

PUBLIC
RECORD
OFFICE

The National Archives



(c) crown copyright

219 X

god the father the death and passion of god the sonne and the blessing of the holie ghoste to be made an Inhe-
 ritor and partaker in the Kingdome of Heaven of the life everlastinge promised by god unto his elect c-
 hildren. children my body I will to be buried in the chancell of that parische church in which parische yt
 shall please god to call me out of this transitory life my funeralle to be performed in such sorte and manner
 as shall seeme best unto my Executors for my estate according unto the lawes of the holie church of
 England nowe established and used for the buriall of the deade dyinge in the faith of our Lord Jesus
 christe. And as touching the order devise and disposicion of my landes tenementes and hereditamentes
 wherof I am nowe or at the tyme of my decease shall be sole seized in fee simple to my owne use I make
 and declare the same in forme followinge. First where I have lateche demy sed and leased by indenture
 unto my welbeloued sonne and here apparant Thomas Corbett all that my manor and Lordshippe of Star-
 wadeyne aforesaid with thappurtenances and all those my tithes of Corne and haye in the parishes of St. Andrew
 kinwike kinwike wood Storkett and the See in the sayed Countie of Salop for the terme of seven yeres
 from the feast of the purification of our Ladye the virgin Mary next ensowinge the date hereof for and
 under the yerlic rentes of seven shillings and twelue poyndes payable at twoo feastes in the yere as by y
 sayed indenture of lease bearing date the four and twentieth daye of November last mozt at large
 appeareth. Nowe my will and mynde ys and I hereby do devise and bequeathe unto my Executors
 theise presents especially named all that the sayed rentes of seven shillings and twelue poyndes or so muche
 thereof as shall remaine unpaid after the tyme of my decease for and in parte of the performancie and
 accomplisment of this my last will and testament and payment of the searayes heren conteyned
 savinge allwayes the thrid parte of the rente reserved out of the sayed tithes to be payed unto her Ma^{ty}
 use for the divery and primer seizin of the said tithes the same beinge holden of her highnes in
 Capite ys any further somme shall be founde due and payable unto her Ma^{ty}. And I further will and
 devise unto my sayed Executors and the Survivour of them for the further performancie of this my
 will all my rentes issues profits and Commodities of all those messuages landes tenementes and
 hereditamentes with thappurtenances in Snydon Redington Redenhurste Wyton Subter Hamond and
 Newton beinge of the cleere yerlic value of twentie markes by yere for and duringe the terme and space
 of eleven yeres for and towards the like performancie of this my last will devise and testament
 according to the intent purporte and true meaninge of a dede of feoffment Indented heretofore had and
 made betwene me the sayed Robert Corbett and Jane my late wife of the one partie and S^r Andrew
 Corbett knight deceased and others of the other partie bearinge date the tenth daye of September in
 the wynth yere of the Quene's Ma^{ty}es raigne that nowe ys more at large appeareth. Also I will
 and devise unto my sayed Executors and the Survivour or Survivours of them all the yerlic rent
 issues profits and Commodities of all other my landes tenementes and hereditamentes wherof
 I am or shall be sole seized in fee simple at the tyme of my decease. To have perceyve and take unto my
 sayed Executors and the Survivour of them for and duringe the terme of fyve yeres next after my decease
 the same also by them to be bestowed and employed in parte of performancie of this my last will and
 Testament in such sorte manner and degree as hereafter in my will is declared. Yet notwithstandinge ys
 Thomas Corbett my sonne and nowe here apparant or such other my sonne as shall fortune to be my
 here after my decease do and will enter into sufficient band obligatory unto my Executors and such of
 them which shall condiscend and take upon them to prove this my last will and testament in such some
 and summe as to my sayed Executors shall be thoughte meete and convenient for the true payment and
 discharge of such annuities bequestes legacies and portions wherof I shall hereby limitt bequeathe
 and devise that my said sonne and here so entynge into band for true payment and satisfaction of the
 said Legacies annuities and bequestes as aforesaid shall forthwith have and receyve to his owne
 use the rentes issues and profits of all my sayed landes tenementes tythes rentes and heredita-
 mentes before mentioned to be devised unto my sayed Executors to his owne proper use and bequest
 (the former devised and bequeathed notwithstandinge) And as touching my goodes plate Jewells
 Debtes and Chattells of what nature kind degree or qualite they be I make and ordeyne my last
 will and testament in forme followinge. First I will that all my apparant knowne debtes due
 and payable by the lawes of this Realme be first satisfied and payed after my funeralle expens
 cleared and discharged. And for the better releife and fynding of my younger children so farre forth
 as my sayed goodes and Chattells will extend with the profits of my landes before mentioned I

