

Richard Iveson 1608 Borthwick v30 f723

In the name of god Amen the fowerteenth day of March in the yere of our lord 1608 I Richard Iveson of Langcliffe in the Countie of yorke husbandman sicke in bodie & whole in mynde doe make this my last will & testament in manner followinge Firste I give my soule to allmightie god & my bodie to be buried in the church yard of Giggleswicke at the discretion of my freindes Itm I give unto my sonne James Iveson & his assignes my house & garth & all my title interest & terme of yeres therin And for my goodes my will is that (that) they be devided into three ptes wherof my wife to have her thirdes accordinge to lawe & the other two ptes I give to my sonne James & my daughter Elizabeth equally And yf either of my children dye before they come to lawfull yeres or be married my will is that the porcon of him or her soe dyinge shall redownde to the survivour & I make Margaret my wife my whole executor These beinge witnesses William Browne Thomas Sigswicke Thomas Carre & Thomas Sowden William Iveson

Latin text

Giggleswick

Thomas Geldard of Langcliffe 1687

Borthwick Vacancy wills June 1687 mf 902 A-K

In the name of god Amen the 17th day of March and according to the computation of the church of England 1687 I Thomas Geldard of Langcliffe in the county of York cloth maker being at present sound in mind but not healthful of body and knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time and considering likewise that it is the duty of every good Christian to set his house in order before he die That posterity may enjoy the lands and goods of the deceased in peace and quietness do make and constitute this my last will and testament in manner and form as following. First and principally I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty god trusting through the merits of Jesus Christ my saviour to be made partaker of eternal bliss and my body I commit to the earth from whence it came to be buried in honest and Christian burial at the discretion of my executors and friends in hope of resurrection to eternal life and for my temporal estate I give and dispose thereof as follows

Imprimis I give unto my second son James all my bought lands namely one croft joining to the east end of the town with two cattle gates in the over close.

Item I give unto my said son the sum of £16 £10 whereof to be paid within one month after he be loose from his apprenticeship and the other six within three years after.

Item I give unto my daughter Agnes four pounds to be paid within two years after my decease.

Item I give unto my grandchild William Procter four pounds to be paid when he attains to the age of one and 20 years if he so long live but if he be being not at the time living my will is that it be paid to her other issue male or female lawfully begotten of her body if she have any then living but for want of such issue my will and mind is that it returns to Agnes my daughter.

Item I give to my eldest son Thomas all the rest of my lands houses household stuff and utensils of trade after my funeral charges and other debts be defrayed and I likewise make my said son Thomas sole executor of this my last will and testament

Witness my hand

Thomas Geldard

in the presence of

John Paley

Richard Lawson

Bond

Noverint universi per presentes nos Thomam Geldard de Langcliffe in Com Ebor pannarum et Richardum Lawson de Langcliffe predicti yeoman teneri et firmiter obligari ventibi vivo John Kirkam SJ per Decano eccliae Cathij

Anglie; Solvend eidem Decani ...

Ric.Carr Thomas Geldard Richard Lawson

(pannus is cloth)

The Condition of this obligation is such that if the within bounden Thomas Geldard do well and truly execute perform and keep the last will and testament of Thomas geldard of Langcliffe in the parish of Giggleswick and Diocese of York his late father deceased

And do pay his debts and legacies so far as his goods will extend and law shall bind him if also he do exhibit into the Registers Office at York a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods rights Credits Cattells and Chattells of the said deceased and do make a true and just accompt of the same when he shall be thereunto lawfully called. And moreover (if need require) enter into such further Bond with more sufficient sureties for performance of the premises which the Judge of the said Court for the time being shall think reasonable and needful And lastly do save defend and harmless keep the within named Dean and Chapter and all other their Officers and ministers..... all persons by reason of the premises Then

void and of none effect or else to remain in full force....

An inventory of the goods credits and debts of Thomas Geldard clothier of Langcliff late deceased appraised by Richard Lawson Junior Anthony Armitstead John Paley Richard Lawson Junior all of Langcliffe the third and twentieth day of June Anno 1687

