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and estate conveyed to them for the following purposes
2. (1) Payment of all debts & and expens of executing trust
2. (2) £50 to Annie as soon as convenient
2. (3) To Margaret Walero Steele £10
" Margt. Omand Robertson Truston £10
" Williamina Cooper Truston £10
- 203 (4) Annuity of £50 purchased for Annie or alternately a sum
of £1250 invested and the interest paid to her
Annuity of £8 to Helen Irvine Robertson or alternately
a sum of £200 invested and the interest paid to her.
Either of these methods of provision to be adopted by the trustees
having regard to the interests and wishes of the majority of
the residuary legatees.
3. (5) To Ann Truston all household furniture silver plate &c.
excepting always any articles which may be hereafter bequeathed
by separate writing and also the following articles
- 34 To Mrs J. M. W. Steele whom failing to her eldest surviving daughter
6 silver teaspoons marked R. 6 silver dessert spoons
marked J.
4. To D. D. whom failing to Marie Steele whom failing to Margt.
W. Steele Mrs Wagent's pearl gold ring
4. To Margt. W. Steele whom failing to Marie Steele large brooch
with Lock. Robertson's hair
4. To James Truston of Coubristes whom failing to his child
inheriting Coubristes, and that being void to his nearest
heir male - Old clock - revolving mahogany table - inlaid
mahogany table with folding leaf - solid mahogany table
with 2 leaves - Mrs Truston's oil portrait - globe of
world - theodolite - spear shell plate - Malta photos -
Mrs's openstand - large powder in drawing room & all plates

page 405 2. Mrs. N. Shurton whom faily to William
Shurton. Wm's prize box. silver spoon marked
W. J. - Burmah & Australian photos -

5 2. Charles S. S. Shurton whom faily to eldest
surviving son. Wm's gilt cup. embossed
oxidized silver Burmese bowl. one pair Burmese
shoes. loose photos of Malta &c

5. 2. Henry W. Shurton whom faily to Mrs. Mrs.
Stelle & family. Egypt photo album. Wm's
Clarek jig. small embossed silver Burmese box.

5. 2. Alw Shurton whom faily to Mrs. Shurton of
Coubisler Mrs Shurton Rd piano. mahogany
chest of drawers & over cupboard made by
Joshua Shurton & all letters legal documents
&c.

" 2. S. D. whom faily to Mrs Stelle album of
peoples photos. Lieut. Robertson's framed
photo - 5 Mrs Sullis silver tea spoons.

" 2. S. D. whom faily to Mrs N. Shurton
old table spoon marked "J.D."

" 2. S. D. whom faily to Charles S. S. Shurton
Wm's embossed silver jig dated 1877 -

6. Books. 2. Henry whom faily to helped to distribute
as he thinks fit among any or all existing
books bequeathed by subsequent writing.

6. Lastly. Residue - equally among Mrs Stelle - God.
L.V.D. C.S.S. W.D. J. whom faily
then children to inherit the share their parents
would have received

7. Powers of investment conferred on trustees
7. To appoint law agent & factor of the same number

I Margaret Ormond Robertson or Johnston widow
of the late James Johnston of Conriester
presently residing at Ophir House Orkney being
desirous to settle my affairs in the event of my
death Do hereby give grant assign and dispose
to and in favour of James Spence of Bow
Banker presently residing in Aberdeen, John
Gibson Cooper Writer to the Signet Edinburgh David
Halcom Johnston Surgeon in Her Majesty's Army
my fourth surviving son if and when he shall
be resident in the United Kingdom and Alfred
Wintle Johnston architect presently residing
in London my youngest son and such other
person or persons as I may hereafter appoint
or as may be assumed to act in the trust
hereby created and to the acceptors and acceptor
and survivors and survivor of the persons above
named or to be named or assumed as aforesaid
as Trustees for executing the Trust hereby
created when all failing then to the nearest
heir male of the last accepting and surviving
Trustee who shall be major at the time (the
said trustees named or to be named and assumed
and their foresaids being throughout these presents
denominated "my trustees") and to the assignees
of my trustees heritably and irredeemably All
and sundry my whole means and estates
heritable and moveable real and personal of
what kind and denomination soever and
wherever situated at present belonging or
which may belong or be addibted to me
at the time of my death with the whole
writs titles vouchers and instructions of
and concerning my said means and
estate and all that has followed or may
be competent to follow thereon and I appoint
my trustees my sole Executors a majority in
Scotland and in the time being always a quorum

Debts.

