

By the Hon^{ble} Joseph Ham[m]ond Esq^r Judge of Probate & Hester Whellwrigh John & Joseph Whellwright Executors therein named

The within written Will being presented by ^ Samuel Emery Jonathan Ham[m]ond & James Addams Witnesses thereto personally appearing made oath that they were present and did see the within named Samuel Whellwright Signe and Seal and heard him publish the within written Instrument to be his last Will and Testament he being then of sound disposing mind to their best discerning, and that they Subscribed their names as Witnesses thereto in the Testators presence

Jos Ham[m]ond

Wells: Octobr 2 1700

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Description: Samuel Wheelwright will

in the section. In the name of God Amen I Samuel Wheelwight of Wells in the Country of York in his Ma peper hovince of the Majorthufets Bay in New England Wing wak & proun of Boy Out of perfect memory 1 of sound underpanding to make consisture & dispoint that my lop will repairent I da a a a I Commit my rout who the hand of semighty god my faithful creatour & merciful redeemer a my body to the ourth from Whence it was taken to be decently Burild by my laccastour hereafter named, In Ropes of a Joylea & Glarious refusertion thrib gefus Christ Amer - And as for my would good & grate mounts. My with Intent & that my funeral changes & all my lawfiel & Jup debts that be difthought & point often. I Doe give a sequenth unto my daughter Mary one quarter part of my farm where I doe now dowed, after The is marked & to the children that that se bound her body, for ever, o for want of such hers, to the heirs of my son John Welwight for ever . I doe except twenty are of Land but of the whole four, where my dividing house a farm stands which flave shady Excepted in a Deed of life to my son dofesth - - - - - from I give & bequeath to my on Topeph wheelinight one quarter part of my said from together with that twenty are of Law Sepre excepted, with the housing a Building that are upon it often my decept a the Decempe of stepson my wife, she avering the up & Income thereof suring her natural top, only Jogesh shall have the liberty to make use of one half of the dwelling house a count if he hath occasion like my wives Except, also I bequeath to my son pepper half that land which I bought of Augustin legendra o all that Land & meddows while I have at herryland, Except that part while I have acreally difrest of, also I give to my son Topph all that town grant of Land of priviledge for a saw mile att another place neve many has at to be to him & his him taushay agotton of his body & for want of ruch hims, to my on John Wheelwayst & to his heir for ever a double part thought & to they for ever a double part thought the other part to my daughter & to their heir for ever a and ten. I doe give a dequeath unit statue my belowed wife, at my latter of all routs, with one Myso servant named It is with all my moveable space of all sorts which is not persope excepted, also one acre of mark which I bought of Moles littlefill), all this to be all her defrop to all or any of our children all her decease, I doe also give to five all the sent which was due to me from my Lands att crops in the country of director in England until the time it was said by me cow Loyde, if theward Loyde noth made new thereof, or if the Law be not sow, my wid is that Hope my beloved wife save have all the last of said hard during the natures life to a at the one different in case the said land be took than my with is that she shat have one funded pound out of the money or principal the land was set for, out of which hundred pound she shall pay to my variance Many forty pounds & to my son Joseph thirty pounds, is to my daughter Aarmah Jayons thirty pounds, at to be paid att such time or times as my with that we most fitte convenient, And the remainder of the sale glock I doe give to my son John Wheel wrighes to Digging of & Improve for the up & anaptt of my wife During her nect week of & all her decease, I give the said extake to him & to his hein the wee. I also give to of their my wife the aportheone of the one half of another form in wear during der notinate les which from I have by deed of life given to my son tohis. Also provided my land good in England be not now, then I give to my with the up of the said Lind during the natural life, and after his defive & acqueater water my son four Whatwright all the abovementions ands in cieft in England of ad the up + Interest & General thereof to him & to his heir for ever, but of wheth hashest pay forty pounds in money to my Daughen Many, to be pare twenty poured trace within one year ofter the laid offate comes into his hands a the other twenty pounds to be said within two years after, I also to pry thirty pounds to my Now Egyph, half money is the other half equivalent to money, & thinly pounds to my dangace than are not not in money & the other hast equivalent to money as to be pale within two years shorthe estate comes into his hand, to them & to their him for ever, & in case any of them have no dillent her to the him of my son I Don give to my Ion Joten Wheeleviger at my vochs now in the cuftory of m Braken Hutelifon in Softon. & I give also to my son John one went, close & hat & stage I we give to him all my oftale where is in the hand of Capt Bozen Alten of Boton due for my wive portion, one questo part of want he Those account & doe with to my loge, And & Doe confitute is appoint my Dear & loving wife Heplier together with my loving som John Wheelwight & Spych Wheelweight to be Executory of this my Lap with & light ment And I doe appoint my trusty or unibelous prints and sol seists of soutsmouth & in sand Emery a mistorialization Hammon's week to be the overfees of this my life will in Witney which & have hereto set my hand a sent this thirteeth day of Januar me thougand is dayled minity when here have here set my hand a sent yorke I/ Jan the 22, 1700 Jam Cyhechonym Lectived with the records of wing for James of Dans the Country of yorke page, big. 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Imprimis. My will & Intent is that my funerall charges & all my Lawfull & Just debts shall be discharged & paid by my Executours out of my movable Estate.