to be paid out of my said landes
 and hereditamentes before mentioned
 or any of them for the full payment
 of the same and I do
 hereby will and devise

2

X

Will and bequeathe unto Thomas Corbett my eldest sonne and here appoynted five draughte oxen with one of
my best waynes and one Trumbrell with chaynes and yokes to the same appoyntinge and eighte miltre fyne
Asses I give and bequeathe unto the said Thomas my sonne two of my best bearing Mares and twoe tree yere
ould Colles such as the said Thomas shall chuse after my godes or lawfullie prayes and valued by indifferent
person by thappoyntment of my exentors. And also I give and bequeathe unto the said Thomas my sonne
and here cutting into the bande aforesaid all my bricke freestone tymbre boudes Hoystes Rayles and waynes
skett ready made fallen sawed hewed or squared only for the buylding up and fynyshinge of my house of
Stamwardyne the which I will and charge hym to see fynyshed so soon and as farre forth as his abilitie
will permitt accordyng to the forme and plott thercof alreadye layed begyne and intended: For the better
performamnt wherof I also give and bequeathe unto my sayed sonne Thomas all such tymbre and
Tymbre trees which nowe remaine and be fallen or standyng in Kenwicks parke which I boughte of the
Right honorable my good Lord the late Earle of Darby: So that the same trees and tymbre be onlye
employed aboute the fynyshinge of my sayed house otherwise the same to be cutte with the said bricke &
stone tymbre boudes and Rayles before mencioned and the value thereof to be at the Disposicion of my
Exentors and the Survivor of them towardes the further performamnt of this my last will and
Testament Item I give and bequeathe unto Reynold Corbett my second sonne whome to my greates
regard I broughte up by the space of ten yeres in the Universite of Oxford one yerlie Annuite or
Somme of money of ffower markes for the terme of twentie yeres next after my decease to be payed
unto hym at the ffesteb of Sancti Michael the Archangell and the Annivarsion of our Lady
by even portions by my Exentors and the Survivor of them out of my landes and tenementes in
Newton parrell of my late wyves landes limited to the performamnt of this my will and testamnt
And also I will and bequeathe unto Richard Corbett my third sonne nowe living one other Annuite
or yerlie Somme of money of ffive poundes for the like terme of twentie yeres to be yearly payed
unto hym by my Exentors or the Survivor of them out of my landes and tenementes in Rodington
and Rodenst likewise limited towardes the performamnt of this my last will to be payed unto hym
