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1. Forty pounds

monies with which it hath pleased Almighty God by his good providence to...  
bless me I doe give and dispose thereof and of the rest of my worldly goods as...  
followeth my monies which I have placed out at interest and most of it upon...  
land securities are unto one hundred pounds and I have also besides this...  
unto one hundred pounds a year annuity paid me out of the Portuque settled...  
upon the fund of unity and years which I purchased in 1705 and for which I...  
paid just six hundred and twenty pounds Item I doe will and require that all...  
my debts and sundry charges shall be first paid and as soon as may be...  
conveniently discharged from I doe give and bequeath unto my Brother John...  
Culpeper the sum of One hundred pounds to be paid within six months...  
after my decease Item I doe give and bequeath unto my sister Culpeper...  
my aforesaid Brother John Culpeper's Lady my Brilliant Diamond ring...  
for the little finger worth about twenty and five pounds which Brilliant...  
Diamond being I desire my said sister Culpeper will gett it made fitt and...  
now sett it and wear it for my sake Item I doe give and bequeath for the use...  
of my Brother Cheney Culpeper the sum of two hundred pounds which I doe...  
herby order and appoint my aforesaid Executor my Nephew John Hamilton...  
to receive but in trust only and for the use of my said Brother Cheney...  
Culpeper untill my said Executor shall have laid out the said two hundred...  
pounds to purchase an annuity of about twenty pounds a year for my said...  
Brother during his naturall life And I doe herby order and appoint that...  
my aforesaid Executor my Nephew John Hamilton shall within a year...  
after my decease purchase with the said two hundred pounds an annuity...  
of about twenty pounds a year for my said Brother Cheney Culpeper to...  
be paid unto him yearly during his naturall life but if my aforesaid Executor...  
my Nephew John Hamilton shall chuse rather himselfe to pay unto my...  
said Brother an annuity of twenty pounds a year during my said Brother...  
Cheney Culpeper's naturall life In that case my aforesaid Executor my Nephew...  
John Hamilton shall keep the above mentioned two hundred pounds for his...  
own use for ever provided and upon this Condition that within less than a...  
year after my decease my said Nephew John Hamilton doe make and...  
give unto my said Brother Cheney Culpeper a deed of security drawn up...  
by a good lawyer and to my said Brother's satisfaction and signed sealed...  
and well witnessed and where in my said Executor my Nephew John...  
Hamilton shall oblige both himselfe his heirs Executors and Assignes...  
jointly to pay unto my said Brother Cheney Culpeper the aforesaid...  
twenty pounds a year annuity during my said Brother's naturall life by...  
half yearly payments and when this said deed of security is given to my...  
said Brother Cheney Culpeper then after that the aforesaid shall be my...  
aforesaid my Nephew John Hamilton's own money and to remain for my...  
said Nephew's own use and benefit for ever Item I doe give and bequeath...  
unto my Nephew James Hamilton now Earl of Abercorn the eldest son...  
of my dear sister the Honourable Elizabeth Hamilton Widow deceased...  
the sum of one hundred pounds to be paid within six months after my...  
decease Item I doe give and bequeath unto my Wife the Lady Philippa...  
Hamilton who is my Goddaughter and the third daughter of my...  
aforesaid Nephew James Hamilton now Earl of Abercorn the sum of five...  
hundred pounds to be paid unto my aforesaid Wife within within six...  
months after my decease either unto her own selfe or unto whomsoever...  
my said Wife the Lady Philippa Hamilton shall order and appoint to...  
receive the said five hundred pounds either in England or in Ireland And...  
as to my forty pounds a year heretofore mentioned and which I now have