£50 to Annie

Legacies to name
daughters &

Debts declared always and shall be paid
 are granted in trust only and for the
 purposes after written (First) for payment of
 all my just and lawful debts deathbed and
 funeral expenses and the expense of executing
 this trust (Second) for payment as soon as
 convenient after my death of the sum of Fifty
 pounds sterling free of legacy duty to Ann
 Inneson my eldest daughter (Third) for
 payment at the first term of Whitsunday &
 Martinmas after my death or as soon thereafter
 as there shall be funds available to the persons
 after named of the following legacies all free of
 legacy duty viz to my granddaughter and names daughter
 Margaret Walter Steele eldest daughter of Mrs Jane
 Maria Nugent Inneson or Steele my second daughter
 the sum of Ten pounds sterling & my son
 daughter and names daughter Margaret & name
 Robertson Inneson daughter of James Inneson
 of Conrieter my eldest son the sum of Ten
 pounds sterling & my granddaughter
 Wilhamina Conner Inneson named after the
 deceased William Petrie Conner Inneson
 my fourth son daughter of Mrs Nugent Inneson
 my second son the sum of Ten pounds sterling
 (Fourth) To the said Ann Inneson and to
 Helen Irvine Robertson my sister if they
 shall survive me the aftermentioned annuities
 free of legacy duty to be provided in one
 or in both cases in one or other of the following
 methods as shall be decided by my trustees
 having regard to the interests and wishes of the
 majority of my residuary legatees viz to the
 said Ann Inneson either an annuity of Fifty
 pounds sterling during her life to be purchased
 six months after my death from a well
 established Insurance Company or from
 Government or alternately my trustees shall invest
 the sum of One thousand the hundred and fifty

Annuities

pounds sterling in the manner after mentioned
the interest thereof to be paid half yearly by
equal portions at the terms of Whitsunday and
martinmas to the said Mrs. Munton during
her life. 2th the said Helen Irvine Robertson
in like manner either an annuity of eight pounds
sterling during her life to be purchased six
months after my death from a well established
Insurance company or from government or
alternately my trustees shall invest the
sum of two hundred pounds sterling
in the manner after mentioned the interest
thereof to be paid to the said Helen Irvine
Robertson during her life half yearly by
equal portions at the terms of Whitsunday and
martinmas Declaring that the said respective
annuities or money invested in here thereof
are granted to the said Mrs. Munton and
Helen Irvine Robertson in name of alimants
and for their own personal support and
subsistence only and it shall not be in
the power of the said Mrs. Munton and Helen
Irvine Robertson to anticipate or assign the
said alimentary provisions nor shall the
same be arretable or affectable for their
debts or debts of any description whatsoever
(Fifth) To the said Mrs. Munton all and sundry
my household furniture bed and table linen
silver plate and plated articles tables and
ornamental china wares and generally all kinds
of household furniture and plenishing whether
useful or ornamental that may be in my
dwelling house at the time of my death
excepting always any articles which I may
hereafter bequeath by separate writing or
inventory and the particular articles after

Furniture &
kitchen
Annies

her elder surviving daughter six silver teaspoons
marked R which formerly belonged to my mother
and six silver dessert spoons marked D. To the
said Mrs Jane Maria Knight Shuster or Stule
whom failing to Marie Stule her second daughter
whom failing to the said Margaret Helen Stule
my gold ring set with pearls which formerly
belonged to the late Mrs John Maria Shuster
or Knight sister of my late husband. To the said
Margaret Helen Stule whom failing to the said
Marie Stule my large brooch containing the hair of
the late Lieutenant James Robertson R.N.
my father. To the said James Shuster of
Conbister whom failing to whichever one of his
children shall inherit the estate of Conbister
and in the event of that estate being all
sold then to his nearest heir male the old
onapogony eight day clock which came from
the old house of Conbister the revolving table
made by the late Isahua Shuster N.D.
and solicitor Stromness grand father of my
late husband, the inlaid onapogony table
with folding leaf the solid onapogony
table with two leaves made by the said late
Isahua Shuster the oil painting of the late
Mrs Jane Harris Taylor or Shuster mother
of my late husband the globe of the world the
theodolite made by my late husband the
spear club and shell brought to Orkney by the
"Discovery Vessels" the album of photographic
views in Malta the prize four egg stand
won by the said William Peter Cooper
Shuster the large fender presently in my
drawing room and all grates windows
flints and other fixtures which shall be
in Orkney House at the time of my death.