yerlie at the ffesteb of the Annivarsion of our Lady and Sancti Michael the Archangell or at
the first ffeste of them which shall next happen after my decease. And in defaulte of payment
thercof or any parte thercof to distrayne in my sayed landes in Rodington and Rodenst wch I trust my
sonne Thomas will quietly permitt and suffer for the benefitt of his younger brotters and in performamnt
of the condicions hereafter expressed And yf it fortune any of my sayed sonnes to dye wthin the sayed
terme of twentie yeres: Then I will that his Annuite or yerlie Somme so Dynge shall be equalle dmyny
the remanent of the sayed terme remaine and be to the other brotters then livinge. And to Arthure
my youngest sonne by equall portions. And yf twoe of them dye then my will ys that his parte last
Dynge shall remaine to Thomas my sayed sonne and here appoynted. And my will and meaning
ys that neither of my sayed sonnes Reynold Richard or Arthure shall not aliene give or sell their
sayed Annuite or portion to any person or persons whatsoever But shall permitt the same to remaine
from one brother to another accordyng to my former bequeste upon condition of the loss and forfeiture
of his and there parte and partes so aliened and sold. And I will give and bequeathe unto Arthure
Corbett my youngest sonne all that my house and ffarme of Southbarge with thappoyntmentes and all my
Estate title and interest therein and the stocke of five miltre fyne and thre score weathers one Mare
with all my swayne and pultrye there beynge with all ymplementes of his handwre and house hold
here allso beynge. And I also will and bequeathe unto the said Arthure one hundred poundes of fyne
money as shall be recovered of the thousand poundes which Owen oweth unto me or of so muche as
against hym by lawe or composition shall be recovered. And yf the said Arthure dye dmynyng the Lease and
terme of Southbarge yet to come: Then I will the residue of the same terme to be and remaine to my
other sonne Richard. And I further will and bequeathe unto the sayed Richard my third sonne all
that my ffarme and tynge of Calveley also Calveley and all my estate interest and title therein
which I had of the graunte and Demyse of the Right honorable my good Lord the Earle of Derby
late Deceased: humblye desyringe my Lord that nowe ys to be good unto my sayed sonne and to
accept hym as his Heir Tenant therein. And as touchyng the preferment of my three draughte
nowe livinge: ffirst I will give and bequeathe unto Gertrude Corbett my second daughter
three hundred poundes of current englyshe money one Supper with a Couer of silver and gilt

