

Westmoreland

At a court held for this county the 30th day of
May 1716

The last will & testament of Richard
Cardwell decd was presented into Court by Mary
his relict & executrix who made oath thereto and
being proved by the oaths of Abraham Blagge
& John Reeds two of the witnesses thereto is
admitted to record and on motion of the said Mary
& her performing what is usual in such cases
Certificate is granted her for obtaining a pro-
bate thereof in due form

Walker the
Will

In the name of God amen I Thomas
Walker of the County of Westmoreland in Virginia being
destitute of body & sick but of perfect sense & memory praise
be allmighty god Do make this my last will & testa-
ment in manner & form hereafter following first I be-
queath my soul to almighty God my heavenly father
hoping by the merits of my blessed Saviour to receive
it againe at my resurrection and my body I bequeath to
the earth from whence it came to be decently buried by
my executors hereafter named and as for what worldly estate
it hath pleased almighty god to bestow upon me I bequeath
it as followeth. I Imp^t I Give to my Son Thomas thirty
acres of land out of that tract of land I bought of

Richard Tidwell to him & his heirs forever Impt^d I
 Give to my son George one hundred acres of land out of
 the aforesd tract to him heirs Impt^d I Give to my son
 George a young horse called Smoaker Impt^d I Give to
 my son Edmund one hundred acres of land out of that
 tract of land lying by Peter Smith to him & his heirs
 forever and one mare Colt Impt^d I Give to my son samuel
 one hundred & twenty acres of land out of that tract.
 By Peter Smiths aforesd to him & his heirs forever Impt^d
 I Give to my loving wife Mary Walker the two negroes
 I am now possessed with withall with their future in-
 crease during her natural life and after her decease
 I Give the negro Man to my son Thomas & his heirs forever and
 the Negroe Woman I Give to my son George after my
 said wifes decease to my sd Son George paying to my
 Son Edmund three thousand pounds of Tobacco in lieu of
 the sd Negroe and my will is that in case the sd Negroe
 Woman shall have any increase after her my said wifes
 decease that they be equally divided among my daughters Impt^d
 my will is that my son Thomas shall pay to my daughter
 Margery two thousand pounds of Tobacco in lieu of the
 above sd Negroe man for to be paid to her my sd daughter
 when she arrives to the age of twenty yeares Impt^d I
 Give to my daughter Anne one shelling Ster^d Money Impt^d
 I Give to John Wright one ewe Lamb Impt^d I Give to
 Thomas Wright one ewe Lamb Impt^d I Give to James
 Walker one ewe Lamb Impt^d I Give to my daughter

Many one flock bed & furniture a Iron pot & a frying
 Pan and one pewter dish & a young heifer two years old
 the next Spring Imps I give to my daughter Alice my
 Schus bad mare and one young heifer two years old the
 next Spring Imps I Give to my daughter Rachel one
 young heifer of two years old the next Spring and one
 ewe Imps I Give to my loving wife the plantation
 I live upon for her natural life with all the stock
 both of Cattle horses mares Sheep & hogs that is upon it
 Besides what I have already bequeathed during her
 natural life and after her decease I Give the sd plantation
 I now live upon to my son Benjamin to him & his heirs
 forever Imps I Give to my loving wife all my house hold
 goods whatsoever Imps I Give all my clothes to my three sons
 George Edmund & Samuel to be equally divided between
 them Imps I Give to my two sons Samuel & Benj^r my
 Pistols holsters sword & Rapier Imps I Give to my
 Son George a gun commonly called his gun and I Give
 to my son Edmund a gun commonly called Bayly Imps
 I constitute appoint & make my loving wife Mary Walker
 & my whole sole executrix & executors of this my last
 will & Testament I revoking and disannulling all former
 Wills & Testaments by me made as witness my hand and
 Seal this twenty sixth day of January Anno dom 1715
 Thomas Walker mar Sealer Signed Sealed & delivered
 in the presence of J^s Sam^r Jemond, John Frende
 George Bruce

Best words for

At a court held for the said County the 30th day of May 1716
 The last will & Testament of Thomas Walker decd was

presented into court by Mary his relict & executrix who made oath thereto and being proved by the oaths of Samuel Damon & George Bruce two of the Justices as thereto is admitted to record and upon the motion of the said Mary & her performing what is usual in such cases Certificate is granted herfor obtaining a Probate thereof in due form

Wistcomb
James his
Will

In the name of God Amen I James Wistcomb of the parish of Copple in the county of Westmoreland being (thanks to almighty God) in perfect bodily health and of reasonable sense & memory doe make ordaine & appoint this present Writing to be my last will & Testament hereby revoking all wills by me at any time formerly made I trust I comitt my soul to almighty god that gave it me & my body to the earth from whence it came to be buried in Christian & decent manner my worldly estate I will be disposed as followeth I will that my woman servant Judith Laycock be free immediately from the time of my decease and that my Mulatto Boy Charles be free at the age of one & twenty years and I doe hereby appoint my friend Mary Collins als Collier whole & sole executrix of this my last will. In witness whereof I have hereunto put my hand & affixed my seal this Twenty Seventh day of June Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred & fourteen James Wistcomb (Seal) Sealed published & delivered in the presence of In Chilton Mary Beckwith mar