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Newfoundland

In the Probate Court

In the name of God amen

I George Hutchings of the Town of Saint Johns in the Island of Newfoundland Planter being weak in Body but of sound mind and memory do this second day of January in the forty seventh year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third of the united Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland King Defender of the Faith and so forth and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seven make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following (that is to say) Impremis I commend my soul into the hands of almighty God who gave it me and my Body to the Earth from whence it came in hopes of a Joyfull Resurrection through the merits of my Blessed Saviour Jesus Christ and as for that worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless^{me} after all my Just and lawfull debts are paid I give and bequeath unto my loving Wife Jane Hutchings and at her death the disposal of it as she may think proper. The last Will of my deceased Brother is to be fulfilled respecting some property

Bequeaths

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Bequeathed to my son George Hutchings and I do
make and ordain her the said Jane Hutchings my
living wife my whole and sole Executrix of this
my last Will and Testament and my good Friends
John Williams and Thomas Williams both of
this place Merchants Overseers thereof to take
care and see the same performed according to my
true intent and meaning In Witness whereof
I the said George Hutchings have to this my
last Will and Testament set my hand and seal
in St. Johns the day and year before written

George Hutchings

Signed sealed

published and declared by the said George
Hutchings as and for his last Will and Testament
in presence of

John Congdon

John Pennell

In^o Macurdy