which my brother Walter Corbett bestowed upon me by his last will and testament and one of my best featherbedde
thoroughlie furnished with a bedsted bolster pillowe one payer of selecte blanketts and a coverlet nowe used and
occupyed to the same. To be paid and deliuered unto her within twedyce next after my decease. It being then
thirtie sixe yeres of age or at the daye of her marriage. It beinge with the xriiijth consent and good will
of my Executors or the more parte of them takinge upon them the administration and probat of this my last
will and testament. Also I give and bequeathe unto Jane Corbett my first daughter two hundred poundes
of lawfull englishe money to be paid in manner and forme as before is limited for her sister Gertrude
ouer and besides one hundred pounde more which was bequeathed unto her by my brother Walter Corbett deceas
whiche I am likewise answerable for and therefore will my said Executors to see the same hundred poundes
payed in such sort tyme and conveniently the same may be leved off my debtes and realie profittes of my
decease. And I further give to the sayed Jane one silver bowl or goblett beinge parcell gilt, one other of silver
bed fullie furnished as before is declared the same to be likewise paid and deliuered in manner and under
such conditions as are appoynted to and for her sister Gertrude legaree. Also I will and deuise unto
Margaret my youngest daughter other three hundred poundes of lawfull englishe money and one dozen of
silver spoone and one other featherbed likewise furnished in preferment of her marriage the same to be payed
and deliuered unto her within twedyce after my decease or at the daye and tyme of her marriage. It beinge
marriage with the good will and consent of the Executors of this my last will or the more parte of them in forme
aforesayed. And if it happen any of my said three Daughters viz: Gertrude Jane and Margaret to
decease (which god forbid) before these legarees by me to them devised be to them payed and deliuered or due
to be paid in forme aforesayed. Then my will intent and meaninge is that the legaree and portion of her
so dyinge shall remaine and be equallye devidid amongst the other two sisters then livinge. And if two
of them fortune to dye before their legarees payed or due to be payed as aforesayed. Then I will that
one hundred poundes of her portion so last dyinge to be devidid and given to my three sonnes Reynold
Richard and Arthur by the appoyntment Discretour and Delivery of my Executors Administrators
and the Survivour or Survivours of them. The other two hundred poundes of her so last dyinge to
remaine to my Executors for the further performanc of this my last will. Further I will and my
intent and meaninge is that if my sayed Daughters or any of them do marry or contract them selves
in marriage before they or she so marryng or contractinge in marriage come to the full age of thirtie
sixe yeres without the assent consent or good likinge of my Executors or the more parte of them, whiche
shall take of them the probat and Administration of this my will. That then they or they so marryng or
contractinge her or them selfe in marriage without the assent of my sayed Executors or the more pt
of them shall forgoe and lose the benefitt of this my last will and testament (except only the somme of
tenne poundes in money which I leave unto her only for her expenses parte and not otherwise. And the
other legarees and bequestes to her or them hereby given or bequeathed to remaine and be to the rest
of my daughters, which shall be ordered in their marriages by aduice assent and good likinge of my
Executors of this my last will and testament or the more parte of them. And I will and bequeathe that if the somme
of one thousand poundes or any parte thereof be recovered against Michaell Owen Robert Bayte and Thomas
Broughley or against any of them beinge unto me a most iuste and lawfull debte for not discharginge me of surge
part of her Maesties Subsidie wherewith I was charged as collector and they bounde to save me same
les harme received of me the full somme due for the same. And situate I was forced by their Defaulte
to paye the same agayne to my greate losse charge and hindrance. And also if any further recovery
be had against the heires or Executors of Thomas Adams late of London in the sayed Countie gent
deceasid who undertooke and gave his word and promise to discharge and save me same les harme
the non payment of the said subsidie money as is dulye proved by verdict and Judgment given against
the sayed Adams in his life tyme, then my three younger daughters portions and bequestes to be aug
mented ffortie poundes a pece out of the same to be recovered. For seeinge that one hundred pounde
before bequeathed hereto to my sonne Arthur be first satisfied payed and employed to the behalf
of he be then livinge or not to be bestowed by the discretion of my Executors amongst my other young
sonnes then livinge. The residue of the sayed sommes so to be recovered either against Owen and
his Obligours or against the sayed Adams Executors or Executors to be employed and bestowed
amongst the other of my sayed younger sonnes and my daughters then unmarried in such sort
and by such severall sommes and portions as to my Executors shall seeme good and especiallie to consid