	£	s	d
Impris his apparel with money in his purse	05	-04	-06
Item in cloth	07	-07	-00
It in woole	00	-18	-00
It 2 pair bedstockes	00	-10	-00
It two ruggs	00	-18	-00
It one fether bedd	01	-00	-00
It 3 chaffe bedds	00	-05	-00
It 4 blankets 2 coverlets	00	-16	-00
It 4 pillows	00	-08	-00
It 3 sheets two pillow	00	-15	-00
It 3 sheets more	00	-05	-00
It seven cushons	00	-04	-00
It 2 chairs	00	-04	-00 ?
Itm one close press	01	-05	-00
It 3 chists	01	-04	-00
It one litle table	00	-04	-00
It one ...ang(?) of wheel timber	00	-03	-00 ?
It in other peeces of wood	00	-03	-00
It one stone trough	00	-04	-00
It six sakes	00	-06	-00
It 3 pannes	00	-10	-00
Itm Brass and pewter	00	-12	-00
Itm other od things about the hous	00	-15	-00
It one pair of Loomes 3 pair of sheares with other things belonging to his trade	02	-05	-00
Suma	£26	-12	-00

Debts oweing to the deceased from all men	£3-07-00 ?
Debts which the deceased did owe	
To John Paley	£12 -00 -00 ?
It to the towne in Comon stocke	02 -04-04
It in other debts to all persons	03 -02-00
It in funerall expenses and given to the poor	06 -00-00
Summa	23 -06-06

Richard Lawson sen
Anthony Armitstead
John Paley
Richard Lawson jun

Thomas Geldard 1697

Borthwick mf 1788 p962 vol.62 fol 30 Probate 1698

In the name of god Amen I Thomas Geldard of Langcliffe in the County of York Clothier being weakly of Body but of sound and perfect memory praised be god for the same do make this my last will and testament In manner and form following viz. first I bequeath my soul to god who gave it hoping through the merits and mediation of my saviour to obtain remission of sins and consequently everlasting life. And my body to the ground to be buried in decent and christian manner at the discretion of my friends and executrix. And for my temporal estate I give and dispose of As follows, first I give to Jane my wife (my debts and funeral expenses first paid) All my personal estate in what kind or nature soever it be. Item I give to Thomas my son and only child All my houses and lands whatsoever to enter to 2 parts of the same when he shall Attain the Age of one and twenty years And the other third part after Jane my said wife her decease. And my will and mind is that Jane my said wife shall receive and take all the profits of the said lands for and towards the education of my said son till he Attain the Age of one and twenty years. But if it happen that Jane my wife shall marry to another man then my will and mind is that my two Trustees whom I shall hereafter Appoint from and Immediately after my said son shall Attain the age of fourteen years shall enter unto and receive and take the rents Issues and profits of two parts of my said lands for and towards his better preferment in trade at his and their best discretion. And likewise my will and mind is that if my said son shall die before he Attain the age of one and twenty years that then my said wife shall receive and take all the rents Issues and profits of my said lands during the term of her natural life. And then After the death of my said son As Aforesaid then from and Immediately after the death of Jane my said wife I give unto James Geldard my brother All my houses and Lands Aforesaid paying unto the children of Agnes Pearte my sister or so many as shall be at that time living the sum of £20 within one year After he enter to the same. And if she be at the time living then to pay unto the said Agnes my sister the sum of 20 shillings during her life. And I do appoint Jane my said wife Executrix of this my last will and testament. And I do likewise Appoint Richard Lawson and James Geldard trustees to take care that this my will be rightly executed. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 10th day of June Anno Domini 1697.

Acknowledge and signed in the presence of us
Richard Lawson jurat James Geldard jurat

Thomas Geldard

Bond and Obligation attached

A true and perfect Inventory of all the goods chattels and debts and credits of Thomas Geldard late of Langcliffe deceased as they are Apprized this 27th (?) day of February by us whose names are underwritten

	ll	s	d
Imprimis his purse and Apparel	03	- 00	- 00
It 2 Cowes	05	- 00	- 00
It 26 yards of Cloth	03	- 00	- 00
It 40 yards of plain cloth and 1/2 thick	02	- 00	- 00
It 1 Cart 2 paire of wheeles	00	- 15	- 00
It in wood and 2 Ladders	00	- 08	- 00
It 1 paire of Looms with other utensills belonging Trade	02	- 10	- 00
It 1 Dresser pewter and other goods in the body of the House	01	- 19	- 00
It in wood vessel brass and other goods in the Kitching	01	- 15	- 00
It one Bed with furniture with other goods in the Parlour	03	- 15	- 00
It one Bedstead one Chist in the little chamber	00	- 07	- 00
It in Goods in the house chamber	00	- 18	- 00
It in goods in Parlour chamber	04	- 09	- 00
It in Linnen	00	- 12	- 00
It in meale Beeffe and Bacon	02	- 00	- 00
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	32	- 08	- 00
It debts owing to the Deceased	92	- 00	- 00 (<i>not clear</i>)
Sum Tota	124	- 00	- 00
Debts which the Deceased did owe	70	- 00	- 00
John Paley			
Richard Armitsted			
Richard Lawson			
James Geldard			

