

my Sister's Children who shall be then living, Excepting my Kinsman Joseph Furnis, whom after the Death of my children as aforesaid I give, devise, and bequeath the sum of Three pound proclamation. Item, I give and bequeath unto my dear and well-beloved wife Sarah Gardiner all the rest of my Estate both reall and personall, be it what it will or where it will, she and my other Executor hereafter named taking care to bring up my children with good Learning, clear and free from charge, that when they come to age they may enjoy their Estates without any charge upon either of them for bringing up. Item, I do make, ordain, constitute and appoint my dear and loving wife and my Friend Richard Smith, Junr., of the Town of Burlington, merchant, to be the Executrix and Executor of this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I the said Mathews Gardiner have to this my last Will and Testament set my Hand and Seal this Twenty-eighth day of May in the fourth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second, King over Great Britain, &c., Anno Dom. One thousand seven hundred and Thirty-one.

MATHEWS GARDINER.



Signed, scalled, published and }
 declared by the said Mathews }
 Gardiner to be his last Will & }
 Testament in the presence of us }
 the Subscribers.

ROBERT LUCUS,
 ROBERT LUCUS, Junr.,
 SAML. SCATTERGOOD.

[Will proved September 3, 1731. Recorded in Liber III, West Jersey Wills, p. 148.]