

And on the 1st day of March 1868, the undersigned, William H. Post, one of the executors therein named, he is permitted to qualify as executor under the said will, whereupon he took the oath prescribed by law and together with Barnett Jones acting as witness (who justified on oath as to his sufficiency) entered into and acknowledged abroad in the presence of fifteen thousand dollars. Confirmation is granted to said William H. Post in due form of law, upon the estate of Christopher Post dec'd, right being hereby reserved to George H. Post and Nicholas, B Post the other execs named in the will, to qualify at some future time

Wm H. E. Moricockley

In the name of God amen. I, H. S. B. Power being of sound mind do make this to be my last will and testament
First I leave to my beloved wife for the support her and my children all of my property both real and personal
Secondly, I leave my wife free to sell any or all of said property and vest the amount sales in goods or some thing else whereby she may make abetter support than by farming
Thirdly I leave my wife to qualify as executrix upon my estate and require no security other as I feel satisfied she will do as near right as she can, and I ask the Court to require no security of her.

In witness whereof I set my hand & seal this first day of April 1868

H. S. B. Power *(Signature)*
The word mind was omitted by me in writing my will but put in as soon as I finished (my will)
H. S. B. Power *(Signature)*

At a Duarterly Court held for James City County and the City of Williamsburg at the Courthouse thereof in said City on Monday the 9th day of October 1871

A writing bearing date on the first day of April 1868 purporting to be the last will and testament of Henry J. B. Power decd was this day presented to the Court by J. A. C. Power the executrix therein named, and was proven to the satisfaction of the Court to be the true last will and testament of said Henry J. B. Power, by the oath of Thomas P. Martin who says he is well acquainted with the handwriting of the testator and that the said will is wholly written and the signature thereof is in the hand writing of said Henry J. B. Power decd. It is therefore ordered that said writing bearing date on the first day of April 1868 be recorded as and for the true last will and testament of Henry J. B. Power decd. And upon the motion of J. A. C. Power the executrix therein named by her attorney she is permitted to qualify upon the estate of said Henry J. B. Power whereupon she appeared in Court and took the oath prescribed by law, and entered into and acknowledged about in the sum of one thousand dollars (no security being required in accordance with a request in the will of the testator) it is ordered that letters of administration be made out in due form of law for said J. A. C. Power as executrix of Henry J. B. Power decd

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York River. James City County

Inventory of Personal Property of Christopher Post Deced. made this day and appraisement thereof. September 14th 1871

Echr. Martha J. Granger	5000.00
Sloop William Hulet	800.00
4. Skiffs P. 70.	280.00
1. Skiffs " 30.	120.00