

Balance in the Estate £ 15, 10, 3<sup>2</sup>  
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Wm. Gave to an Child 4. 5  
Wm. Gave to Smith 1, 15, 0  
28, 3, 3<sup>2</sup>

26 of Sept: 1779

This Account of the Administration of the Estate of Charles Smith dec<sup>d</sup> was presented into Court the 26<sup>th</sup> of September last And ordered to be Recorded.

Test Jno Taylor Cllk

In the name of God Amen I Elizabeth <sup>Wife</sup> of the County of Quincy  
widow and Relict of Richard Prude Gent this Eleventh day of December in  
The Year of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred and twenty two do make  
and Declare that my Last Will and Testament Respecting all other of former  
Wills in manner and Form following I have committed my soul into the  
Hands of Almighty God and my Body to be Buried at the Direction of my  
Executors hereafter named and for all my Estate both Real & Personal that  
I have or shall have of or that may hereafter come at that time or at the  
time of my death I give and bequeath to the same to my two Daughters  
Elizabeth Prude and Mary Prude and their heirs forever to be equally

Divided between them with Reserve such Division may not take place  
until one of my said Daughters shall arrive to the age of Twenty one  
years or until one of them shall be Married in the Mean time that the Estate  
Be kept safe for their Joint and Equal Benefit and it is my Will &  
Desire that if both my said Daughters shall depart this Life before either  
of them arrives to the age of Twenty one and without Issue of their or  
Either of their Husbands then I give and bequeath all my Estate real and  
Personal as aforesaid to my two grand Daughters Catharine & Elizabeth  
Dangerfields and their heirs forever to be Equally Divided between  
them But it is now the best my intention and I hereby Express my  
Will and Desire that if either of my said Daughters shall arrive to  
The age of Twenty one or if they or either of them before they arrive to Twenty  
one shall depart this Life and leave Issue alive of their or Either of their  
Husbands in that or either of those Contingencies I clearly intend my said  
Daughters my grand Daughters to have the said Estate real &  
Personal and not by any means an Estate in fee tail, And Lastly I com-  
mitte my beloved Son in Law Captain William Dangerfield Executor of their  
will to sell the said Tithe and Rents which I have now do let

My last Will and Testament on Holmeford Whines, I have here do set  
my hand and seal the day and year first above mentioned

signed sealed published & Declared by the said Elizabeth

To be her last Will & Testament in presence of

Milly Johnson  
Henry James  
Stephen Jones

Elizabeth Beale (L.S.)

At a Court held for Orange County on Thursday the 28<sup>th</sup> of January 1773

This last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Beale Deceased being presented  
into Court was proved by the Oath of Milly Johnson Henry James & Stephen

Jones Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be Recorded And at another Court

Held for Howard County on Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup> of February 1773 on the

Motion of Wm Dancyfield Executor within mentioned Probate a grant

was made for Obtaining of Letters Testaments under Form Whenceupon the Wm

James Madison Esq. her executor, entered into & acknowledged their

Bond for the estate in the sum of three thousand pounds

Wm James Esq. 606