

The last Will & Testament of Willoughby Marchant Merchant of New Brunswick
County. In the name of God Amen. Willoughby Marchant
being sick & weak in body but of a Perfect Sense and Memory Thanks
be to the Almighty God for the same Therefore Calling to Mind the
Mortality of Mankind & knowing that it is appointed for all men
to dye I Give & Bequeath my Soul Into the Hands of the Almighty God
I give it & as for my body I Resurrend it to be both to Buried in a
Christian like manner at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter
appointed and as for my worldly Estate which with it hath been
God will keep me worth in this life I Give & Dispose of the same in manner
and form following that is to say
Item I Give & bequeath to my Brother Caleb Marchant my Plantation & home
upon the name of Tobaccobee Point as also that part of my flock of both
Cattle and hogs which belong to the said Plantation to him & his Heir as also one
negro boy called Luther one negro girl called Miller as also my horse & cow & his
three of bees Item I Give & bequeath to my Brother Gideon Marchant one negro man
called Dick & one negro woman called Ester as also my horse & cow & his
Duck and one Toller also eight bad of sheep & eight hives of bees as also that part
of my flock of Cattle which I have in the Plantation whereon I now live to him & his
Heir Item I Give & bequeath to my Cousin Caleb Corbitt two negroes viz had one
to him & his Heir Item I Give & bequeath to my Cousin John Marchant my
two doves Item I Give & bequeath to my Cousin Hugh Marchant the Plantation
whereon I now live as also one negro boy called Rubin to her & her Heir
Lawfully begotten of her body and my will & Desire is that if the said Hugh
Marchant should die without such lawful Heir that the said land and negro should
be to my Brother Peter Marchant and his Heir & my Desire also is that my Brother
Peter Marchant have the Lease of the said land & negro till the said Hugh Corbitt be
the age of eighteen or twenty years Item I Give & bequeath to my Brother Peter Marchant
my own spinning wheel as also the one half of my flock of Spanish Cattle as also that part
of my flock of hogs that is used & fed on the said land whereon I now live as also
that part of my hogs which is used & fed on the other branch rock as also
eight bad of sheep & eight hives of bees & my will & Desire is that the same
of my Estate shall be equally divided among my three Brothers as viz
viz Caleb & Gideon Marchant & that these three should pay all my debts & my
one paying an equal part out of their several Legacies
And I Do appoint my Brother Peter Marchant & Gideon Marchant to be my
True and Lawful Executors Denying all other will or wills whatsoever & Do
ordain this my last will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto
my hand and Seal this 15th of April 1762

Attested Nathaniel-James West Jurat
William Read Jurat

Henry G. Jones
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