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nature or kind, sever the same be except the reasonable dozen of the
said Sarah as well in the lands as the slaves and personal estate which
may by law be entitled to, which shall be first set apart shall be equally
divided share and share alike between all the children of the said Arthur
Washington deceased by both the said manorages to wit James Arthur
Oliver Amos Nancy John Peggy and Archer Washington and their heirs -
also It is further covenanted and agreed that at the death of the said -
Sarah the widow all such Slaves as shall be allotted and set apart for
Dower shall be also then equally divided amongst the above children or
their legal representatives then living conformable to the slaves last
mentioned Lastly - The said verbal parties that have attained their
respective ages of Twenty one years that is to say the said James Arthur
and Oliver Washington for themselves their heirs executors and ad-
ministrators and for and on behalf of the said Amos Washington
and the said Sarah the widow of the said Arthur Washington &
mother of the said Nancy John Peggy and Archer Washington for
herself her heirs executors & administrators and for and on behalf
of her said children as hereby bind themselves each to the other in
the respective sums of Two Thousand - Pounds for their separate
and respective performance and execution of the several covenants
clauses items and agreements herein contained and which are in
their respective parts to be done executed and performed and that the
division herein before mentioned except as to the widow's power shall
be made and take place so soon as conveniently may be after the
exhibition and proof of the writing or will aforesaid any thing con-
tained therein to the contrary notwithstanding and each
party puts in quiet possession of the shares or proportion of the
estate aforesaid and receives the profits arising therefrom
In Witness whereof the confirmation of which the parties hereto
have severally set their hands and affixed their seals the
day and year first above written.

Signed and Delivered
In presence of

John Holliman

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Mrs Ann Branch

I am as witness
Arthur Washington Esqrd
Oliver Washington Esqrd
Oliver Washington Esqrd
Sarah X Washington Esqrd
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We the subscribers being mutually called upon by the parties
to the aforesaid agreement have agreeable to the articles or
covenant therein contained abovesigned & signed York a part