

Anno Second George the third. ²³⁶

In the name of Amen. I Samuel Cornwell of the County of Sussex
do make this my last Will and Testament in manner following, to wit,

1st I give unto my loving wife Mary Cornwell the use of the plantation whereon I now live during her life, I also give my wife the use of the Land and Plantation, I bought of Robert Hart, during her life. I also give unto my wife the labour of the following Negroes during her life, Dick, Sarah, Juda, Jude, Jemmy & Tom. I further give unto my wife during her life the remainder of my Estate, of what nature, &c. &c. And after the Death of my wife my will and desire is, that all my Negroes with their Increase be sold together with all my Personal Estate for the best price to be had, and the money arising from such sales to be equally divided amongst my four Children, to wit, Elizabeth, Mary, Anne & Jacob, or the Survivors of them.

2^d I give unto my Son Samuel Cornwell, and his Heirs forever, after the Death of his Mother, all my Land & Farm now possessed of - Containing about three Hundred & Ninety five Acres.

3^d My will and desire is that my Son Jacob, should be bound out, to some Trade or handicraft business, when he shall arrive to the Age of fourteen Years, by my Executors.

4th I do, ^{hereby} constitute and appoint my loving wife Mary Cornwell, and my kinsman John Cornwell my Executors to this my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 13th January 1762.

Published in presence of the

Michael Blow.

Thomas T Johnson

J. Gray.

(Sam^l Cornwell) (Sd)

A Court held for Sussex County the 26th day of May 1762.

The aforewritten last Will and Testament of Samuel Cornwell, deceased was presented in Court by Mary Cornwell & John Cornwell the Executors therein named who made affirmation thereto (they being Quakers) as the Law requires, and the same was read by the Clerk of Michael Blow, Thomas Johnson and Joseph Gray the Witnesses thereto and by the Court Ordered to be Recorded. And on the motion of the said Executors Certificate is granted them for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form.

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True and perfect Inventory and Appraisalment of the Estate of Samuel
Cromwell Dead

In Obedience to an Order of Superior Court bearing date the 10th day of May 1742
we the subscribers being Justices have Appraised the Estate of Samuel
Cromwell in Manner following

To Money found in the house £50. 14. 1/2	£50. 14. 1/2
To three negro men named Dick & L. & J. 10. 0. 0	76. 10. 0
To one D ^o Woman named Judy & J. 7. 0. 0	70. 0. 0
To one negro Woman named Mary & J. & J. 7. 0. 0	70. 0. 0
To one old D ^o named Judy & J. 1. 0. 0	1. 0. 0
To one D ^o named Jane & J. 20. 0. 0	20. 0. 0
To 20 head of Cattle & L. 25. 0. 0 & 3 yearlings & one calf & J. 30. 0. 0	26. 10. 0
To one cow haul Horse & L. 10. 0. 0 & one D ^o & L. 6. 0. 0	16. 0. 0
To one Gray D ^o Stallion & L. 10. 0. 0 & 20 sheep & L. 5. 0. 0	15. 0. 0
To 2 Saddle bags some furniture and a set of curtains & L. 12. 0. 0	12. 0. 0
To 1 D ^o and furniture & L. 5. 0. 0 & one D ^o and furniture & L. 6. 10. 0	11. 10. 0
To 5 pair of Shirts & L. 15. 0. 0 & 3 Rugs & L. 15. 0. 0	7. 10. 0
To 1 Chest and Box & L. 6. 0. 0 & 16 Currying knife and Steel & L. 12. 0. 0	0. 10. 0
To 4 Rugs and some Cotton & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 half flours and more	0. 10. 0
To 1 pair Wheel and reel & L. 12. 0. 0 & 2 meal tubs & L. 6. 0. 0	1. 6. 0
To 1 Warming pan & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 Saddle and some leather & L. 33. 0. 0	2. 0. 0
To 10 1/2 set of Damask curtains & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 set of Cotton cords & L. 12. 0. 0	0. 12. 0
To 10 1/2 set of Virginia Linnen & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 set of Virginia Linnen & L. 12. 0. 0	0. 12. 0
To 2 D ^o and furniture & L. 10. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 Black walnut table & L. 11. 10. 0	11. 10. 0
To 1 D ^o & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 set of Small trunk & L. 12. 0. 0	2. 0. 0
To 1 Chest of Drawers & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 set of Trunk & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 set of Trunk & L. 12. 0. 0	4. 0. 0
To 10 1/2 set of Warming chairs & L. 12. 0. 0	1. 0. 0
To 1 pine Table and D ^o Chest & L. 12. 0. 0	0. 14. 0
To 1 Linnen wheel & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 set of Small old looking glass & L. 12. 0. 0	0. 7. 0
To one large Trunk & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 set of Trunk and glass ware	3. 10. 0
To 10 Sides Rugs and 1 bear each & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 set of Spinning Wheel & L. 12. 0. 0	1. 8. 0
To 10 1/2 set of Spinning tools & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 set of Small wheel & L. 12. 0. 0	0. 12. 0
To 10 1/2 set of Spinning tools & L. 12. 0. 0 & 10 1/2 set of Small wheel & L. 12. 0. 0	0. 9. 0

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To 2 Iron wedges d ^d 4/601 Iron spit d ^d 4/6	£ 0. 0. 6
To 1 pair of Iron shovels d ^d 1/601 Iron and Shoe d ^d 1/6	1. 3. 0
To a parcel of Books d ^d 1/601 Iron and Shoe d ^d 1/6	0. 1. 4
To 1 pair of Iron shovels d ^d 1/601 Iron and Shoe d ^d 1/6	0. 8. 0
To 1 pair of Iron shovels d ^d 1/601 Iron and Shoe d ^d 1/6	0. 11. 4
To 2 pair of Iron shovels d ^d 1/601 Iron and Shoe d ^d 1/6	0. 10. 0
Given Under our hands this 14 th 1762.	£ 4. 30. 9 1/2

Returned by

John Cornwell

Mary Cornwell

Robert Nicolson

Henry Tolson

Arthur Smith

To Sundries not appraised by

To 1 diaper table cloth

To 1 pair of Iron shovels d^d 1/601 Iron and Shoe d^d 1/6All a Court held for the County the 21st day of July 1760This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of Samuel Cornwell Esq^r was taken and by the Court ordered to be Recorded

Augustine Claiborne

1762 The Estate of Joram Hulings Pursuant.

To Joseph Pinnington for two years Board	£ 18. 0. 0
To 7 yards Virginia Cloath	10. 6.
To going to Capt. Williamson	4. 0.
To 2 pair shoes	9. 0.
To Shearmen & Tompson for making 10 hats	4. 4. 6.
To Richard Laniar	1. 10. 0
To Robt. Newman for selling of hats	15. 0.
To John Jones	1. 3.
To Claiborne for Administration	17. 4.
To John Gilliam	1. 10. 9.
To John Montgomery	10. 0.
To Andrew Froughtons Bond	6. 9. 2.
To paid William Johnson his funeral Charges	1. 14. 0.
	£ 42. 15. 10