

In the Name of God Amen. I David Thweatt of the County of
 Greenville being sick and weak in body, but of sound Mind and Memory,
 blessed be God for the same, do therefore make and publish this my last Will
 and Testament in manner and form following. I commend my
 soul into the hands of Almighty God, who gave it me, and my Body to the Earth
 from whence it came in hopes of a joyful Resurrection through the Merits of my
 Saviour Jesus Christ. And as for what Worldly Estate wherewith I have
 pleased God to bless me, I dispose thereof as follows. I give and bequeath unto
 my beloved Wife Rebecca Thweatt for and during her Natural life, the use of my
 Negro Woman Call, together with her two Daughters Hannah and Sukey, together
 with the future increase of the said Negroes. And it is my Will and desire that
 after the decease of my said Wife, my said Negroes above named, together with
 their increase (if any) become liberated and free. I also give and bequeath
 unto my said Wife the use of my Negro Boys Bob, Dick and Jimmy untill they
 shall severally arrive to the Age of twenty five Years, and in case my said Wife
 shall survive untill that period, then it is my Will and desire that she con-
 tinue to enjoy the use of my said Negroes Bob Dick and Jimmy during her
 Natural life, and after her Decease in the latter case in their arrival to the age
 of twenty five Years in the former case. I do hereby declare them free. And it
 is further my Will and desire that if any thing further than this my Will
 be necessary for the Conance, ^{Greenville, Virginia Wills 1781 to 1806} ^{www.virginiapioneers.org} ~~provision~~ of my said Negroes severally, and
 respectively that my Executors herein after named do every thing in their
 power towards the execution of this my Will.

be necessary for the Emancipation or freeing my said Negroes severally and
respectively that my Executors herein after named do every thing in their
power towards procuring the freedom of my said Negroes. And I do hereby
declare my said Negroes absolutely free after the limitations and restrictions
aforesaid are fully complied with. And I give and bequeath unto my
beloved wife Rebecca all the rest and residue of my Estate, be it of what nature
kind or quality soever, or where soever to her and her heirs for ever.

I constitute and appoint my said beloved wife Rebecca Thweatt, and my
friends William Mason and Peter Whyte Executors of this my last Will
and Testament hereby revoking all Wills by me heretofore made and
declaring this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In Testi-
mony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this
Eighth day of July 1700.

David Thweatt (L.S.)

Signed, Sealed
published & declared

by the Testator in
presence of

William Wilkinson

Thomas Vaughan

Matt Davis

Goodwyns Hunt

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"use of before Signed"

At a Court held for Greensville County the 20th day of May 1709. This
Will was proved by M. R. Thweatt & William Wilkinson &c.

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Witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded.

Attest
David Thwaitt qualified as Executor
at May Court 1700 according to law

Teste P. Pelham Clk.