

- Will of Samuel Dishman
  - TMG # 852
- Essex County, Virginia
- Will book 17, page 18-19
  - dated 8 Apr 1807
  - proved 15 Jun 1807
- Copied at Essex courthouse on 9/22/05

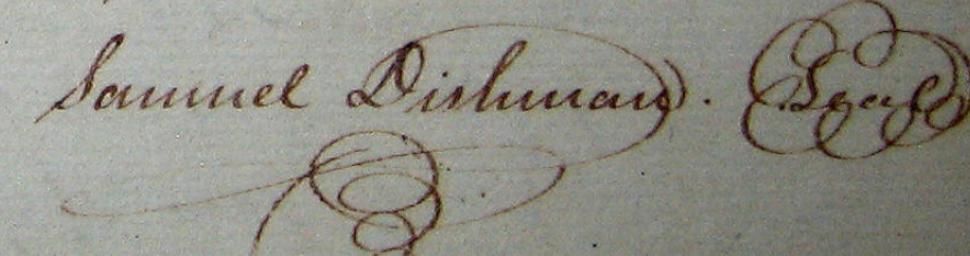
In the name of God Amen I Samuel Dirlman of the County of Essex  
and Saint Alins parish Being very sick and weak of body but of sound  
sence and memory do ordain <sup>and make</sup> this my last Will in Testiment revoking  
and renouncing all other Will or Wills hitherto by me made first  
I recommend my soul to almighty god hoping to have in him a joyful  
resurrection, and my body to the earth to be buried in a christian like  
manner at the discretion of my Executors hereafter mentioned  
first I lend and bequeath unto my brother John Dirlman all my  
land

(19) land to him and his heirs forever, but if he should die without heirs lawfully begotten of his body my land to return to my brother James Dishman and his heirs forever; Item I give unto my brother John Dishman three negro men namely Henry William and Lewis to him and his heirs forever but that my brother John Dishman pay to my brother Jeremiah Dishman one hundred and sixty seven Dollars, and that my brother John Dishman pay to my brother William Dishman One hundred and Sixty Seven Dollars, and that my brother John Dishman pay to my brother James Dishman one hundred and Sixty Seven Dollars And that my brother John Dishman pay to my nephew Reuben Noel ninety nine Dollars, the whole amount being Six hundred Dollars to be paid to them or their heirs on or before the first day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirteen legesey which I wish to give them of my estate. Item I give unto my nease Sally Noel one feather bed and furniture, and two negro woman namely Sarah and Betty they and their increase to her and her heirs forever, and that shee have a house on my land as long as shee live single. Item I give unto my sister Sarah Beagley two Cows and Calings and one feather bed and furniture. Item I give unto my nephew Reuben Noel one feather bed and furniture. Item I give unto my brother John Dishman all the rest of my stock of cattle and hogs and all the remainder of my unmentioned estate, and that he my brother John Dishman be it left to himselfe to constitute and appoint my brother John Dish-

pay all my just debts lastly I do constitute and appoint my brother John Disk-  
man executor of this my Last Will in Testament, And that he my brother John  
Diskman qualify to stir my last Will and administer and settle every thing  
that appertaineth to my estate agreeable to stir my last Will at his own  
discretion without being bound to give security as the law in these cases require.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Eighth Day  
of April one thousand Eight hundred and Seven

signed and sealed  
in presence of

Samuel Diskman. Esq; 

John Taylor

Obed Gray

Andrew Reynolds

the 15<sup>th</sup> Day of June 1807 This last Will and Testament

Daniel Reynolds

of Samuel Diskumau was brought into Court by John Diskumau, the executor therein named, and proved by the oaths

of John Taylor and Andrew Reynolds, two of the Witnesses to the same subscribed, and libered to be recorded. And on the motion of the S<sup>r</sup> John Diskumau, he was

permitted, and therewith qualified as executor of the same by taking the oath

prescribed by law, and without giving Bond & security, the testator by his Will

aforesaid requiring that no security should be taken; whereupon a Certificate

was granted the S<sup>r</sup> John Diskumau in order to his obtaining probate of the

S<sup>r</sup> testament in due form

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John Lee atty

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IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN, I Samuel Dishman of the County of Essex & Saint Anne Parish being very sick and weak of body but of sound sense and memory do ordain and make this my last will and testament revoking and renouncing all other wills hitherto by me made, first, I recommend my soul to almighty God hoping to have in him a joyful resurrection, and my body to the earth to be buried in a christian like manner, at the discretion of my Executors hereafter mentioned, first.

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I lend and bequeath unto my brother, John Dishman all my land to him and his heirs forever, but if he should die without heirs lawfully begotten of his body my land to return to my brother  
850 James Dishman and his heirs forever.

Item. I give unto my brother John Dishman three negro men namely, William, Henry, & Lewis, to him and his heirs forever, but that my brother John Dishman pay to my brother <sup>761</sup> Jeremiah Dishman \$167.00 and that my brother John Dishman pay to my brother <sup>818</sup> William Dishman \$167. and that my brother John Dishman pay to my brother James Dishman \$167.00 and that my brother John Dishman pay to my nephew Reuben Nell \$99.00 the whole amount being \$600.00 to be paid to them or their heirs on or before the first day of April 1813 Leg-  
eseys which I wish to give them of my estate. ✓ 526

1525 Item. I give unto my nease Sally Negl one feather bed and furniture, and two negro women namely, Sarah, Ruth, they and their increase to her and her heirs forever, and that shee have a home on my land as long as shoo live single.

524 854 Item. I give unto my sister Sarah Beasley two cows and yearlings and one feather bed and furniture. Item. I give unto <sup>171</sup> my nephew Reuben Nell one feather bed and furniture. Item. I give

unto my brother John Dishman all the rest of my stock of cattle and hogs and all the remainder of my unmentioned astate. And that he my brother John Dishman pay all my just debts, lastly. I do constitute and appoint my brother John Dishman executor of this my last will in testament and that he my brother John Dishman qualify to this my last Will and administer and settle every thing that appertained to my estate agreeable to this my last will at his own discretion without being bound to give security as the law in these cases requires.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 8 day of April 1807.

SAMUEL DISHMAN (SEAL).

Signed & sealed in presence of

John Taylor,

Abed Gray,

Andrew Reynolds,

Davis Reynolds.

(Probated June 15, 1807),

at Tappahannock

Pa.

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Leicester, Va. probated  
June 15, 1837.

Where found it.

S.R.D.