

**Will, DE, Sussex, Pemberton Carlisle 1810**

In the name of God, Amen.

This second day of August in the year of Our Lord 1810, I, **PEMBERTON CARLISLE**, of the county of Sussex in state of Delaware, being weak and poorly in body but of perfect mind and memory, thanks be given to God for all his mercies, and calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do you make & ordain this my last will and testament, that is to say:

PRINCIPALLY AND FIRST of all I recommend my soul to the hands of God that gave it and as for my body I recommend it to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like manner at the discretion of my executors and as for my worldly estate, where with it has pleased God to bless me with in this life, I give and dispose of the same in the following Manner and form:

ITEM I give and bequeath unto my son **CHARLES CARLISLE** that Plantation whereon he now lives with all the lands belonging to the said farm, that I bought of **JAMES LAW**, with the appurtenances belonging to the same to him, his heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM I give and bequeath unto **PEMBERTON CARLISLE**, son of **CHARLES CARLISLE**, all the lands Plantation and appurtenances thereunto belonging whereon I now live, which I bought of **WILLIAM CHANCE**. Also all that part of my lands on the west side of my dwelling Plantation that I bought of **JONATHAN BRYAN** to him, his heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM I give and bequeath unto my son **PEMBERTON CARLISLE** all that land and Plantation and appurtenances thereunto belonging, that I bought of **DANIEL ROGERS** and **JAMES GEORGE**. And if the said **PEMBERTON CARLISLE** shall die without heir the said land to return back to his brothers and sisters equally to be divided. Also one negro man named **CHARLES** to him and his heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM I give and bequeath unto my grandson **CHARLES RICKARDS [RICHARDS]** one tract of land called the Wolf Pit range with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging but if he shall die without issue to return back to my sons and daughters to be equally divided amongst them.

ITEM I give and bequeath unto my well-beloved wife **PRISCILLA [POLKE CARLISLE]** one bed and furniture, that whereon we usually sleep on, to her and her heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM my will and desire is that all the remainder of my lands that is not already willed namely the lot at **SHANNY** and the place bought of **LEVIN WILLEY** together with all my movable property after Mike just debts are paid to be equally divided between my three daughters **NANCY**, **POLLY** and **REBECCA** to them their heirs and assigns forever.

And I do hereby constitute and appoint my son **CHARLES CARLISLE** and my son-in-law **JOSEPH WALTON** to be my whole and sole executor of this my last will and testament here by revoking and disannulling all former legacies, wills and bequests, ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament.

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In testimony whereof I, the shed **PEMBERTON CARLISLE**, have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

**PEMBERTON CARLISLE** {seal, his mark}

Signed Sealed published pronounced and declared by the said **PEMBERTON CARLISLE** as his last will and testament in the presence of us

Test

**WILLIAM CARLISLE**

**BOOZ MANLOVE**

**EUNICE MANLOVE**

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Sussex County

Memorandum 13th of January 1818

Before me **PHILLIPS KOLLOCK** register appointed for the probate of wills and granting letters of administration for the county of four said.

Personally appeared **WILLIAM CARLISLE** and **BOOZ MANLOVE** two of the subscribing witnesses to the within and foregoing will who being duly sworn on the holy evangelists of almighty God did severally deposed and say that in their sight, presence and hearing the testator, **PEMBERTON CARLISLE**, did sign, seal, publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and testament and that. At the doing there of he seemed to be of a sound, disposing mind, memory and judgment and that day and each of them together with **EUNICE MANLOVE** subscribed the same as witnesses in the presence of the said testator at his request.

**PHILLIPS KOLLOCK** register

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