

In the Name of God Amen

I Samuel Chadwick of Carlisle County being of sound Mind and Memory do make and ordain this as my Last Will and Testament in manner and form as follows

I Lend to my Wife Tamar Chadwick during her Life or Widowhood two Negro women And two women such as she may choose under the third Part of all my free in Carlisle County the Marition house to be included and All that part of our blood of battle that she has been the habbit of Calling hers with our household furniture or as much of it as she may need with a sufficiency of plantation tools to till her Land.

I give to my son Thomas Chadwick the house and parcel of Land that I bought of my Brother James Chadwick with the half of my N^o River Land Reserving one third to his Mother her Lifetime of Each to him and his heirs for ever.

I give to my son Anson Chadwick the Land given me by my Father Wherem I now live with the other half of my N^o River Land Reserving one third to his Mother her Lifetime of Each, to him and his heirs for ever.

I Lend to my Daughter Rebecca during her Natural Life A Negro girl named Lot to go to her Lawful heirs for ever.

I Lend to my Daughter Thirsa A Negro girl named Thos during her Natural Life and then to go to her Lawful heirs for ever.

I Lend to my Daughter Polly A Negro girl named Remy during her Natural Life and then to her Lawful heirs for ever. The three above mentioned Negro girls that I have given to my three Daughters are Extra and not to be excepted from an Equal Dividend in the Rest that will be After ward Divided.

My Desire is that All the Remaining part of my Negroes that are not hereby mentioned to be hired out those that will or are in a Situation to be hired and the younger ones to be Let out in the Family or otherwise as may be thought proper untill the Decease of my Wife and then for Judicious men to Value them and Divide them in the following manner in Six Equal parts.

One share to Thomas Chadwick and his heirs for ever.

I give to my son Anson Chadwick one part to him and his heirs for ever.

I Lend unto my Daughter Rebecca one share during her Natural life After which to go to her Lawful

heirs for ever.

I Lend unto my Daughter Thirsa one share during her Natural life and then to her Lawful heirs for ever.

I Lend unto my Daughter Polly one share during her Life and then to go to her Lawful heirs for ever.

I Lend to my two Grand Children Sam^l & Nancy Samble one share between them in the same way as to my Daughters above.

Should I have my New River Land Sold I have it be Rent out untill an opportunity should offer to obtain a fair price for it the Rent to be Apply'd to the general use of the Family of last paying Expenses there may probably be some debts and other charges to pay if so there is some things Remaining that may not be taken oned by me that will be sold and the Amount used to the heirs of Negroes pay out all my debts and dues the balance if any to be divided Equally among my five above named Children and Nancy Samble.

Should my New River Land be sold at any time that may Desire is for my three Daughters to Draw Each of them Five Hundred Dollars to make them Nearly Equal to my two sons and what ever balance there might be to be Equally Divided between Thomas Anson, Rebecca, Thirsa, Polly and their Mother if sold in her life time.

My Desire is that my Wife should have Slaver to Ride such one small Negro boy or girl to wait on her in the same way as those Mention to her Above.

I hereby Appoint to my Executors to this my Last Will and Testament Thomas & Anson Chadwick.

In witness where of I have Hereunto set my Hand & Seal this Eighteenth Day of July 1720

Samuel Chadwick (Seal)

My Executors is hereby Authorized to Rent out or give titles to my Outland Land accation may require

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John Tamm 1720 { Then was the annexed written paper exhibited into open Court & altho not witnessed was duly proved by the oaths of Oliver Chadwick, Ambrose James, & Anson Newson Creditable witnesses who swore that they were well acquainted with the said writing of this testator and that they believed the said Will and every part thereof to be in the proper hand writing of the said Samuel Chadwick whereupon the same was admitted to probate and Thomas Chadwick & Anson Chadwick the Executors therein named qualified as such and Letters Testamentary ordered to issue.

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