

with the reversion and reversions remainder and remainders therof. To have & to hold the said lands sum-
ered acres of land with all houses orchards gardens tenements and appurtenances whatsoever to the same
belonging or in any wise appertaining unto the said Abraham Childers and his heirs and assigns
forever and the said John Childers doth hereby covenant and agrees so and with the said Abraham that
he the said John and his heirs the above named premises unto the said Abraham his heirs and
assigns against him the said John his heirs and a grant all other ^{persons} whatsoever shall and will forever
warrant and by these presents defend. In witness whereof the said John Childers hath hereunto
set his hand & seal the day and year above written.

Signed sealed & delivered in presence of.

John Childers Seab.

Richard Deans } Memorandum that on the second day of September 1727, quiet and peaceable
John Davis } possession & seizin of the land within sold was made & given by John Childers unto
Coff Abraham Childers according to the form & effect of the within written deed in presence of

Richard Deans,

John Childers

John Davis } At a court held for Asturio County September 4. 1727.

John Childers acknowledged this Deed with his Livery of Seizin endorsed to be
his Act & Deed and it was thereupon admitted to record.

Coff Henry Wood.

In the Name of God Amen I Henry Childers being sick and weak in body but of sound and
disposing mind and memory stands before God therefore and falling to mind the uncertainty of
his life and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die to make and Ordain this my
Last will and Testament in manner and form following. In primis I give to my son Thomas
Childers field and plantation wherew^t he now lives containing by estimation fifty Acres to him
the said Thomas and his heirs for ever Item I give to my Daughter Aurotia Childers one shilling
currant money. Item I give to my Daughter Anna Childers one shilling currant money. Item +
I give to my Daughter Martha Jones Childers one shilling currant money. Item I give to my Daugh-
ter Millesent Childers one shilling currant money. Item I give one half of his rest of my Estate to my
two Sons Thomas Childers & Henry Childers to be Equally Divided between them. Item my will is
that If either of my Sons die in minority before they arrive to Lawfull years that the survivor
enjoy all that I bequeath to both of them, and if both my Sons die in their minority that their
parts be Equally Divided among my four Daughters above named Item I give all the rest of
my Estate to my loving wife Aurotia Childers also I do constitute her my Executrix of this
my Last will and Testament revoking all former wills by me made Practicing and Confirming this to be
my Last will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this

1727

Sixteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred twenty seven 1727.
Signed sealed published pronounced and declared to be the last will and Testament of Henry Chidors
In the presence of us

Abraham Chidors

Joseph Adkins

Edward Bennett

At a court held for Monroe County September 4. 1727.

This will was proved by the oath of Abraham Chidors and solemn affirmation of Edward Bennett a Quaker was therupon admitted to record.

Henry Chidors Seal.

Cst. Henry Woodfill.

In the Name of God Amen this 17th day of July 1726/7 Charles Ballow planter of this parish and County of Monroe being weak of Body but of sound mind and perfect memory praised be the almighty God for the same do make Ordain and appoint this my Last will and Testament in manner and form following first and principally I commend my soul to God that gave it. Hoping thro' the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ my Saviour and redeemer to receive full pardon for all my sins and my body to the Earth from whence it was taken to be buried in such manner as my Executrix hereafter named shall think fit and after such worldly goods as it hath pleased God to endow me with I do give and bequeath as followeth. And first my will and Desire is that all my just debts be satisfied and paid Item I give and bequeath to my son Charles Ballow all my land on the upper side of Cornelia's Creek to be possessed therewith at the age of twenty years also I give my s. son a feather bed and covering the value of two pounds four shillings and four pence an Iron pot with hooks & rach and my Negro boy Joe after his Death of my wife; and three plates; all but the Negro to be paid him at the age of twenty years my will is that he shall have two years schooling after he is ten years old. Item I give and bequeath my Daughter Sarah Ballow a new feather bed which is made with Virginia feathers with the covering as is used on it and also a young mare called Bonny to be taken into her possession at my Death. Item I give and bequeath my Daughter Tabitha Ballow my feather bed that hath narrow striped silk with all the furniture belonging to it and also a cow and calf. Item I give and bequeath to my three youngest Daughters Elizabeth Phelps and Mary five pounds to each of them to be paid in a sum convenient and also each of them a cow and calf my will is that the legacies given to my Daughters be paid them as they arrive to the age of twenty years or sooner if married and my will is that if any of my Daughters should die before they are possessed with the Legacies given them that such Legacies or Legataries shall be enjoyed by my aforesd son Charles Ballow Item I give my loving wife my Negro boy Joe during her natural life Item I give my loving wife Tabitha all my lands before Cornelia's Creek with all houses and appurtenances thereto belonging during her natural life and after her Death I give and bequeath the said lands with all other lands that I shall be possessed with at my Death to my son Charles Ballow and his heirs forever Item I do give unto my child which my wife now thinks she goes with one shilling Starr money. Lastly and all the rest of my effects of what quality soever that is not mentioned in this will I give and bequeath