WILLIAM GELDARD ADMIN 1699 Ref.Borthwick.York. Bundle Apl 1700
 Transcribed by S.Gordon

A true & perfect Inventory of all the goods & Chattells of Willim Geldard of
 Hollinghall within ye pish of Giglesweeke late deseazed Sbr. ye 2d. 1699 Apprised by
 us whose names are Hereunto subscribed

	li	s	d
Imps his Horse purse & Apparell sadle & bridle	10	00	00
Itn: Six Oxen	20	00	00
Itn: 8 Kine & Four Heffers	37?	10	00
Itn: 6 Sterks	07	10	00
Itn: 6 calves	04	00	00
Itn: one bull	03	13	04
Itn: 9 ould Sheepe	03	11	00
Itn: 25 hoggs	05	00	00
Itn: one Maire	02	00	00
Itn: 2 yong Cowes?	03	00	00
Itn: Corne Hay and outlaws	45	00	00
Itn: Carts and Wheelles	02	10	00
Itn: one Coupe	00	04	00
Itn: ploughs; harrows yocks, teames horse geare Iron, trases cartropes sadles pilshes coulter share & all other husbandry yeare	03	10	00
Itn: 2 Arks	01	06	08
Itn: sacks & Windowcloth	01	04	00
Itn: 1 paire of bedstocks & beding	01	00	00
Itn: 2 paire of bedstocks & beding	02	00	00
Itn: 3 chists	01	00	00
Itn: 2 Cupboards & one dishboard & wooden vessell	03	15	00
Itn: Butter Brass & Pewter	03	11	08
Itn: 2 dresers shelves glascase & forms	00	07	00
Itn: 1 Long Settle chairs stooles & quishins	01	00	00
Itn: wood brocken up at Tower more	03	10	00
Itn: 1 backstone, range reckon all other huslemnt	01	05	00
Itn: Debts oweing to ye Testator	57	11	00
Debts oweing by the Deceased	10?		
Total	224	18	08

Thomas Butterfield
 William Foster
 William Lund
 Geo; Bolland

Giggleswick modern spelling

JOHN GREENWOOD – 1692 INV. (Admin.)Ref.Borthwick.York. June 1692 bundle
Transcribed by S.Gordon

A true and pfect Apprisement of all the goods Cattells & Chattells of John Greenwood
late of Settle deceased Apprized & valled this 7^h. day of June Anno Dm. 1692 by us
whose names is hereunder written

	£	s	d
Imprimis Beddstocks & bedding	0	10	0
Item in other small goods & Implemts of household stuffe	0	10	0
Item in Lease Lands or the Rendcon thereof	20	00	0
sum	21	0	0

Richard Driver
Hugh Lawson \his marke/
John Rolfe
Willi Hall

ROLAND GREENWOOD ADMIN 1690 Ref.Borthwick.York.Bundle Nov 1690
 Transcribed by S.Gordon

A true and perfect Inventory of all the goods Cattells and Chattells of Rowland Greenwood of Setle in the County of yorke Joyner Late deceased both moveable and imoveable Apprised and Valued by us whose names \is hereunder/ written

	li	s	d
Imp. Purse & Apparrell	01	10	00
Brasse and pewter	01	10	00
Bedstocks & Beding & one Cuppboard	01	10	00
Two tables Foure Chists	00	15	00
Six Chairs Two Longsetles	00	09	00
One Forme & eight Cushions	00	04	06
Foure stooles & wooden Vessell	00	11	04
One Arke	00	05	00
Seaven Markett (Tubbs?) and stallgeare thereunto belonging	00	10	00
Three pecks	00	03	00
Loose Wood & other Huslements	00	05	00
In Debts oweing	02	06	00
In Debts desperate	05	00	00
In Chattells reale	01	00	00
Funerall Expences	05	00	00
Totall	10	18	10
Funerall Expences deducted	05	00	00
Reste	05	18	10

Roger Waddilove Bryan Deane
 Henry Hewton William Tennant

*Incorrect addition by appraisers – should be Total £20.18.10
 Settle modern spelling*

JOHN GREGSON 1688 Ref.Borthwick.York. vol.61 fol.14
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Nuncupative

