after her mothers decease to him his heirs and Assigns forever but it is my Will and Pleasure that my beloved Wife Martha Purnell shall possess and Enjoy ye said Land and Improvements given to my Son William during his Natural life.

Item It is my Will and desire that if my Son William should Die without Issue of his Body Lawfully begotten that my two Sons Benjamin and Elisha may possess and Enjoy ye Land given to my Son William to be Equally divided between them after their Mothers decease to them their Heirs and Assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my two Sons Elisha and William my Tract of Land called Addition to be Equally divided between them two, to them their Heirs and Assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Thomas a part of ye Tract of Land called Addition to Sherbourn to begin at the Pinbranch Causaway with a line of marked trees from thence through Ridge to upon ye North and West side of ye Tract of Land called Sherbourn to ye extent of lines to my Son Thomas during his Natural life and afterwards to my Grandson Mathew Purnell Son of Thomas his heirs and Assigns forever. Item I give and bequeath unto my Son William Purnell ye Platt of Land called Mill Lott ye Water Mill thereon Standing and all appurtenances thereunto belonging to him his heirs and Assigns forever.

Item It is my Will and Pleasure that my Son William may be free at ye Age of Eighteen years. Item likewise give and bequeath my Son William my Negro ~~Man~~ Man called James and to ye same Negro and Mill at Eighteen years of Age and that ye Value of ye said Negroes Labour and ye Profit of ye said Mill, may be applied to ye keeping my Son William at a Constant School, untill he was at that Age. Item It is my Will and desire that if my Son William should Die before he was at Age that ye Negro Man James may Return into my Personal Estate and ye Mill Lot and Water Mill to fall to my Son Elisha his heirs and Assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Mathew Purnell one Hundred Pounds to be Raised out of my Estate Provided he Returns home before my Son William Arrives at ye Age of Eighteen years.

Item I give and bequeath unto my three Grandchildren To wit Thomas Purnell Levi Purnell ye Sum of Forty pounds to be paid by my Executors when they come to age, each an Equal part. It is likewise my Will and Desire that ye Land given to my said Grandsons may be Rented out till they come to age to possess their Land by my Executors for their use and that they may Receive their Land at ye Age of Eighteen years. Provided their parents Will let them come and live on ye said Land.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Catherine Purnell my Negro Girl called Sab and all her Increase to her and ye heirs Lawfully begotten of her Body forever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Purnell my Negro Girl called Juda and all her Increase to her and ye heirs Lawfully begotten of her body forever.

Item as for ye Rest of my moveable Estate not before given I leave for ye use of my Wife for to Support her during her Natural Life and after her decease to be Equally divided among Six of my Children to wit John Catherine Elisha Benjamin Mary and William to be portioned Equally among them.

Lastly I do constitute and appoint my well beloved Wife Martha Purnell and my Son John Purnell joint Executors of this my last Will and Testament and I do hereby utterly disallow disannul and Revoke all and every other former Will or Wills Testament or Testaments by me before this time made Willed or bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal ye day and year first above said.

Signed Sealed and Delivered in ye presence of us } Mathew Purnell (Seal)

James Noble Junr.
Macclamy Jones Junr.
Joshua Jones Jr.
John Hammond Junr.

On ye back of ye aforegoing Will was ye following Probate thereon Written Viz.t

29th May 1761 Came James Noble, Macclamy Jones, Joshua Jones, and John Hammond ye Subscribing Witnesses to ye aforegoing Will and made Oath on ye Holy Evangells of Almighty God, that they Mathew Purnell ye Testator Sign Seal and heard him publish pronounce and declare ye same to be his last Will and Testament and that at ye time of his so doing he was to ye best of their Apprehensions of Sound disposing mind and memory and that they Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to ye said Will in ye presence of ye Testator and at his Request. Sworn before Benton Hairs Dep.ty Com.r Worcester County

29th May 1761 Came Martha Purnell Widow and Relict of ye foregoing Mathew Purnell deceased Dissclaim to her Right of Dower or Thirds, and Electeth in Lieu thereof to Stand to and abide by ye Several Bequeaths and devises made to her in ye said Decds Will before Benton Hairs Dep.ty Com.r of Wor. County

In ye Name of God Amen I Archibald Smith of Worcester County being weak in body but of perfect mind and memory Blessed be God for it Do constitute and appoint this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following

Item I give and bequeath to my Son Solomon Smith one Tract of Land called Mustle Grove, containing Sixty Acres of Land to him his heirs and Assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my Son Archibald and John Smith Two Hundred Acres of Land being part of a Tract of Land called Plumpton Sollash to them and their heirs and Assigns forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my Son Samuel Smith Sixty Eight Acres of (Land)