

that forty Pounds be paid towards the schooling of my two grand
 Sons (Wm) John & Samuel NeSmith sons of John NeSmith Junr.
 Decd. It is also my desire that after the Bequest above mentioned
 is paid that the Remains of the Estate be sold the money put
 to Interest and the said Interest disposed of in the manner
 following to the Presbyterian Congregation at Blackmings Creek
 one third of the same to be paid yearly by my Exors to the Rev.
 Mr. John Baxter Mr. Thomas Bonn & Mr. Abt. McCants (for the
 support of the Gospel) and hereby appoint them trustees for
 that Purpose the Remaining two thirds I allow to the
 Presbyterian Congregation at Williamsburgh to be paid in manner
 aforesaid to be paid to Mr. James McClelland & John Linnatus
 in trust for said Congregation Provided nevertheless that the
 said Trustees shall render an Account yearly to the
 Minister & Committee how they have disposed of s^d money
 & their Security for the same Provided also that of s^d
 Money none shall be made Paid to any Minister but
 such as shall Profess and teach the Doctrine and submit
 to all rules & Discipline of the Church of Scotland who is of
 Moral Conduct also it shall & may be Lawfull for the
 ministers & Committees of said Congregations at the Death
 or Refusing to act of any of the said trustees to nominate
 & Appoint others in their room & that no trustee or Exor
 shall charge or demand Commissions for their so acting
 & disposing of the money aforesaid for the use of ~~the~~ said
 Congregations Item to my Son in Law John Barr Sum
 Shillings & Six Pence Current money of said Province to be paid
 by my Exors I likewise ^{make} Nominate & Appoint Margaret my s^d wife
 Exor & M^{rs}. Jam^s. McClelland Abt. McCants & John Linnatus Exors of this my Last
 will & Test and I do hereby Recommend, Recommend & Utterly disallow all former
 wills Legacies Bequests & Exors. by me formerly made Ratifying & Confirming
 this & no other to be my last will & Testament In Witness whereof I
 have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & year first above written

Nath^l. Drew (S)

Signed Sealed Published Recommended &
 declared by the s^d Nath^l. Drew as his
 last will & Testament in presence of us
 the Subscribers sigt.

James McCants Edward Howard Martha M Johnson

In the name of God Amen the ninth day of July in the year 1782
 I William James of Williamsburgh County & Province of Great
 Brittain Planters being very sick and weak of body but in perfect
 mind & memory thanks be given unto God feeling unto
 mind the uncertainty of this Present life the mortality of
 my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once
 to die do make & ordain this my last will & Testament that is
 to say Principally first of all I Give & Recommend my soul into
 the hands of God that gave it & my body I Recommend to the
 Earth to be buried in decent Christian Burial at the discretion
 of my Exors nothing doubting but at the General Resurrection
 I shall Receive the same again by the mighty Power of God
 and restoring such worldly Estate wherewith I hath Pleased
 God to bless me in this life I Give & Recommend & Dispose of of
 same in the following manner & form Inpursuance I Appoint
 my funeral Charges and all other debts first paid
 Item I Give & Bequeath unto my well Beloved wife Elizabeth
 the Sixth Part of all my goods & Chattels with four Part
 =essions of the Estate of houses & Lands I now live upon
 Enduring her widowhood or life after which to ^{Remain} be Paid to
 my son Samuel and my Daughter Catharine Jane
 Item I Give & Bequeath unto my eldest son John a horse
 named Thunder Saddle & Bridle with what Black Cattle he now Owns
 Together with thirty pounds Current money or above his Proportionable
 Part hereafter Specified Item I Give & Bequeath unto my
 second son William a m^{or} named Dutchess Saddle & Bridle
 as above in John's Item I Give & Bequeath unto my third
 son Robert a m^{or} named Pleasant as above in John's
 Item I Give & Bequeath unto my daughter Jane a horse
 named Diamond Saddle & Bridle as above in John's
 Item I Give & Bequeath unto my son Nathaniel McClelland
 one ram & two ewes Item I Give & Bequeath my whole
 Estate Real & Personal that is to say all the Remaining
 Part to John, William, Samuel James, Elizabeth, Sarah & Catharine
 Jean James my children to be Equally Shared Either at
 Each of their Marriages Respectively or at the age of twenty
 four years and in case any of them shall die before they
 Arrive at the age of s^d their Proportion shall or shall not
 Equally be divided among the Survivors I likewise fully
 Impower & authorize my Exors after named to sell & dispose
 of Land Slaves & other Effects as they shall think fit
 Convenient for the benefit & advantage of my