January the sixth 1688

Then John Gregson of Giggleswick in the County of yorke yeoman being sick and infirme in body but of sound and perfect memory did make and declare his last will and Testament in words (in the presence of us whose names are hereunto subscribed) as Followeth or words to the same effect (that is to say) I doe give and bequeath unto Elizabeth Walkden wife to Richard Walkden of Giggleswick all my estate reall and personal she paying these Legacies hereafter mentioned (that is to say) To Thomas Settle twenty shillings, To Judeth Banck five shillings, And to John Banck her sonn five shillings And to Robert Bancks of Hornby tenn shillings, she the said Elizabeth Walkden being at the Charge of burying me decently and paying my just debts, Wittness our hands this ninth day of January 1688 Wittness our hands Francis Read Will: Wilkinson Robert Newby his marke Elizabeth Newby her marke Mary Walkden her marke

Giggleswick modern spelling

**Anthony Hall 1687 Yeoman of Settle Borthwick YAS vol 89 Vacancy Register no. 1
mf 905 Sept 1687**

In the name of God Amen this thirteenth day of August in the year of our Lord Christ One thousand six hundred eightie seaven I Anthony Hall of Settle in the County of yorke yeoman being somewhat infirme in body but of good and perfect memory praised bee God for the same Doe make and ordayne this my last Will and testament in manner and forme following (That is to say) First and principally I comend and comitt my Soule into the mercifull hands of Almighty God my maker assuredly trusting that through the merrits and mediation of Jesus Christ my Saviour my Sinns shall bee forgiven and that my Soule shall bee made partaker of everlasting happinesse in the Kingdome of heaven and my body to bee buried in the parish Church or Churchyard of Giggleswicke at the discretion of my friends and executors hereafter named And as to the temporall estate wherewith it hath pleased God to blesse me I give and dispose as followeth Inprimis I give and bequeath to Mary Preston my graddaughter all my right and tytle unto one parcell of ground cald Stonacre And to Anne Preston my graddaughter One Close cald Lingsclose, Item I give and bequeath unto William Preston and Robert Towler my Sonns in Law all the Catlegates belonging to six shillings eight pence rent on the Banks And all the Catlegates belonging tenn shillings rent on Scaleber equally betwixt them Item I give all my Messuages barns and buildings and other my lands and Lease grounds (not herein before disposed of) with theyr heriditaments and appurtncs unto Frances Towler my daughter for and during the terme of Ninety nine years if shee soe long live and after her decease my will and minde is that the same shall goe to the issue male or female begotten or to bee begotten on the body of my said daughter Frances And my will and minde is that such issue male or female as shall enjoy the premisses shall pay unto my said Grandchildren Mary and Anne Preston theyr executors administrators or assigns the Sume of twenty pounds within the space of twelve months next after they or any for them shall enter unto the said Messuages lands and tenements And in case my said daughter Frances shall happen to depart this life not leaving any issue of her body Lawfully begotten then my will and minde is And I doe hereby give and bequeath all my said Messuages Barns buildings lands and Lease grounds unto my said Grandchildren Mary and Anne Preston & they to entr to the same imediately after the decease of my said daughter Frances (excepted out of this last bequest one parcell of ground cald Thorneber land which I give to my said sonne Robert Towler in case my said daughter Frances dye without issue, Item my will and minde is that the bedstead Cupboard & Long table standing in my parlor shall remayne in the same as heyrelomes Item I give unto my Kinswoman Margaret Ramshaw forty shillings and to James sonne to Hugh Hall five shillings And to John sonne to John Hall five shillings and to Marjery Tully of Giggleswicke five shillings Item I give unto my said sonns in Law William Preston and Robert Towler all my goods houseold stuffe Implements and utensills of houseold and husbandry geare not herein disposed of, they paying my Just debts legacys and funerall expences, & in case my said goods and houseold stuffe will not pay & discharge my said debts Legacys & funerall expences my will & mind is that my said sonns in Law shall sell the said Catlegates on Banks & Scalber to pay & discharge my said debts, & if they refuse to pay my said Legacys & debts & funerall expences my will & minde is that all bequests to them herein made to bee of none efect Item I doe nominate and appoynt the

said Wm Preston^{Jur} and Robert^{Jur} Towler executors jointly of this my last will & testament hereby revoking all former will or wills by mee heretofore made Item I doe nominate apoynt & desire my Kinsemen Hugh Hall & John Hall to see this my will duely & truely pformed Item my will is that the said Hugh and John Hall shall have ye keeping of all the writeings concerning my estates In Wittnesse whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seale the day and year first above written