James

Charles

Henry

Alfred

the one silver spoon marked "H." which formerly
belonged to William Irvine first husband of
my late aunt Mrs Helen Spence or Irvine or
Smellie and the album of photographic views
in Barmah and Australia to Charles Stewart
Still Ingham my third son whom failing
to his eldest surviving son the prize gilt
cup won by the said William Petrie Cooper Ingham
the embossed oxidised silver Burmese bowl
and one pair Burmese shoes and the loose
photographic views in Malta etc. To my son
Henry Walter Ingham whom failing to the
said Mrs Jane Maria Nepean Ingham or Dale
and family the album of photographic views
in Egypt, the prize claret jug won by the said
William Petrie Cooper Ingham, the small
embossed oxidised silver Burmese bowl. To
the said Alfred Winkler Ingham whom failing
to the said James Ingham of Conister the old
piano which formerly belonged to the said Mrs
Jane Harris Taylor or Ingham the old mahogany
chest of drawers with over cabinet or bookcase
belonging thereto made by the said Joshua Ingham
all old and new letters papers and manuscripts
of all kinds legal and other, also to the said
Alfred Winkler Ingham whom failing to the
said Mrs Jane Maria Nepean Ingham
or Dale my albums with the photographs of people
the framed photograph of the said late Lieutenant
James Robertson, five old small silver teaspoons
formerly belonging to the said late Mrs Helen
Spence or Irvine or Smellie, also to the said
Alfred Winkler Ingham whom failing to the
said Mrs Nepean Ingham the old silver
table spoon marked "J.D." also to the said
Alfred Winkler Ingham whom failing to the said
Charles Stewart Still Ingham the prize embossed
oxidised silver jug dated eighteen hundred and twenty seven

6.

Books

Residual

won by the said William Petrus Cooper
 Thurston. To the said Henry Valero Thurston
 whom I hereby give to the said Alfred Wille Thurston
 all my printed books and engravings prints
 etc. and I hereby desire him to distribute
 them in any manner he may think fit among
 any or all of my said sons and daughters
 excepting always such books as I may
 hereafter bequeath by separate writing codicil
 or inventory and (lastly) my trustees
 shall as soon as convenient after my
 death realize the whole of my means
 and estate heritable and moveable and
 shall pay and make over the residue thereof
 after payment of the foresaid debts and legacies
 (including the principal sum or sums which
 may be set apart to such the annuities before
 provided when the same shall be available
 by the death of the said Ann Thurston and
 Helen Irvine Robertson) to and for behoof of
 my children the said Mrs Jane Maria Knight
 Thurston a Steele James Thurston of Bonbrater
 John Angus Thurston Charles Stewart Hill
 Thurston, Henry Valero Thurston and Alfred
 Wille Thurston whom I hereby appoint to be
 my residuary legatees equally among
 them share and share alike. Declaring that
 in case any one or more of my said children
 shall predecease me or die without having
 received payment of his or her share or
 several shares of the foresaid residual then
 such share or shares of the child or children
 so dying shall accrue to the survivors or
 survivors equally among them share and share
 alike. Providing nevertheless that if such child

Investments

which their deceased parents or parents would have received or been entitled to if living. And in the event of its being decided as before mentioned to invest the said sum of one thousand two hundred and fifty pounds and two hundred pounds instead of purchasing annuities I hereby expressly authorize my trustees to continue the investments in which my means may be placed at the time of my death to the extent of the sum of fourteen hundred and fifty pounds or to realize and invest the same or any part thereof And in addition to the powers of investment conferred on gratuitous trustees by law my trustees shall have power to invest the trust funds under their charge in heritable property in Great Britain the stock of the Bank of Scotland the Royal Bank of Scotland the British Linen Company or in the stock of the Government of any British Colony or in the Debenture Preference guaranteed Bank Charge or Lin Stocks of any Railway Company in Great Britain or in Debentures Debenture Stock Mortgages Deposits Receipts or other securities of any Railway Banking Investment or other Public Company incorporated by Royal Charter or under statute whether of Great Britain or any of the Colonies of Great Britain in which at the time of the investment being made has paid a Dividend or its ordinary stock or shares With special power to my trustees in addition to all powers legally belonging to their Office to appoint any of their own number factor or law agent under them and to pay to him or them a suitable fee or allowance or ordinary professional charges for his trouble Declaring that my trustees named or to be named and assumed shall not be liable for omissions error or neglect of management

