

In the Name of God Amen, this fourth Day of
Novem. Anno Domini 1762. I William Hart of New Jersey
in the County of Mon. and Province of New Jersey German
being this day some Goodness in Health and soundness of mind
and Memory. but recollecting my frailty as knowing that
it is appointed for Mankind to die, do hereby make and give
this my last Will and Testament that is hereby fully
and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the
Hands of God who gave it and my Body I recommend
to the Earth to be buried in a Christian decent Buriall
at the Discretion of my Executors nothing doubting
but at the general Resurrection I shall recover the
same again by the mighty Power of God and as
touching such worldly Estate with which it hath plea-
sed God to bless me in this Life I give devise and
dispose of the same in the following manner to wit

Item I Will that my just Debts & Funerall Charges be first paid
out of my personal Estate
Item it is my Will that my whole Estate both Real and
personal be sold by my Executors hereafter to be named
and that by Auction or otherwise as prudence may direct
and I do hereby fully authorize and empower them to
sell as above, or otherwise to divide, and dispose of the
whole of my Estate when sold: and I will them the following
manner Viz. to my well beloved Daughter Abigail wife
of Jabesh Eaton of Roxbury, one equal fourth part of
the Money, or Goods according as Divided, excepting five
ty Pounds which she hath already received, as by the sale
of my Negro man, which is to be reckoned as a part of
her Dividend, or fourth part as above.

Item I give to my well beloved Daughter Phoebe wife of
Isaac Johnson of Cohasset five pounds lawfull Money
of New Jersey and that as a part of a second Quarter of
my Estate Real & Personal and the Remainder of so
I am over

A Quarter to be given to Mary Johnson my
granddaughter who now lives with me if she lives
with me till my Decease, but if she should Marry,
what I may then give her shall be considered
as part of her Portion, but all is with this proviso,
that she is not to have Day, or week wages for
the time she lives with me, or any wages at all.

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Item I give and bequeath to my well beloved Daughter
Mersey wife of John Cole of Mor: Town, the remaining
two Quarters of my Estate both Real & Personal.

Item I constitute make & ordain Sec^r Math^s Lum, & Sam^l Lindley
my trusty Executors both of Mor: Town, as the Executors
of this my last Will & Testament, & do hereby utterly
disallow, revoke & disannul, all & every other former
Testaments, Wills, Legacies & Bequests, & Executors by me
in any wise before Named, Willed & bequeathed, Ratifying
and confirming this to be my last Will &
Testament, in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
& seal, the Day and Year above written.

Signed Sealed Published Proounced
& declared by the sd. Thomas Kent
as his last Will & Testament in the
Presence of us the subscribers

Henry Primrose

Thomas Kent
his
mark

James Pitney
mark

Sam^l Johnes

Memorandum that on the thirtieth day of July One thousand
Seven hundred and Sixty four Henry Primrose and James
Pitney two of the subscribed witnesses to the foregoing Will
appeared before me Jonathan Dear duly Authorized & and
they being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists on their Oaths
Do Declare that they were present and did see Thomas Kent
the

Morris County ss. Sarah Kent & Peter Cook and
named being duly sworn according to Law do
swear and testify that Thomas Kent within named
died without a will as far as they know and as
they verily believe; and that they will well and
truly administer all and singular, the goods, lands,
rights and credits of the said deceased, which same
shall come to their hands or possession or to the
possession of any other person or persons for their
use; & that they will make a true and perfect
inventory of the said goods, chattels & credits and
exhibit the same into the prerogative office
at Burlington and render a just and true
account of their administration.

Sworn at Morristown
the 13th Day of Oct.
1788 before
Gabriel Campbell Esq.

Peter Cook
Sarah Kent

Mersey wife of John Cole of Mor^o Town, the remaining
two Quarters of my Estate both Real & Personal
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my trusty Friends both of Mor^o Town, as the Executors
of this my last Will & Testament, & do hereby utterly
disallow, revoke & disannul, all & Every other former
Testaments, Wills, Legacies & Bequests, & Executors by me
in any wise before Named, Willed & bequeathed, Ratifying
and confirming this & no other to be my last Will
& Testament, in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
& seal, the Day and Year above written.

Signed Sealed Published & pronounced
in presence of the sd Thomas Kent
as his last Will & Testament in the
presence of us the subscribers

Henry Primrose

James Pitney
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Sam^l. Jones

Thomas Kent
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The Testator in the foregoing Instrument named sign and Seal the
the same and heard him publick pronounce and declare it to
be his last Will and Testament, that at the doing thereof the said
Testator was of sound mind and memory to the best of their know-
ledge and as they verily believe, and that at the same time Timothy
Johnes the other Evidence was also present and signed as an
Evidence thereto, as they each did in presence of said Thomas
Hent. Also that at the same time Dea. Mathew Sum-
one of the executors in the foregoing Will named came before
me and was duly qualified by taking the oath of an executor
as by Law appointed.

Ima Dear

Thomas Hent
Last Will & Testament