

Borthwick Institute, York – Will - Isabella Tennant, 1716

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4 Single-sided folios

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{Folio 1 – Attachment} ¹

¹ Craven.

² Tes^t Isabella Tenant

³ Unperde Kilnsey p^oia de Burnsall Ebor-

⁴ [?–]lac.² dêfca < [?–]³ > Excō Concêss: d[?–]⁴wa Broadbelt de Eadūn spī:

⁵ [?–]⁵lêpti deā dêfta soliqs Extrīci in Eod: Testê noiat.

⁶ Cert^o:y Quittinio: Feb: 1716

⁷ [?–]⁶

⁸ R.

{Folio 2 – printed proforma with handwritten inserted entries; printed text indicated by Times Roman font}

{stamped in left margin} Eight Pence Quire

¹ Noveriat Universi [?–]⁷ presents No[?–]⁸ Anna Broadbelt de Kilnsay in

² Parochial de Burnsall com El [?diac] Ebor, Spinster El Johannes

³ [Th]istlewhait de Kilnsay, < [?pre] > dict: yeoman.

⁴ teneri & firmiter Obigari Venerabili Viro < [?–] > \ Guilelmo Ward L:L: Doctori /

⁵ <[?–] > Scaccarii [blank spaces] Reverendissim

⁶ in Christo Pratis & Domini Domini Guilelmi Providentia Divin

⁷ Ebor' Archiepiscopi, Anglicae Primatis & Metropiltani Commissario

⁸ [blank spaces] legitime Constituto in \ Centū[?–]ei /

⁹ [?Lex]aginta [blank spaces] libris bonae & legalis Mon etae Magnae Bri

¹⁰ tanniae solvend' endem Commissario aut suo certo Attornat' Executor-

¹¹ Administrator' sive Assignatis suis. Ad quem quidem solutionem bene

¹² & fideliter faciend' Obligamus Nos & quelilet

¹³ Nostrum per se pro toto & in solide Hoerdes Executor' & Administra-

¹⁴ tores nostres firmiter per praesentes. Sigillis nostris sigallat' Dat'

¹⁵ [?–]esimo octor die mensis January.

¹⁶ Anno Dom. Millesimo Septingentesimo Decimo Quinto.

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4 Hole in document

5 Torn edge

6 illegible

7 Too faint to be legible

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17 **The Condition** of this Obligation is such, That if the above
18 bounden Anne Broadbent Executrix of th^e last will & testam^t
19 of Isabell Tennant late of kilnsey afores^d dced^d do well
20 & truly execute & p^rform the s^d Will
21 And do pay her Debts and Legacies so far as her Goods will
22 Extend and Law shall bind her. If also she do Exhibit into
23 the Exchequer Court at York a true and perfect Inventory
24 of all and Singular the Goods, Rights, Credits, Cattels
25 and Chattels of the said Deceased, and do make a true and just
26 Account of the same when she shall be thereunto lawfully
27 called. And moreover, if need require, enter into further Bond
28 with more sufficient Sureties for Performance of the Premisses,
29 the said Judge of the said Court for the time being, shall think re-
30 quisite and needful. And Lastly, do save, defend, and harmless
31 keep the above-named JUDGE, and all his Officers and Mi-
32 nisters, against all Persons by reason of the Premisses. Then
33 this present Obligation to be Void, and of none Effect, or else
34 remain in full Force and Virtue.

35 Sigillat & Deliberae {signature} Anne Broadbent

36 in Prasentia

37 Roger Mitton

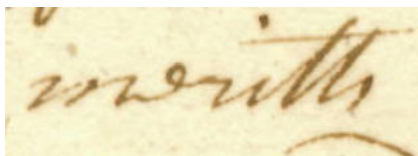
38 John Thistelwhit

39 Ent. 10[^{ino}] Feb: 1715

{folio 3}

1 **In The Name of God amen.** I Isable Tennant of
2 Kilnsay being sick & infirm of Body but Sound & perfect
3 memory (praise be given to God for th^e same & knowing th^e uncert
4 -ainty of this Life on Earth & being desirous to Settle things in order
5 do make this my Last will & Testament in manner & form
6 following that is to say first & principlly I commend my Soul to Al-
7 mighty God my Creatour assuredly beleiving th^t I shall receive full
8 pardon & free remission of all my sins & be saved by th^r precious

9 death & [?inêritts]⁹ of my blessed Saviour & redeemer Jesus Christ -
10 first I commend my body to th^e Earth from whence it was taken
11 to be buried in Such decent & Christian manner as to my Exec^{tr}
12 hereafter named Shall think meet & Convenient **And As**
13 touching such wordly Estate as th^e Lord in mercy hath Sent me
14 my Will & meaning is th^e Same Shall be imployed and bestowed
15 as hereafter by this my will is Expressed Imp^r: I give to my
16 brother Christopher Tennant th^e Sume of Eighteen pence
17 Itrñ I give to my Brother in Law John Thistlewhite and
18 Elizabeth his wife th^e Sūme of five Shillings Itrñ I give
19 to my Cozen George Atkinson th^e Sonne of Roger Atkinson
20 y^e Sume of twenty pounds paying yearly to his Unkle James
21 Tunstall th^e Sūme of five Shillings Itrñ I give to my nephews
22 Francis & Thomas Tunstall Each of them Ten pound a peice
23 As soon as they shall again th^e respective age of twentyone < [?—]>
24 Itrñ I give to my sister Alice Clark ten shillings p̄ annūm
25 to be paid her quarterly by my Exec^{rs} herafter named to witt
26 two Shillings and Six pence at a time; Alw^{ch} severall Legacys I will
27 shall be paide as soon as the Sūme Shall become due after my death
28 Lastly I do appoint Anne Broadbelt my Neice to be my Sole
29 Exec^re of this my Last will & Testament revoking all other
30 deeds or will by me formerly made So th^t I do declare & appoint
31 this my Last will & Testament As wittness my hand & Seal
32 this thirteenth day of Aprill in th^e year of our Lord God one
33 thousand seven hundred & fifteen
34 Isable \ her mark / [Seal] Tennant
35 Sealed & signed th^e
36 presence of us
37 {signatures} Lawrence Holliday
38 W^m Widdowes [?—cāl: corã me]¹⁰ Roger Mitton



{folio 4 – written in a different hand from previous folios}
{stamped in left margin} Eight Pence Quire

1 January the^e. 21:1715
 2 Wee whose names are here
 3 under < writte-> subscribed have
 4 Aprised the goods & chattells of < [?Ex—] > \ Isabel / Tennant
 5 of Litton Spinster late deceased within the
 6 parish of Arncliffe & County of York

| | £ | s | d |
|--|-----------|-----------|----------|
| 7 The Purse and Apparell ----- | 80 | 0 | 0 |
| 8 Three Coverletts | 0 | 12 | 0 |
| 9 Two bolsters & one blankett | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| 10 One brass pott | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| 11 Ten sheets | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| 12 Pewter | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| 13 Two boxes | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 14 One chest and one trunke | <u>0</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>0</u> |
| 15 Total ffourscore and one pound, fourteen } 16 Shillings and sixpence } | <u>81</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>6</u> |

17 Aprised byus
 18 Thomas Tennant
 19 Thomas Hall
 20 John Thistlewhite
 21 Chris: Hall

