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My Will and mind is that two Tomb Stones be Sent for by my Ex.rs the one for my wife the other for my Self.
As to the Estate w.ch is in my Hand belonging to my Cosen Eath.a Eeeley both real & personal. My wife and mind is that the same be and remain in the Hands of my Father in Law Tho.s Lench untill She attains to the Age of years to receive the same.
I give and bequeath unto Lu.s Blacknore, one of the best black Hatts w.ch is in the — My Will and Mind is that the fifty Acres of Land given by my Wife, and the Other Given by me to the Minister Of St. James's Parrish as Glebe Land be Laid Out for use, at the Discretion Of my Ex.tor hereafter Named, My Will and Desire is that all the that Cap.n Nicho.s Smith Hath bought this Year upon my Account and require them He to himself takes not Charging me nor my Estate Debtor for any part or parcell saving Such part as Hath been by me or my Order used in my Family or be... Of by Legacy.
and bequeath unto the Minister Of St. Jameses parrish twenty pounds the same to be Laid out for good, and Godly books, and the said Books kept as a Church Library Chiefly for the use of the poor Of the said parrish. My will and mind is that my Ex.rs hereafter named do deliver unto the Children of Edward Counsey Linnen to the ballue Of fifteen Hundred pounds Of Lobb.s to be equally divided amongst the said Children.
I will & bequeath unto Henry Leeke five pounds Sterling.
I give and bequeath unto Mary Day One New black gown and petticoat one piece Holland One New Side Saddle and Furniture.
I give and bequeath unto Alice Rhoades Mary Day and Eliz.a Wilson all my late Wifes wearing Cloaths to be Equally Divided amongst them.

I give and bequeath unto my old negro woman One new gound and petticoate my will and mind is that my Mollatoe girl Elizabeth be and remain whose Hands soever happen that my Children are brought up with till they attain to age.
Now as to the remaining part Of my personall Estate be it Of what kind or nature soever whether in this Province Old England or any part Of the Kings dominions wheresoever it may be found, that properly Can or may be Called mine my Will and mind is that the same by Even and Equall portions, be divided amongst my aforesaid three Sons Nathan, James and Thomas Rigbie, my Will and mind is that Jacob Hooker, Benj.n Hooker, and Wm Payne, Johanna Longman, & Mary Tolley be Hon.bly gratified by my Ex.rs hereafter named for their great Care, and pains taken in mine and my Last Wifes Sickness.
My will and mind is that my Crop of Lobb.s now made shall be Stripped for England at the risque of my Estate, and the produce as my Personal Estate.
Lastly I ordain Constitute and appoint my Loving Father in Law Tho.s Lench to be my whole and Sole Executor of this my last Will & Testament if he shall live to perform the trust therein imposed, but in Case of his Mortallity then my Friend Roger Newman to succeed as Ex.r and in Case of his mortallity then my Cosen Tho.s Smith to succeed as Exec.r Desireing them all above all things to be kind to my Children.
In testimony whereof I have hereunto Sett my hand & affixed my Seal this Eighth day of Nov.r one thousand Seven Hundred.
Signed Sealed & Published in the Presence of Henry Hall, Rich.d Jones Junr. Jn.o Blacknore. James Rigbie (Seale)
December the 4th 1700
Then Came before me Henry Hall and John Blacknore