Item. I doe give & bequeath unto my daughter Mary one quarter part of my farm where I doe now dwell, after she is married & to the children that shal be born of her body, for ever, & for want of such heirs, to the heirs of my son John Wheelwright for ever. I doe except twenty acres of Land out of the whole farm, where my dwelling house & barn stands, which I have already Excepted in a Deed of Gift to my son Joseph -----Item. I Give & bequeath to my son Joseph Wheelwright one quarter part of my said farm together with that twenty acres of Land before excepted, with the housing and buildings that are upon it, after my decease & the decease of Hester my wife, she having the use & Income thereof during her natural life, only Joseph shall have the liberty to make use of one half of the dwelling house & barn if he hath reason before my wives decease, also I bequeath to my son Joseph half that land which I bought of Augustine Legendra & all that Land & meadow which I have att Merryland, Except that part which I have already disposed of, also I give to my son Joseph all that town grant of Land & privilege for a sawmill att another place nere merry Land. all to be to him & his heirs lawfully begotten of his Body, & for want of such heirs, to my son John Wheelwright & to his heirs forever, a double part thereof & the other part to my daughters & to their heirs for ever. --Item. I doe give & bequeath unto Hester my beloved wife, all my Cattell of all sorts, with one Negro servant named Titus with all my moveable estate of all sorts which is not hereafter excepted, also one acre of marsh which I bought of Moses Littlefield, all this to be att her dispose to all or any of her children at her decease. I doe also give to her all the rent which was due to me from my Lands att Croft in the county of Lincoln in England untill the time it was sold by Mr Edw. Loyde, if the said Loyde hath made sale thereof, & if the Land be not sold, my will is that Hester my beloved wife shall have all the rent of said Land during her natural life to be att her sole dispose, & in case the said Land be sold; then my will is that she shall have one hundred pounds out of the money or principall the land was sold for, out of which hundred pound she shall pay to my daughter Mary forty pounds & to my Son Joseph thirty pounds, & to my daughter Hannah Parsons thirty pounds, all to be paid, att such time or times as my wife shall see most fitt & convenient, And the remainder of the said Estate I doe give to my son John Wheel= wright to dispose of & Improve for the use and benefit of my wife during her natural life & att her decease, I give the said estate to him & to his heirs for ever. I also give to Ester my wife the use & Income of the one half of another farm in Wells during her natural life which farm I have by deed of Gift given to my son John, Also provided my land afield [?] in England be not sold, then I give to my wife the use of the said Land during her natural life, and after her decease I give & bequeath unto my son John Wheelwright all the above mentioned land in Croft in England wth all the use & Interest & benefit thereof to him & to his heirs for ever, out of which he shall pay forty pounds in money to my Daughter Mary, to be paid twenty pounds thereof within one year after the said Estate comes into his hands & the other twenty pounds to be paid within two years after, & also to pay thirty pounds to my Son Joseph, half money & the other half equivalent to money, & thirty pounds to my daughter Hannah one half in money & the other half equivalent to money all to be paid within two years after the Estate comes into his hand, to them & to their heirs for ever, & in case of them have no children, then to the heirs of my son John Wheelwright for ever, -----

Item. I doe give to my Son John Wheelwright all my books now in the custody of Mr Efrahim Hutchison in Boston, & I give also to my son John one suit, cloke & hat & staffe I also give to him all my estate which is in the hand of Capt Bozen Allen of Boston due for my wives portion, one quarter part of what he shall recover I doe will to my Wife, And I doe constitute & appoint my dear & loving wife Hesther together with my loving sons John Wheelwright & Joseph Wheelwright to be Executors of this my Last will & Testament And I doe appoint my trusty & welbeloved friend, Capt Job Alcock of Portsmouth & Mr Saml Emery & Mr Jonathan Hammond of Wells to be the overseers of this my Last will. In Wittness whereof I have hereto set my hand & seall this thirtieth day of Janury One thousand six hundred ninety nine.seven hundred 1699/700

Sam^{ll} Wheelwright

Signed & Sealed in presence of us. Sam^{II} Emery Jonathon Ham[m]ond

Yorke ss/Janry the 22th, 1700/1

Recorded with the records of Willy for

James Addams

the County of Yorke page, 69 J Charles Hrost [?] Regist^r



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