X

X

of hym and them of my sayed sonnes whos shalbe most diligent and paynefull in ioyninge wityth my Excutors
 according to there Directions to attende prosecute and followe the sayed statutes wchey shalbe
 requyred therto by my sayed Excutors or the Survynor of thym. And they havinge allowed to hym or
 thym thier reasonable requestes and tosted to be satisfied in that behalf: otherwise the other occupiers
 of thone and parte so to be recovered to rest and remaine at the disposicion of my sayed Excutors or the
 Survynor thim to the use and use of surge and so many of my sonnes and daughters as my sayed Excutors
 or the Survynor of thym shall thinke best to Demeritt the same. The former and last devise herof not
 withstandinge. And if further will and bequeathe unto William Younge Esquire my sonne by lawe
 and to Susan his wife my eldest daughter my best silver Cuppe wityth a Cover beynge gawed and
 twenty poundes in money to be payed unto thym within one yere after my decease. If my goodes vpon the
 Distharge of my former legatys will extend unto the same. And the Cuppe to be Delivered forth
 wityth after my decease and Inventory taken of my goodes according to the Article lastirall lawe in
 that last used. The residue of my plate I give and bequeathe vnder the condition and intente hercast
 expressed unto Thomas Corbett my sonne and my Excutors appoynted. And for the better maintennce
 and preferment of my sonne Richard Corbett I will and devise unto hym and his assignes all my
 Estate lease and Interest which I have in and to the tithes and tenth parte of some and gaye
 in the Towneshipps of Lynton and Alderton in the parische of greute West for and duringe surge
 Tearme and number of yeres as I nowe have in and to the same. Also I give and bequeathe
 to every of my servantes as well man servantes as mayde servantes which shalbe wityth me at
 the tyme of my decease to knygge yerliche wages and havinge no other speciall legatye or preferment
 to hym or hir hereby given one whole yere wages over and above surhe wages which shalbe due
 unto hym at the next quarter after my decease according to the Covynant of hire hire. The
 other of my servantes not takinge wages I desire my Excutors to consider of thym according
 to thier becomynge and thier service to me heretofore done and at my goodes debtes and charges
 will extend forseeing the distharge of my former legatys. And my further meaninge will and
 requeste is that Thomas Corbett my sonne and nowe my Excutors appoynted shall within one moneth
 next after my decease graunte unto my Excutors herein named by thier speciall names and
 to the Survynor of thym one yerliche annuetye or Rent of five poundes ten shillings
 for the tearme of seven yeres wityth Elanck of Distresse in the Denicashed of the sayed
 manor of Stanwardyne in the ward for and forward the synding and maintennce of my
 Younge sonne and daughters untill they shalbe contented and satisfied wityth the legatys to
 thym given by thir my last will and testament as allso for the regardes of the same in lawe to be
 attempted and followed for the recovery of surge debtes as ar owing unto me. In consideration of
 which rent and annuetye I leave and bequeathe unto my sayed sonne Thomas the use and occupier
 of my best Mayne of gonld of the value of forty poundes or thereabontes and my Signet or Sealing
 Ring of gonld engraven wityth a Raven of the value of fiftie shillings duringe his life. And after
 his decease then both to remaine and be to his here male inheritable to my house and manor of
 Stanwarden afore sayed. Also I further give and bequeathe unto the sayed Thomas my sonne for the
 sayed annuetye or Rent three of my best Armore wityth the furnitures wchey I have in my house of
 Stanwardyne and allso my Damaske gorwe and my best cloake Dublett and Gost wchey I have at
 the tyme of my decease and all my complements of husbandrye as waynes plowhes yokes rages
 and surhe like which only remaine and ar possed aboute my house of Stanwardyne. The same to
 hym to be Delivered by my Excutors wityth in one moneth after the perfect grauntinge of the sayed
 Rent of five poundes ten shillings for ever yere which if my sonne Thomas refuse to
 graunte or shall any wayes hynde intercept or goe aboute to ympeare my Excutors in and aboute
 the due Excuton of thir my last will and testament or the livinge or payment of any sommes of money
 annuetyes legatys or bequeathed thym mentyoned contrary to the purporte tenor and true mean-
 yng of thir my will: Then I will and devise the same Mayne Ringe Armore apparell and
 complements of gonld last before lymted and bequeathed to the sayed Thomas as allso all of
 my debtes plate goodes and chattels of what kynde degree and qualitey shen they be and in what
 place or tynne wityth in the Realme of England they may for tyme to be at the tyme of my decease
 and hereby not especially willed or bequeathed shall absolutely remaine and be by thir my will

