

John Clements
Will.

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In the Name of God Amen is day of
November 1740 I John Clements of the parish of Saint Andrews
in the County of Brunswick being sick in body but of good and
perfect memory I do hereby to almighty good and calling to
Remembrance the uncertain Estate of this transitory Life
and that all flesh must yield unto Death when it shall please
god to call do make this my Last will and Testament in manner
and form Following hereby Revoking all other wills and
Testaments by me heretofore made and first being peneheart
for my very great and humble Desire for mine for the same
I give and commit my soul to almighty god my Saviour and
Redemer and by the merits of Jesus Christ I trust assuredly to be
saved and my body to be buried decently by my Executors hereafter
named and now for the settling of my Temporal Estate and
such good use hath pleased god to bestow upon me that I do
say first I will that all those Debts I owe in Right or Conscience
be paid within convenient time after my Decease by Them

after my death at the convenient time after my decease my Item
give and bequeath unto my loving Daughter Susannah one
piece of land in the Parish and County aforesaid being part
of the tract where I now live on the upper side the Road at the
tree Spring and the other part of my Land on the that side the
Road to John Young known by the Name of the Poplars and to
the John Young I give two Cows Calves four young Cows and
pigg also I give to my loving Daughter Susannah two Cows
and Calves and four Cows and pigg to her and her heirs forever
Item I Give to my loving Daughter Hannah that part
of my Land be long to her line to wach as the said branch goes to
the Line which is the Lower end of that Dividend I now live
one to her and her heirs forever I also give the said Hannah
two Cows and Calves and four Cows and pigg also the first Colt
the gray mair bringe Item I give unto my loving Daughter
Elizabeth all my Land from the Stony hill as the Line goes to
the Road it being part of that Dividend where I now live
to her and her heirs forever I also give the Elizabeth two
Cows and two Calves four Cows and pigg Item I give
unto my loving wife Jane all the Rest of my Land

peace of land in the Parish and County aforesaid being part
of the tract where I now live on the upper side the Road at the
tree spring and the other part of my Land on the that side the
Road to John Young known by the Name of the poplars and to
the John Young I give two Cows Calves four young Cows and
pigg also I give to my Loving Daughter Susanna two Cows
and Calves and four Cows and pigg to her and her heirs forever
Item I Devise to my Loving Daughter Hannah that part
of my Land below the mine for as far as the said branch goes to
the Line which is the lower end of that Dividend I now live
one to her and her heirs forever I also give the said Hannah
two Cows and Calves and four Cows and pigg also the first Colt
the gray mare brings Item I give unto my Loving Daughter
Elizabeth all my Land from the Stony hill as the Line goes to
the Road it being part of that Dividend where I now live
to her and her heirs forever I also give the Elizabeth two
Cows and two Calves four Cows and pigg. Item I give
it to my Loving wife Jane all the Rest of my Land with

the plantation during his Natural Life and after his decease to go
 to my loving son John to him and his heirs forever also I give to my
 wife all the Rest of my Stock of what Nature or kind so ever during
 his Natural Life and then to go to my said son John and I do leave
 all my house hold goods to my loving wife Jane forever Item
 I do hereby appoint my true and trusty friend James Writche and
 my loving wife my Executors to this my Last will and Testament
 as witness hereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
 Seal the Day and date above written

Signed Sealed and

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Robert Mitchell

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Memorandum that at a Court held

Memorandum that a Court held
for the said County on Thursday the Seventh Day of May 1741 the
Last will and Testament of John Clammor deceased hereunto annexed was
presented in Court and Jane the widow and Relict of the said John
having since deceased in her married life with one William Liddendale
It is order'd that James Mitchell the other Executor therein named be
summoned to appear at the next Court and declare whether he is
willing to take upon him the burden of the Execution of the said will
and now at this day to wit the fourth Day of June in the Year of our Lord
1741 the said James Mitchell by Letter under his hand signified his
refusal to take upon him the Executorship thereof and thereupon
the said Jane made oath to the said will according to Law and the same
being proved by the Oath of John Dodd one of the Witnesses thereto
and order'd to be Recorded on the motion of the said Jane Certificate
is granted her for obtaining a Probat thereof due form

Teste J. R. Black C. Secy