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in the Exchequer (upon the fund for ninety nine years) and for which said...  
 Summy I paid into the Exchequer six hundred and twenty pounds) I do...  
 hereby give and bequeath the aforesaid Summy of forty pounds a year and...  
 the principall monies of it when ever it shall be sold or transferred in this...  
 manner following Item first I do require Order and appoint my aforesaid...  
 Executor my Brother John Hamilton to deliver and give into the hands of his...  
 father my aforesaid Brother William Hamilton of Chilson the Tallys and...  
 the Order and whatsoever yet more appertains to the aforesaid Summy of forty...  
 pounds a year out of the Exchequer And I do hereby desire order and appoint...  
 my aforesaid Brother William Hamilton of Chilson to take the same thereof...  
 half of the said Summy of forty pounds a year being for his own and for my...  
 Wife Margaret Hamilton his wife use and the other half of the aforesaid...  
 Summy of forty pounds a year being in Trust for the use of my aforesaid...  
 Brothers second Son my Brother George Hamilton and for the use and in...  
 trust for my aforesaid Brothers third Son my Brother Thomas Hamilton...  
 And I do hereby order and appoint my aforesaid Brother William...  
 Hamilton of Chilson to calculate and divide the aforesaid Summy of forty...  
 pounds a year out of the Exchequer into six parts which said six parts I do...  
 hereby bequeath and dispose of as followeth Item Two parts of the said six...  
 parts I do give and bequeath unto my aforesaid Brother William Hamilton...  
 of Chilson for his own use for ever Item one sixth part of the said six parts...  
 I do give and bequeath unto my Wife Margaret Hamilton of Chilson my...  
 aforesaid Brother William Hamilton of Chilson's wife for my said Wife's...  
 own use for ever Item I do give and bequeath unto my aforesaid Brother...  
 George Hamilton the second Son of my said Brother William Hamilton of...  
 Chilson one sixth part of said six parts of the said Summy of forty pounds...  
 a year out of the Exchequer which I do estimate to be now worth about a...  
 hundred pounds And therefore I do order and hereby appoint my aforesaid...  
 Brother William Hamilton of Chilson his father to pay within six months...  
 after my decease unto his second Son my aforesaid Brother George Hamilton...  
 the sum of One hundred pounds instead of this before mentioned sixth part of...  
 the said Summy of forty pounds a year out of the Exchequer because my...  
 said Brother George Hamilton being a Merchant the having this aforesaid...  
 hundred pounds paid him within six months in ready money it may be some...  
 small benefit to my Brother George Hamilton by way of Trade and after...  
 that my aforesaid Brother William Hamilton of Chilson his father shall...  
 have (within six months after my decease) actually paid according to this my...  
 Order and Appointment the aforesaid sum of One hundred pounds unto...  
 his second Son my aforesaid Brother George Hamilton Then my Will...  
 and pleasure is that the aforesaid one sixth part of my before mentioned...  
 Summy of forty pounds a year (out of the Exchequer) do remain to the use...  
 and benefit of my aforesaid Brother William of Chilson for ever...  
 notwithstanding my having here before (in this my Will bequeathed the...  
 aforesaid sixth part of this my said Summy unto my Brother George...  
 Hamilton his second Son Item I do further give and bequeath two sixth...  
 parts of the said six parts of the aforesaid Summy of forty pounds a year...  
 out of the Exchequer unto my Brother Thomas Hamilton the third Son of...  
 my aforesaid Brother William Hamilton of Chilson which two said six...  
 parts I do hereby require and appoint my aforesaid Brother William...  
 Hamilton of Chilson his father to give and transfer unto my aforesaid...  
 Brother Thomas Hamilton's own possession as soon as he shall have...  
 attained unto the age of thirty years or at the day of his Marriage...

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his father.

whichever shall first happen And provided my aforesaid Arphow...  
Thomas Hamilton do marry with the consent of his father and mother or  
the Survisor of them and in the mean time until his age of thirty years or  
day of marriage with consent as aforesaid I do hereby order and appoint  
my aforesaid Arphow William Hamilton of Chilson his father himself to...  
receive from time to time out of the residue the yearly income of those two  
sixth parts of this my aforesaid Summity of forty pounds a year out of the...  
residue which will be between Twelve and Thirteen pounds a year which  
I desire my said Arphow William Hamilton of Chilson his father will...  
apply for the use of my said Arphow Thomas Hamilton to help towards his  
support and maintenance And I do hereby further order and appoint and  
empower my aforesaid Arphow William Hamilton of Chilson for the uses  
aforesaid either to sell and transfer the aforesaid Summity of forty pounds  
a year out of the residue or to receive it there as it is now just according  
as my said Arphow William Hamilton of Chilson shall think fitt and...  
best for the benefit of both himself my Arphow his wife and his two sons  
It being my true intent and meaning that my aforesaid Arphow shall...  
have the whole power and management of both the principal and income  
of my aforesaid Summity of forty pounds a year out of the residue...  
settled upon the fund of ninety nine years and to be by my said Arphow...  
William Hamilton of Chilson divided into six parts for the uses aforesaid  
according as I have here in this my will given and bequeathed it And if it  
should happen that my said Arphow Thomas Hamilton should die unmarried  
before he shall have attained unto thirty years of age In that case I do...  
hereby give and bequeath the residue of the aforesaid Two sixth parts  
of my said Summity of forty pounds a year out of the residue unto his...  
father my aforesaid Arphow William Hamilton of Chilson to remain for  
his own use and benefit for ever Item I do give and bequeath unto my...  
Arphow Margaret Hamilton of Chilson the wife of my Arphow William  
Hamilton of Chilson my pearl pendants sett with only two very large true  
pearls and two Crosslets each of three Diamonds the pendants rest just...  
Twenty pounds six the two true Scotch pearls rest Twelve pounds and the  
six Diamonds in the two Crosslets rest eight pounds and my dear sister the  
Honourable Elizabeth Hamilton gave me those pendants some years...  
before her death Item I do give and bequeath unto my Arphow Elizabeth  
Hamilton the only daughter of my aforesaid Arphow William Hamilton  
of Chilson the sum of five hundred pounds to be paid unto her at her day of  
marriage and not before And provided my said Arphow do marry with the  
consent of her father and mother or the Survisor of them And I do...  
hereby order and appoint my Executor (who as before mentioned in this my  
will is my Arphow John Hamilton within six months after my death to  
pay the aforesaid sum of five hundred pounds unto my Arphow William  
Hamilton of Chilson his father whom I do hereby order and appoint to...  
take and hold of In Trust for his daughter my aforesaid Arphow Elizabeth  
Hamilton and to pay the said five hundred pounds unto my said Arphow at  
her day of marriage with consent as aforesaid I do hereby give and...  
bequeath all the interest and profits that shall be made of the said five  
hundred pounds unto her father my aforesaid Arphow William  
Hamilton of Chilson from time to time for my said Arphow's own use and  
benefit and if it should happen that my said Arphow Elizabeth Hamilton  
should die before her day of marriage In that case I do hereby give and  
bequeath the residue of the aforesaid five hundred pounds unto her...