X

X

and bequested unto my Executors and the Survivor of them only for and towards the due performance and accomplishment and satisfaction of this my only last will and testament without any manner of challenge or claim title or demand thereunto or to any part thereof to be had or made by the said Thomas by virtue of any former legacy or bequest therein had made or declared to the contrary. And my will and further meaning is that if the issues rentes and profits charged for the performance of the legacies and summeails in this my last will together with the value of my debts goods and chattels do amounte to a greater value then my devised legacies and bequestes arise unto. Then the overplus thereof after my legacies payed to be given and distributed by the Discretion of my Executors or the more parte of them to some of my younger sonnes and daughters or best Demeritt the same and to be delivered within one halfe yere after my former legacies and bequestes payed satisfied and performed according to the intent and true meaning of this my last will and testament. Item I give and bequeathe unto my sister in lawe my sayed brother Hierom Esqrs wife Dorothy Corbett one Ringe of gold with my name upon it of the value of tenne Shillinges. And I likewise give unto Roger Corbett my brother Hierom Somers tenne poundes. And to Robert Corbett my sayed brothers sonne one little blacke nagge. Also I give and bequeathe to my goddaughter Anne Corbett my sayed brothers Daughter tenne poundes of true and English money. And I further give and bequeathe unto Margaret Davies nowe my Servaunte one three yere olde Geffer. And I likewise give and bequeathe unto Margarett Fogas one ewe and one lambe over and above the former legacies before given. Item I give unto ffraunce Glover nowe my servaunte one haife raffe of a yere olde. Item I give and bequeathe unto Anne & Merced nowe my servaunte duringe her life one tenement or messuage with all landes nowe & hereunto belonging in the towne of Dodmington Coppe where in one John Strumiger nowe dwelleth or eld one house and tenement in Marton nowe in the company of Roger & Clare whether yt shall please my sonne Thomas nowe here apparant payinge her the old rent and not about. Item I give unto the poore of the towne of Lyton tenne Shillinges. And to the poore of the towne of Wortswote ten Shillinges. And to the poore of the towne of Ellshere ten Shillinges. Also I give and bequeathe to the poore of the towne of Egedbury twentie Shillinges. And to the poore of the parische of Wastwithe ten Shillinges to be payed and delivered by my Executors within sixe monethes next after my departure out of this life. And for the avoidance of all doubtes and controversies that may arise touching the execution of this my last will and testament or any legacy therein limited and bequeathed my mynde will and meaninge is that the same shall be odred ended and debated by my Executors or the more parte of them byninge before any scribe in lawe be they soe attempted by any of my children or devised for any legacy or bequest to them given by this my will. And yf any of my sayed children or devised shall do or attempt any thinge or suite to the contrary. That then he or they soe doynge shall lose the benefite of the moite or one halfe of such legacies and bequestes as to hym or them as hereby limited and bequeathed. And for the true accomplishment and due execution of this my last will and testament I ordeyne make and constitute my deere and welbelovyd in god Hierom Corbett my brother the sayed William Yomge my sonne in lawe Robert Powell of the parke of whittnington Esquire the said Richard Corbett and Arthur Corbett my twoe younger sonnes my true faithfull and only Executors of the same my last will and testament willinge and most earnestlye desyringe them or such of them which shall take upon them the Administration thereof to see my mynde intent and good meaninge hereby declared fully executed performed and satisfied so farre forth as my goodes debts and chattels will extend to the same as they will to the contrary sworn before god at the latter daye of Judgment. And for the better ayde and assistance for the execution hereof and to see this my last will and testament duly executed I ordeyne and make the right true and my welbelovyd kinsman Richard Corbet of Morton Corbett and Robert Eaton of Eaton in the Countie of Salop Esquires over seers of the same. And I will and bequeathe unto every of my Executors whiche shall take upon hym the labor and travell in and aboute the execution hereof viz. To my welbelovyd brother Hierom Corbett one shewd nagge of three yeres olde and to my sonne in lawe William Yomge my younger blacke horse nowe in the stable. And to my rosen Robert Powell twoe servinge Servautes nowe at Starborge or elsewhere with their charges to be allowed out of my goodes. And I will and bequeathe to my over seers for their payme good will and furtherance herein ten Shillinges in gold a yere or one Ringe of gold of that value garnyng on yt twoe letters of my name surge as were made.

