

3—After my funeral charges and other expenses incurred during my sickness are paid I next desire that all debts due by me in law or equity be honestly and fairly discharged.

4—That the remainder of my property of every kind or nature whatever, real, personal or mixed whether in upper Canada, the United States of America, or any other country or place whatsoever becomes the property of my dear wife Archange Askin during her widowhood and while she lives as such for her use and at her entire disposal without her or her property being answerable in many manner for what she may have done with the same, whether employed for the purpose of relieving any of my children who may fall into distress or any other purpose she may think necessary, knowing her sentiments relative to those in distress and almost every other matter to correspond with mine.

6—and lastly: I constitute and appoint my dear wife, Archange Askin my sole executrix to put this my last will and testament in force according to the true intent and meaning thereof, judging it unnecessary to nominate or appoint any other executor, knowing I have many relatives and friends capable, willing and ready to assist her if necessary and being at the same time persuaded that none of my children nor their husbands will find fault or oppose what have willed to be done.

7—This article should have been inserted before I will the whole of my property of every kind whatever that may remain at the death of my wife to be equally divided between the whole of my children without exception and if any of them should die before my wife his or her share to be equally divided between his or her children, or if there are none to her or his husband or wife and in default of all these such share to go to my surviving children in equal proportions.

8—In order that it may not hereafter be doubted that this will contains my real intentions, and I have written it with my own hand and signed and sealed it at Strabane near Sandwich this eleventh day of Nov. 1808.