

To The Worshipfull Court of Norfolk County the Petitioners of Dinah Archer Widow and Relict of Edward Archer late of the Township of Norfolk in The County aforesaid Merchant Deceased humbly sheweth That the said Edward Archer departed this Life Testate some time in the Month of December last past leaving your Petitioner his Widow and six Children. And by his Will did not Devise your Petitioner a Child part of his Personal Estate or a third part of his Land and Slaves for Life as the Act of Assembly in such Cases directs And as the provision made for your Petitioner by the said Testator's Will is so small that it will not support her. Therefore your Petitioner humbly prays that the said Will may be declared Void as to so much thereof as relates to her And that she may have her Dower assigned and set apart in all the said Lands & Slaves whereof the said Testator died Seised And that a Child part of the said Testator's Personal Estate may be paid to her agreeable to the Act of Assembly in such Cases made & provided.

Matt. Gadfrey
Samuel Hapner

And your Petitioner shall pray &c.

Dinah Archer

May Court 1772 Proved &c. as by order Book