

Chambers the
Wills

I Thomas Chambers of the county of Cumberland do make and constitute this my last will and testament I give to my wife all the slaves which I owned by her and on my decease I give all my household and Kitchen furniture to her and her heirs forever. Secondly, I leave to my wife during her life one third part of my land and one third of the revenue of my slaves.

Thirdly, Should the infant with which my wife is now pregnant survive its birth and live to full age or marry I then to give to said infant all my Estate real and personal and myself including the property bound to my wife at her death to him or her his or her heirs forever - but should said infant not survive to full age or marry then I

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give and bequeath the property aforesaid to him or her as follows I give to my wife the negroes bound to her if she should survive the child to her and her heirs forever.

I have Eliza Scott, Henry Chambers, Anne M. Conroy, and Martha C. Betts all the negroes (belonging to my child) to be equally divided amongst them to them and their heirs forever.

Fourthly, I give and bequeath unto Edward R. Chambers my whole real Estate to him and his heirs forever the bequests to my wife are intended as compensation for the Interest which the law would give her in my Estate -

Lastly I direct that my executors hereafter named shall and do pay all my just debts with the monies I receive from the

do pay all my last debts with the monies arising from the
debts due me and from the sale of my crops & perishable
property and the surplus if any, I give (if my infant should
die before lawful age) to be equally divided amongst
my Brothers and sisters to them and their heirs forever
and I hereby constitute & appoint George King and Edward
R Chambers executor to this my last Will In witness
of all and singular the premises I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed my seal this 25 September 1832

Witness

John S. Baskerville

C. R. Christopher

Edw. Chambers

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Thomas Chambers Seal

I Thomas Chambers do make and constitute this
codicil to be a part of my annexed last will & testament
that part of my estate which is bequeathed to Eliza Scott
on the death of my child if my wife should have one
I hereby give (if that event should happen) to George
King, Edward R Chambers and Robert Scott in
Special Trust for the Education & benefit of my nephews
Robert Williams & Caloware Scott, So my Brother
Edward R Chambers, I give (if my child should not live
to the age of twenty one or more) my negro boy

And I hereby constitute & appoint George King and Edward
R Chambers executors to this my last Will. In witness
of all and singular the premises I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed my seal this 25th September 1820

Witness
John S. Basterville
C. R. Christopher
Edw. Chambers

Thomas Chambers

I Thomas Chambers do make and constitute this
codicil to be a part of my amended last will & testament
that part of my estate which is bequeathed to Elizabeth Scott
on the death of my child if my wife should bear one
I hereby give if that event should happen to George
King, Edward R Chambers and Robert Scott in
Special Trust for the Education of benefit of my nephews
Robert Gallenus & Edward Scott, So my Brother
Edward R Chambers, I give if my child should not live
to the age of twenty one or marry my nephew
Henry to live and live him forever. I hereby
constitute and appoint my Brother Edward R
Chambers executor to my last child if my wife
should bear one, this to read before the witnesses

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