

Westbrook
Pro.
Will

Thomas Westbrook senior of the New parish and County of Southampton being sick and in a low state of health but of sound and disposing mind do make this my last will and testament in manner following to wit
I Give my hole and sole estate to my loving wife Ellen Westbrook to her and her heirs for ever except my land whereon I now live and bequeath to my son Henry Westbrook after the death of my wife to him and his heirs for the aforesaid land

I Give and bequeath to my son Thomas Westbrook six pounds Virginia Currency yearly to be paid him by his mother yearly during her life

I Give and bequeath to my daughter Lucy Hunt one hundred pounds Virginia Currency to be paid at my death to her and her heirs for ever

I Give and bequeath to my daughter Shellen Speed my plantation that I had of James Speed with the following negroes Will Beck pug Jess Charlat and Abue Also the stock of all kinds that is upon the said plantation with all the movables that I have before given her which said land and negroes stock and other estate I give my said daughter Shellen during her natural life and after her death I give and bequeath the said land negroes stock and other estate to be equally divided between all the children that she has living at her death to them and their heirs for ever

I Give to my daughter Shellen Speed the use of a negro Boy name Ephraim till my grand son Biny Speed comes to the age of twenty one and then I give and bequeath the said negro Ephraim to my grand son Benjamin Speed to him and his heirs for ever

I Give and bequeath to my daughter Martha Judkins one hundred pounds Virginia Currency to be paid at my death to her and her heirs for ever

My will and desire is that my estate shall not be appraised

I do hereby appoint my loving wife and my son Henry Westbrook my hole and sole Executors and Executor hereby revoking all other wills heretofore made by me and have hereunto set my hand and fix my seal this twenty fifth day of August 1777
and seven hundred and seventy five

Signed Sealed Published
and declared by the Testator
in presence of
John Simmons Sen.
Susannah Simmons
Benj^d Lewis

Thomas X Westbrook
his

It a Court held for the County of Southampton the 3. May 1777
This will was presented in Court by Henry Westbrook and Shellen Westbrook the Etor and Etrix therein named and proved by the oath of John Simmons Sen.^r and Benj^m Lewis two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded And on the motion of the said Etor and Etrix who made oath according to law certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving security &c

Sam. Willott

J. Fowler
Will

In the name of god amen I James Fowler of Wottonay parish and County of Southampton being of perfect mind and memory do make and ordain this as law and for my last will and testament and do dispose of my estate as follows to wit

I Give and bequeath to my son William Fowler and his heirs for ever the plantation whereon he now lives with half my land which is to be divided by