

This is the last Will and Testament of James Patton
of Bonds Merigomish, in the County of Pictou, Farmer.
1st I give devise and bequeath to my son John the Farm
on which I now reside with all the houses and buildings
thereon, also all my real and personal property of whatever
kind or nature (on consideration that my said John shall
erect a suitable Head Stone over the grave of his Mother,
and also over my grave after my death and shall pay
all funeral expenses and any other expense or debts
that may be owing at the time of my death) excepting
as hereafter devised -

2nd I give devise and ^{bequeath} to my son ~~Thomas~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{one} Cow
and the bed and bedding in his room in the house
devised to my son John.

3rd I give devise and bequeath to my sons James
and Nathaniel should they ever return to Nova Scotia
one Cow each.

4th I appoint John Copeland Farmer, and my
son Thomas sole Executors of this my last Will and
Testament hereby revoking all other wills or Codicils
I may have made and confirming firmly the
within -

In witness whereof I have hereto set my hand
and Seal this sixth day of December in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one.

Signed -

James Patton

(L.S.)

Signed by the said testator James Patton as and for his last
Will and Testament in the presence of us present at the same
time who at his request in his presence and sight and in
the presence of each other having subscribed our names
as attesting witnesses.

Signed, B. J. Kerr

" George, M. Kerr

County of Pictou N.S.

In the Court of Probate of Wills, re - re

I do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument
consisting of one page is an exact and literal
copy of the last will and testament of James Patton
late of Ponds, Merigonishe, Farmer, deceased; testate,
which has been duly filed and admitted to Probate
in accordance with the practice of the Court.

Given under my hand at Pictou,
this ~~10th~~ ^{11th} day of February A.D. 1885.

John H. Law

Registrar

To the Registrar
of Deeds - for
the County of Pictou -

Estate of
James Patton.
late of Merigomish
Tanner, deceased -
Testate.

Copy of Will, for
Registrar of Deeds.

Procurator of Merigomish

Registers of Peace Deeds 25 March 1855 - I hereby state that
within his term of office was duly registered at the office of the above
day in the Registry of Merigomish No 1 paper 2118 272 on the
certificate of John W. Lane Reg^r of Probate.

John Ferguson

Reg^r.