

I James Parnal of the district and State aforesaid. being very sick and weak in body- but of perfect Mind and Memory-Thanks be given to God-- Calling unto mind the mortality of my body, and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make& ordain this my last will and testament; that is to say principally and first of all, I give and recommend my soul into the hand of Almighty God that gave it, and my body I recommend to the earth, to be buried in a decent Christian burial, Nothing doubting but at the general resurrection, I shall receive the same again, by the Mighty power of God. And as touching such Worldly estate where with it has pleased God to blefs me with in this life with- I give, demise, and dispose of the same in the following Manner and form.

First of all I leave two horse creatures that is a Mare & Year old to be sold to pay my debts and I leave the ba-

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- balance of My Estate real and personal (with the ballance of the money got by the sail of the two above mention'd creatures after the payment of my debts if any.)

to my belov'd Mother Sarah Parnal during her Natural life. And at her death- all the land I am Now possesd off that lays- or lies on the North East-side of Newman swamp and two cows & calves- is then to be-left (or put) in the hands or care of my Brother William Parnal for Ezekiel Wadford, son of Nancy Wadford now Howard - with the increase- of said Cows- to be kept for him till he arrives at the age of Twenty one years or Marrys- then to be given into his possession- But should he die before Marriage or short of the age of twenty one years- the said land & Cattle to be my Brother ^m W^m Parnals with all the ballance of my real and personal estate I am now posses'd off ~~that~~-at My Mother's death-^e exclusive of that part of my personal estate she may necesarinally

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make use of During her life- at her death the whole--of the es-
 tate that I Now leave to go to - my brother ~~my~~ Parnal his heirs and
 assigns for ever- Except the part left to Zackiel Wadford above
 mentioned Should he live to the time prescrib'd -- And I do utter-
~~disannul~~ ly revoke ~~disannul~~ all & every other former Testaments or wills
 I likewise constitute, make, and ordain My Beloved bro her Will^m-
 Parnal my sole- Executor of this my last will and Testament
 In Witnefs whereof I have set My hand and seal this twenty fourth
 Sept. Anno- Domini 1811. and the Thirty Sixth year of America's
 Independence-----

Signed & Sealed in the)

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