and not before and in the  
mean time until the day  
of my said Arphow's marriage  
with consent as aforesaid

father my said nephew William Hamilton of Chilson to remain for my said  
 nephews own use and benefit for ever Item I do give and bequeath unto  
 my nephew John Hamilton the eldest son and heir apparent of my aforesaid  
 nephew William Hamilton of Chilson who is my executor the sum of three  
 hundred pounds Item I do further give and bequeath unto my aforesaid  
 my nephew John Hamilton for the use of my said nephews wife my niece  
 Mary Hamilton and for my said niece to wear my two diamond earrings set  
 with nine large diamonds worth about two hundred pounds which nine large  
 diamonds my dear sister the Countess Elizabeth Hamilton gave me severall  
 years before her decease Item I do also further give and bequeath unto my  
 aforesaid executor my nephew John Hamilton for the use of my niece Mary  
 Hamilton his wife for her to wear my Gold Stinking watch with a Gold chain to  
 it and a gold seal set very curiously round with very small diamonds which  
 all together cost seventy odd pounds and was given me by my sister the  
 Countess Elizabeth Hamilton my said nephews dear Grandmother in her  
 will Item I do yet further give and bequeath unto my aforesaid nephew  
 John Hamilton my two Oval pictures one of them is a copy of a picture of  
 my said nephews Grandfather my Brother Hamilton and the other is my  
 dear sister Hamiltons own picture both these pictures I saw drawn by one  
 and the same an Italian painter Item I do give and bequeath unto my said  
 niece Mary Hamilton the wife of my executor my aforesaid nephew  
 John Hamilton my diamond double for a girdle which is set with two large  
 diamonds which are worth about twenty pounds or more Item I do give  
 and bequeath unto my young niece Elizabeth Hamilton the eldest daughter  
 of my executor my before mentioned nephew John Hamilton my diamond  
 ear rings of which the two diamonds weigh about eleven grains and a half  
 and they cost me above sixty pounds and are now worth much more and  
 the said diamond ear rings I do hereby order and appoint my said executor  
 my nephew John Hamilton to deliver into the hands of his wife my niece  
 Mary Hamilton whom I do order and appoint for to keep the said diamond  
 ear rings in trust for her eldest daughter my aforesaid young niece  
 Elizabeth Hamilton untill her age of eighteen years and in the meantime I  
 desire and hereby order my niece Mary Hamilton her mother to use and  
 wear them herself And if my said young niece Elizabeth Hamilton her  
 daughter should happen to die before she shall have attained to the age of  
 eighteen years in that case I do hereby give and bequeath the direction  
 of the aforesaid diamond ear rings unto my said niece Mary Hamilton my  
 said young niece Elizabeth Hamiltons mother Item I do in the manner  
 aforesaid give and bequeath unto my aforesaid young niece Elizabeth  
 Hamilton the eldest daughter of my executor my before mentioned nephew  
 John Hamilton my Japan Casket with all the silver plate that belongs to it  
 and all the other appurtenances that belongs to this Casket which altogether  
 cost about fifty pounds and Item I do also give and bequeath yett further  
 unto my before mentioned young niece Elizabeth Hamilton my aforesaid  
 executor my nephew John Hamiltons eldest daughter my Old Gold watch  
 with the Chain therunto belonging which is set with fifty one small  
 diamonds which cost me about six shillings apiece and there is also set in  
 the top of the Chain seven small but right diamonds which are of some  
 little value there is also six very little Garnets in this chain but  
 they are worth nothing Item I do yett further give and bequeath unto my  
 aforesaid young niece Elizabeth Hamilton the eldest daughter of my said  
 executor my nephew John Hamilton my Green Emerald Ring for the

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