6

X

the same to be delivered unto them
by my Executors, as in and
underwritten

after my death. And I willie hereby revoke, annul and aduall all other former wills devised
Testamentary legacies bequestes Executors and ouersers by me heretofore in any wise made published
manned, willed or bequeathed. In witness whereof I have to this my devise last will and testament put to my
hande and scale the daye and yere first abouerwritten and published the same in the presence and hearinge of the
persons vndernamed. H. L. By me Robert Corbett. Testes. Iacob Taylor Roger Corbett. John Ieffes Richard
Whotton John Massey Thomas Palye

Probatum fuit Testamentum

Supra scriptum apud London coram venerabili viro Magistro Willmo Scrim leamy doctore Curie
Prerogative Cantuariensis Magistro Onstode suo Commissario Sextimo tertio die mensis Februarii
Anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo nonagesimo
tercio Juramento Johannis Robbinson Notarii publici promotoris Richardi Corbett et Arthuri
Corbett filiorum dicti Dni executorum in huius testamento nominat. Amibus commissis fuit
ad ministrando honorum suorum et creditorum dicti Defuncti de bene et fideliter Administrando
ad sancta dei Evangelia iurati. Reservata potestate similibus Commissionem faciendi Hieronimo
Corbett fratris dicti Defuncti Willmo Pommer et Roberto Powell Executoribus etiam in eodem testi
nominatis eam rem venerit petitis in debita iuris forma iurati.

In the name of god Amen

the eleventh daye of
September in the fyve and thirtieth yere of the Reigne of our soveraigne Ladye Elizabeth by the grace of
god of England France and Ireland Queene Defender of the faythe etc. I Thomas Seborne
of the parische of Ombesley in the countie of Worcester gentleman sitte in bodye but of good and
perfect remembrance (prayed be Almighty god) Do make and ordeyne this my last will and testa
ment in manner and forme followinge that is to saye. First I Comynge my soule into the handes
of Almighty god, my sayonre and Redemer and my bodye to be buryed in the parische church of
Ombesley aforesayd. Item I give and bequeathe unto the Reparation of the sayed church tenne Shillinges
Item I give and bequeathe unto the poore of the same parische of Ombesley fyve poundes and ten Shillinges
Item I give unto the poore of the parische of Eardley thre Shillinges. Item I give and bequeathe unto
my godshylden sye penit a peere. Item I give unto my Sister Barnsley fyve poundes to be divided
amongest her chyldren. Item I give unto my brotger William Seborne chyldren fyve poundes to be divided
amongest them. Item I give and bequeathe unto my brotger in lawe John ffildes chyldren fyve poundes
to be divided betwene them. Item I give unto my brotger Robert Seborne ffower poundes to be divided
amongest his chyldren. Item I give and bequeathe unto my rosen Richard Barnsley twentie Shillinges
Item I give and bequeathe to my wyfe Richard Barnsley twentie Shillinges. Item I give
and bequeathe the vs. occupacion and profittes of all my landes and tenements wiche shal be appur
tinentes aswell situate bynne and beyng in the towne of Eppes of Broadwaye wiche shal be in the countie
of Worcester or nere therunto adioyninge as also all other my landes and tenements situate bynne and
beyng in the parische of Eppes or els wiche shal be in the countie of Worcester unto Elizabeth my wyfe
for and in consideration of her better maintenance untill my some John Seborne shall come to the full
age of twentie and one yeres so that he do keepe her selfe sole and unmarried And yf it shall happen my
sayed wyfe to marrye before my sayed some John Seborne shall accomplishe the full age of one and twentie
yeres. Or yf he do survive the sayed one and twentie yeres then my will is that my sayed wyfe shall
only have the thyrdes of my sayed landes and tenements during her naturall life accordyng to the
custom of the kyngdome of England. Item I give and bequeathe unto my sayed some John
Seborne the somme of fyve hundred poundes of lawfull englishe money to be payed unto him by my
Executors when he shall accomplishe the full age of one and twentie yeres or at the daye of his marriage
yf he shall marrye wiche shal be the consent of my Executors and ouersers or the greatest parte of them before he
shall accomplishe his full age of one and twentie yeres the sayed somme to be set fourty by my Executors
and ouersers within fourer yeres next after my decease to the best use the said Dyaldnyge attempted unto.

Thomas Seborne