Seal'd Sign'd & published in the psence of us

John Skirrow
Will Hall
J. Richardson^{jurat}

Antho: Hall

A true and perfect inventory of the goods houseold stuffe Implements and utensills of houseold and husbandry geare late Anthony Hall Deceased taken by us whose names are hereunto subscribed this eighteenth day of August Ano Dom 1687

	li	s	d
Inprimis his purse and apparrell	2	4	0

In the parlor

One Chist	0	5	0
one littell Chist	0	2	6
one old Joynd chaire	0	1	6
one old wanded chaire	0	1	6
4 littell boxes	0	2	0
one joynd forme & one joynd stoole	0	3	0
1 feather bed two chafe bolsters & 2 twilts	0	18	0
5 feather bolsters	0	14	0
1 blankett & one happing	0	8	0
1 blew happing	0	2	6
Curtains valence & Cupboard hanger	0	3	0
1 pcell of small course Linning	0	5	0
1 littell Maunde	0	0	3
2 brushes 2 bobins 1 old glasse 1 bread fleake	0	0	8

In the Bodiestead

One table	0	9	0
two chairs	0	1	6
3 stooles	0	0	6
1 littell Ash table	0	0	8
1 Longseate	0	5	6
7 Cushions	0	2	6

1 dripping pann 1 payre of racks 1 spitt	0 2 0
1 Iron bakeing stone & 1 payre of briggs	0 5 0
2 niggards 1 toasting 1 Chafeing dish one payre) of tongs & one fyre shovell)	0 3 0
2 salt pitches	0 0 6
1 Chopping Knife one strikeing Knife one) Skimer one flesh forke 1 runner)	0 1 0
1 grait' 1 Creep 1 burning Iron one skure	0 0 4
1 payre of bellows	0 0 2
3 shelves	0 0 6
1 window Curtains & 1 Carpet in the parlor	0 1 0
1 Cow	2 6 8
1 gelding	1 6 8
1 stone mortar & one Iron pestill	0 1 0
3 rundlitts	0 1 6

In the Washhouse

1 barrell one stand 1 Cheesfatt & 1 laddell	0 0 6
4 piggons 1 tems 1 tunill 2 siles	0 0 6
2 basons & 1 water dish	0 0 5
4 trenchers & 2 butter prints	0 0 3
1 flackett	0 0 3
1 stand 3 bottles 5 pott	0 1 2
1 Churne & stafe	0 1 0
1 Gulefat	0 1 0
1 old barrell & one flaskett	0 0 10
1 payre of scales & 2 boards	0 0 2
1 toasting Jack	0 0 3
1 Kitt & 1 Cann	0 0 6
4 Canns & 2 piggons	0 0 1
1 Cann & 1 piggon	0 0 4
1 frying pann	0 0 6
one brewing pann	0 6 8
1 large pann	0 5 0
2 other panns	0 2 6
1 brasse pann & 1 skillit	0 1 6
1 old brasse pott	0 2 0

In the Buttery

5 wood basons & one stone bason	0 1 2
3 potts	0 0 6
2 potts	0 0 8
6 shelves & planks	0 1 3
1 knopp & stoole	0 1 0

Chamber Over the house	li	s	d
One old salting tubb	0	2	0
1 old Chist	0	2	0
1 sive & Knead Skeelee	0	0	4
1 stoole and sadell Crutch	0	0	2
1 littell Chist	0	1	?
1 lead halfe stone	0	0	6
1 old tubb	0	0	4
1 meale sive	0	0	6(?)
1 old Arke	0	3	4
one other Arke	0	10	0
3 leather Satchells	0	1	0

Chamb ^r ov ^r Milkhouse			
1 Chist	0	1	0
1 bedstead & Matt	0	2	6
Curtains & valence	0	2	0
1 Chaire & cushion	0	1	0
1 old trunk	0	0	6

Midle Chamb ^r			
1 bedstead	0	10	0
1 Chafe bed & bolster	0	1	0
2 feather bolsters	0	3	6
1 blanket	0	2	0
1 rugg	0	4	0
1 payre of Curtains & valence	0	2	6
1 red rugg	0	4	0
3 blankitts	0	5	0
1 littell table	0	3	4
1 trunke	0	4	0

Farr Chamb ^r			
One bedstead	0	1	6
1 Double coverlit	0	4	0
2 old Coverlit	0	2	0
1 blankitt	0	2	0
1 feather bolster	0	0	6
1 load sadell 1 old sadell	0	2	0
1 tub & 1 board	0	0	4
1 plow Culter 1 share 1 rack wedge	0	3	0

