give all that tract or parcel of Land I purchased of Tunney Southall
lying upon Chickehominay river, by estimation one hundred & Sixty,
more or less to my son John Aidlehurst and his heirs forever also two

Negrees Isack & Sue daughters of me now in possession of my mother

Item I give to my loving daughter Mary Aidlehurst two Negree girls to wit
Cady now in possession of my mother and also do now in possession of James
Bell daughter of Annella Sal. and also two hundred pounds current money

to be raised out of my estate and paid when she comes to the age of eighteen years or married.

Item I give unto my son Samuel Adlehurst two tracts of parcels of land, one as I purchased of Philomen Russell and also one other tract I purchased of John Handey containing by estimation one hundred and eighty acres more or less which bounds will appear on Record, also two Negroes to wit Silvey daughter of Jene & also Charles son of Little Norrey now in possession of James Bell it is my will and desire is that some hands not exceeding three shall be kept in the Neck Land and also five cows & calves and two sows and piggs or with pig and no land be cleared or any timber only for Kale stuff or building so far as necessity require & also I desire that there may no land be cleared on the plantation Shicon only for Kale stuff or fire wood & also I desire that four cows & calves and two sows and piggs or with pig should remain upon the said plantation.

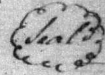
Item I give unto Nathaniel Hamlin Clark son of Rebekah Clark fifty pounds to be raised out of my estate to purchase a young Negro Girl by my Executors also two years schooling and also when he comes to proper age to be bound to some good trade.

Item I bind the use of a Negro Girl named Nan to Susannah Edwards during her natural life, and after her decease to return with her increase and to be equally divided between my three sons and daughter, William, John, Mary and Samuel Adlehurst. And lastly my will and desire is that all the profits of the Legacies bequeathed to my sons & daughter as well as the rest of my estate be kept in one stock untill my son John comes to the age of Twentyone and then to be equally divided between my son William, John, Samuel and Mary Adlehurst, daughter of Richard Adlehurst. my will is that my son William Watson Adlehurst should be raised and Educated out of the slaves gave to him by his grandfather James Bell till he comes to proper age to be put to a trade, and not out of any part of my estate, except he should prove deficient by death or any other accident, my will is that my sons John and Samuel Adlehurst should be educated out of part of the profits of the estate till they come to proper age to be put to good trades. Also my desire is that my daughter Mary Adlehurst should be put in the care of some good family to be brought

up in the fear of God and to be educated out of part of the estate till she comes to the age of fourteen or married, my desire, my desire is that my boys should be put under the care of some moderate overseer who shall live on one of my plantations most convenient to a school, that will labour for a share of the crop, and that my sons be accommodated out of the stocks of the plantations all which I shall admit to the discretion of my Executors, my will is that those slaves not mentioned now in possession of my mother Jane Cook and James Bell to prevent other disputes that them and their increase are to be equally divided with the rest of the estate at the death of my mother, and as soon in the hands of James Bell when recovered by law or any other means, to append to the stock except those legacies mentioned out of the mentioned slaves and to be equally divided betwixt my sons William, John & Samuel Ridgely and their heirs forever.

Item I give my son Samuel Ridgely Fifty pounds current money to be raised out of the profits of the estate which I omitted in his other legacies to him and his heirs forever. I do hereby make, ordain, constitute and appoint Col. William Edlar, William G. Munford & Freeman Walker Executors of this my last will & Testament, hereby revoking all Wills, Deeds or bonds except those due to my creditors with judgments and Just accounts which I desire may be paid with the greatest speed Given under my hand and seal this ninth day of October Anno Domini Seven hundred and seventy one.

Signed Sealed & Delivered

Rich^d Ridgely 

In presence of us

Francis Hill

Elizabeth Edwards

Ann A. McRae Bell

Jeremiah Creech

William Leonard

At about held for Charles City County the 6th day of November 1771
The aforewritten last will and Testament of Richard Ridgely deceased was presented in Court by William Edlar and Freeman Walker two of the Executors therein named and being proved by the Oaths of Francis Hill and William Leonard two of the Witnesses thereto was admitted to record and on the motion of the said Executors and making oath thereto according to law, certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form, they giving security, whereupon they together with Edward Cook, John

Redlehurst and Henry Young entered into and acknowledged
their bond in the penalty of three thousand pounds current
money with such condition as the said in this case directs
William Green Wounford the other Executors named in the said
will appeared in court and renounced the Execution thereof
Test. *Ellms. Debnam C. C. C.*

*Sarah Fuglar
will*

I Sarah Fuglar of Charles City County and parish of Westover
being very sick but of sound mind and memory. Thanks be to God
for the same to make this present writing my last Will and
Testament, my soul I recommend to Almighty God that gave it
my body I desire may be decently interred by my Executor
hereafter appointed and as to the Estate it hath pleased God
to bless me with I give and bequeath in manner & form following
I give and bequeath to my brother Stephen West, my black
bald faced Mare, but my Will and desire is that my said
brother shall give my son Henry Young the first or second foal
the said Mare shall have as my said son shall choose

I give to my brother John West son William one black Walnut
Chest

I give to my said brother's daughter Mary West my Cupboard
and China

I give to my said brother's daughter Ann West half a dozen
Silver teaspoons

I give my mourning to my mother Elizabeth West

I give my black Cardinal to my sister Saise West

I give all the rest of my Clothes to my brother John West two
daughters Mary and Ann to be equally divided between
them

I give all the remainder of my estate of what kind soever
to my son Henry Young, whom I constitute and appoint
my Executor, of this my last will and Testament, revoking
all wills by me heretofore made. In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twenty third
day of February in the year of our Lord Christ One thousand
seven hundred and seventy one

signed sealed & acknowledged

Sarah Fuglar 

In presence of
Elizabeth X Langford
Mary M. Emery