Factor and
law agent

such factor or agent, was habit and repute
responsible at the time of appointment And
I hereby reserve my own life interest of the estate
above conveyed with power at any time of
my life and even on deathbed to alter
imovate or revoke these presents in
whole or in part Dispensing with the
delivery hereof and declaring that the
same in so far as not altered or revoked
shall be valid and effectual though found
in my repositories or in the custody of any
person to whom I may intrust the same And I
consent to the Registration hereof and of all writs
hereto or relative deeds or writings affecting
the same for preservation & Witness whereof

(Sgd) George Fisher witness Margaret Omand Shuster
William Way witness

I M. O. R. or I widow of the late J. J. of
Conbrats in accordance with the provision in my last
will and Testament dated 30 Nov.
1891 have hereby bequeathed by following articles
to the persons aforementioned viz. James Shuster
of Conbrats of Eldred on all books relating to
Agriculture Peterkin's Rentals and Notes of
Oakeny and Mackenzie's Newances & Charles
D. I. on two volumes of the Wars
of the French Revolution by son of the
pictures called the Grand Canal of Venice
the small book of Oakeny and Shuster photographs

Sh of Seth Abdu the brass tea urn which belonged to my
and his Aunt Helen Spence or Brown a Smellie
to the said J. D. the fold mounted seal which
formerly belonged to Isahud Skuaton of Abroma
bearing the Estimation such with authentic
J^r manuscript was by apert wills of Skuaton
now subscribed by me the said J. D. on the 10th of
at N^o 53 Frederick Street Edinburgh the fiftenth
day of September 1892 years before the witnesses
Francis Hollis bookbinder house keeper and George
Fletcher nurse both residing at 15th Street
Frederick Street Edin (signed) J. D.
F. Hollis witness M. Fletcher witness

I Margaret Maund B. or I widow of the late
James J. C. presently residing at 15th Street
House of my consideration that I have advanced
to my daughter Mrs James Maria J. D. or Mrs
and to my sons J. W. J. and J. D. certain sums of
money and for which advances they have given
me receipts I being understood that no
int. is to be charged on such advances I
hereby declare that in whatever advances are
repaid to me before my death the amounts
thereof shall be deducted from the shares
falling to the said Mrs J. W. J. or
J. D. J. D. and J. D. under my Trust Deed & will
I also declare that no interest shall be charged
by my trustees on any future advances I may
make to any of the members of my family & that
revoke & amend the provisions made for my sisters J. D.
& under the fourth purpose of my Trust Deed & will
with these additions and alterations I hereby confirm
my Trust Deed and will as amended dated 30th Nov
1881 and amended dated 15th Feb 1892 & I

Finish Alfred to divide as he thinks best the
 following articles 3 Burmese boxes 2 Burmese
 bowls 1 pair shoes (Burmese) (Charles has one pair
 made in mill) 2 Burmese umbrellas Ivory pen
 stand Ivory paper cutter White Burmese pocket
 Karen girls dress Karen girls over dress jacket
 Ivory bone fan Shell snuff box six chairs
 repairs Little basket tray for toilet (think they were
 got from John Stock) above written and signed
 by myself at Cepkin House the fifteenth day
 April Eighteen hundred and ninety ten years
 (Edw) Maynard & Sonnetts.

Vidimus Petate
 cash in France and
 Furniture
 Comm. Bk Ansh. Stock £304
 £200 Westland by 80
 Perh American Bond Co. 430
 £200 Perh Pennsylvania Co. 217
 £270 Edw Stock Bank 298
 advances to family 310

No
 Mrs. Disposition of the same
 Mrs. M. O. Duntors
 30 No. 191

Aln. J. Cooper W.
 copied by Alfred & Sonnetts
 38 Beaumont Street
 London W.
 Dec. 1891