1 teame 1 trantree	0 2 0
2 Swingletrees & teams	0 1 0
16 Dowls	0 0 6
1 pcell of old Iron	0 0 6
5 sheets	0 9 0
1 paire of sheets	0 5 0
1 payre more	0 6 0
1 long towell & 1 sheet	0 2 0
2 pillowbears	0 2 0
1 pillowbear	0 0 6
8 Diper Nappkins	0 2 8
2 night Capps & handcerchife	0 0 4
4 Dublers	0 5 4
1 handbason 4 sawcers 1 Candlesticke	0 2 4
1 Chamb ^r pott	0 1 0
2 tankars	0 1 6
2 salts 1 poringer 1 taster 1 Sawcer	0 1 2
1 pewter botle & Candlesticke	0 1 2
5 spoones	0 0 5
3 wood Candlestickes	0 0 6
3 glasse bottles	0 0 4
2 potts & 2 white plaits	0 0 6
1 table cloth	0 1 6
1 Cart 1 payre of wheeles 1 back band & 1 balkstee	0 4 0
1 winding cloth & 7 sacks	0 5 0
2 pecks & one halfe pecke	0 1 0
2 sheps	0 0 6
1 old tub	0 0 6
1barrow & one apeltree	0 1 4
4 mdles & 2 midle boards	0 1 0
2 pieces of wood	0 1 0
6 bushell of meale	1 4 0
1 old Cart & 1 payre of old wheeles	0 4 0
1 Meale sack & 1 turfe spade	0 1 0
1 Scuttle	0 0 2

[on reverse]

[column one]

Good debts due to the dec ^d	li s d
Henry Roberts	1 16 8
Roger Armitstead	3 15 0
Rob ^t Towler rent	5 0 0

Desperate debts

W ^m Procter	2 6 0
Roger Wadilove	1 13 0

John Cookeson Hugh Lawson
Richard Lawson John Skirrow

[column two]

Debts oweing by ye dec^d

to John Skirrow	3li & Interest
to M ^r Walker	2li – 15s
to John Kidd	0 3s

Giggleswick modern spelling

ELIZABETH HALL 1665 Ref.Borthwick.York vol.59 fol 137
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In the name of God Amen I Elizabeth Hall of Settle widdow being weake of body but of good and perfect memory doe make this my last will and testament First I bequeath my soule to God Almighty to whome it belongeth through Christ my Redeemer and Saviour; And my body to be buried in the Church or Church yeard of Giggleswicke; Item after my funerall expenses be discharged by my executor; Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth the whole sume of three score and tenn poundes to be paide at or before the eleaventh day of November next ensueing commonly called Martinmas day; Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Ellin the whole sume of one hundred poundes to be paide to her within six monthes after my death; Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Ellen the sume of three poundes which is oweing and due unto me by Thomas Cockman of Settle; Item I give and bequeath unto my sonne Hugh Hall his three children to every one of them twenty shillings to be paide to them when they shall accomplish the age of one and twenty yeares; Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth being with child if God is pleased that it shall live the sume of twenty shillings when it shall accomplish the age of one and twenty yeares, Item I give unto my brother Allon Carr the sume of thirty shillings to be paide within a yeare after my decease Item I give unto my sister Jaine Browne the sume of thirty shillings to be paide within a yeare after my decease; Item my will and mind is that after my debts and funeral expenses be discharged and (paid?) that all the rest of my goods shall be equally divided amongst my three children Hugh Elizabeth and Ellen that they may have every one their equall proportion within a yeare after my decease; Item my will and minde is that my sonne Hugh Hall shall be my sole Executor of this my last will and testament; In Witnesse whereof I have hereunto set my hand the thirteenth day of July 1665 Elizabeth Hall her marke Witnesses John Hall John Lawson

One line Latin

Giggleswick modern spelling

**JOHN HALL of SETTLE 1692 Ref.Borthwick.York. Feb.1692bundle
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In the name of god amen I John Hall of Settle in the County of yorke Cordwainer being sick in body, but of good and pfect memory, thanks be Almighty God, and considering the uncertainty of this transitory life, Do make, ordaine, constitute and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and forme following, Hereby utterly revoking all and every Testament or Testaments heretofore by me made or declared by word or writing: And that my Temporall Estate and such Goods, Chattels, and debts as belong to me may be the better settled I do order give and dispose the same in manner and forme following, That is to say, First I will that all those debts I owe in right to any manner of person or persons whatsoever be well and truly paid or ordained to be paid within convenient time after my decease and after the discharging funeral expences by mine Executors hereafter named, Item I do give and bequeath unto mine eldest son John Hall for an (*sic*) in Consideracon of the payment of such Legacies as be hereafter herein mentioned All mine houses lands and Tenements being and lying in Settle aforesaid and the precincts thereof with all the deeds and writings concerning the same, namely that the said John do pay to his Brother Thomas Hall the sume of Twenty Pounds of lawfull English money When ye sd Thomas doth attaine the age of Twenty one years. Item my will is that the said John do pay to his three sisters Elizabeth Isabel and Mary Hall fifteen Pounds apeice as they do severally and Respectively accomplish and attaine the full Age of Twenty one years. Item I will that my wife Elizabeth Hall have occupy possesse and enjoy all the sd. mine houses lands and Tenemts. in Settle as abovesd and Receive and take ye profits thereof untill my said son John do attaine ye Age of Twenty one years That hereby she may be better enabled to bring up and educate my sd. children. And in case any of my children do dy \before ye age of Twenty one years be attained/ Then my will and pleasure is that ye legacy be given do Robert to my son Jn: Item my will and pleasure is yt ye Closes called Lings And ye Barns thereon standing be by mine Executors sold to and for ye payment of my Debts and be it Remembered yt ye six shillings and four pence Rent on the Pasture called High Scarr and Scalebarr And one pcell of ground called (Edlestone) Banks formerly granted by me to my daughter Ann Hall be out of this Will always Excepted. Lastly I do ordaine appoint and nominate Elizabeth my wife and John Hall my son joynt Executors of this my last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seale the Thirty fi(rst) day of January in ye year of our Lord God One thousand six hundred ninety two

Witnesses

Leonard L \his mark/ K Kidd

Anthony Procter

R Atkinson

John Hall

February the 10th. in the yeare 1692

An Inventory of all the Goods and Chattells belonging to John Hall of Upper Settle lately deceased prized & valued by these men whose names are hereunto subscribed

	Li	s	d
Imp His Apparell & money in his purse	01	00	00
Two Tables and two formes	00	07	00
One Cupboard five Chaires one table	00	19	02

One Table and formes	00	05	00
Two Chiests and two Arks	01	03	00
In Meal and Beans	02	16	00
One ombery & foure Chaires	00	10	00
Two paire of Bedstocks	00	02	00
Five Coverlets	00	05	00
Foure paire of Blanketts, one Red Rug	00	17	00
One paire of Curtains	00	02	00
Five paire of Sheets, three Boulsters	00	19	08
Foure Chaffe beds one brass pott 4 panns	01	04	00
In pewther, Brass & one Backstone	01	15	00
In wood vessel, & three shelf boards	00	07	08
One Cart, wheels and Coope	01	00	00
One plough, plowgeare & one Harrow	00	06	08
In Oates, Hay and Beeffe	01	18	00
In Leather, Shoes and Boots	09	11	09
One Horse and one Mare	04	00	00
Three cows	09	00	00
Three Heifers	03	00	00
Twenty Sheep	07	00	00
In Huslement	00	15	00
Three Sacks	00	04	00
	49	07	11

George Atkinson
John Kidd
Hugh Hall
Leonard Kidd

Richard Hall of Giggleswick 1636 Borthwick v42 f521

In the name of God Amen the six and twentieth day of March in the year of our Lord according to the computation of the Church of England one thousand six hundred thirty six I Richard Hall of Giggleswicke in the county of yorke yeoman sick in body but of good and perfect memory (praised be God) do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following hereby revoking all other wills by me made. And first and principally I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God my Saviour and Redeemer trusting through the merits of my alone saviour Jesus Christ to be made partaker of everlasting bliss in heaven and my body I commit to the earth to be buried in honest and Christian burial at the discretion of my executors and friends. And whereas I have by my deed in writing under my hand and seal bearing date the thirtieth day of May in the ninth year of the reign of our sovereign lord king Charles by the grace of god of England Scotland and France and Ireland defender of the faith etc. granted, assigned and set over unto my son John Hall his executors, administrators and assigns all my house at the Thorne Tree in Giggleswicke aforesaid, one stable and lath and three parts of my garden thereto belonging (excepting so much of them as are granted to Anthony Kellett to hold the same to the said John Hall his excutors, administrators and assigns for all the residue yet unspent of the term of six thousand years for which I hold the same by lease from the right honourable Earl of Cumberland with a limitation of the said premises to me the said Richard Hall during my life and with a proviso therein contained that if my executors, administrators or assigns pay unto the said John Hall, his executors, administrators or assigns the sum of thirty pounds within the term of three months next after my decease that then the said estate to be void or else to be and remain in full power force and virtue as by the said deed or writings may more plainly and at large appear. Now I the said Richard Hall do by this my present last will and testament ratify, confirm and allow the said deed and the estate thereby conveyed to be good and effectual in law to him the said John Hall his executors and assigns for and under the conditions and limitations therein contained. And I do hereby bequeath, assign and set over unto Francis Hall my son and Jane Brasheley my daughter their executors and assigns all my estate interest title of redemption claim and demand whatsoever of in and to the said premises and of in and to every part and parcel thereof together with all my writings scripts evidences and assurances whatsoever concerning the same And my will and mind is that my debts and funeral expences be paid out of my whole goods chattels and rights: And for the remainder or residue thereof when my debts and funeral expences are discharged I give and bequeath the same unto my said son Francis Hall and my daughter Jane. And I ordain and appoint him the said Francis Hall executor of this my last will and testament. These being witnesses Thomas Cockett, Thomas Newhouse and Henry Lawson

Giggleswick modern spelling

Thomas Hall 1625 Borthwick v39 f265

In the name of god amen the tenth day of April in the year of our Lord God one thousand six hundred twenty and five I Thomas Hall of Settle within the county of York yeoman being sick in body yet of good and perfect memory praised be god do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following: First and principally I commend my soul unto the merciful hands of Almighty god my maker and redeemer trusting that through his bounteous and everlasting mercy and for the merits and passion of Jesus Christ to be saved and to be an inheritor of eternal life, and I commit my body to the ground from whence it came and the same to be buried in the church or churchyard of Giggleswick the same being my parish church at the discretion of my wife and children.

Also whereas my late deceased brother William Hall yeoman sometime of Settle aforesaid by his last will and testament bearing date the seventh day of October AD 1608 did amongst other things therein mentioned give devise and bequeath unto me, my heirs and assigns one messuage or tenement of eleven shillings rent in Settle aforesaid with all and singular Commons and appurtenances thereto belonging to have and to hold the same to me my heirs and assigns for all such times and terms of years as he the said William had then to come therein. And whereas also the said William Hall my said late brother by his said last will did leave to remain as heirlooms in his said dwelling house at Settle as aforesaid now in my possession one feather bed, two blankets, two sheets, one bolster, one pillowbeare, two coverlet of the best of all his bedding and one long table, one new chest in the loft, one great ark in the newhouse and all his bedstocks then in that his said house as by the said will and testament relation thereupon had appeareth. Now therefore my will and mind is and I do by this my last will and testament set down and appoint and bequeath that all the said messuage tenement and premises of eleven shillings rent and also all such heirlooms as were left in his said house at the time of his decease shall wholly remain and come unto the only use and behoof of the said William Hall my eldest son and to his heirs and assigns for and during all such time and terms of years as I have yet to come therein by virtue of the said will with all my full and whole estate, title and interest therein and thereunto. And whereas my said brother William Hall deceased by his said will did give unto my said eldest son William amongst divers other things one grey horse of the price of £3 which horse I had to my use, now therefore, it is my will and I do hereby set down and appoint that my said son William shall have in lieu and consideration of the said horse one close of meadow ground lying on the south side of my dwelling house and adjoining upon my gardens containing by estimation half an acre of ground be it more or less which I have by bargain and grant from Richard Armittstead of Settle aforesaid for which I paid £9 10s.

Item I give and bequeath to the said William Hall my said son one parcel of arable and meadow ground in Fericar containing by estimation one rood and a half of ground be it more or less which I had by lease from the Earl of Cumberland.

Item I give to my said son William three parts of one close of common at the Parkes head containing by estimation three acres of ground be it more or less the same into four parts equally to be divided and the fourth part thereof I give to my son John Hall and his assigns excepting my wife's right in all the aforesaid premises.

Also whereas I am now lawfully seized, possessed and intitled unto divers and sundry other houses, grounds and other things hereafter mentioned wherein I have estate of inheritance or by lease for divers years yet enduring which I had by bargain and grant from divers persons hereafter mentioned as namely one dwelling house and one garden in Settle aforesaid which I had by bargain and grant from Henry Wattrinson of Leedes lying next the house of William Bankes and also one lathe or barn, one close in the Inges called Howbecke close half an acre at Green Gate which I had by bargain and grant from Adam Browne late of Settle aforesaid and also one half acre and half a rood of ground on Thornebarr which I had by bargain and grant from Thomas Sailebanke of Settle aforesaid and 5s 8d rent upon and through the commons and moors of Settle aforesaid with a proportionable part of soil and ground for and according to the said rent. And one parcel of arable ground lying on Elstone Bank containing by estimation fourteen falls or perches of ground be it more or less which I had by bargain and grant together with the said common of the coheirs of Thomas Carr deceased late of Hunthwaite in Giggleswick within the said county of York. All which grounds, houses and premises I do give, devise and bequeath unto John Hall my second son and to his executors and administrators and assigns to have and to hold the same to him his executors administrators and assigns my wife's widow right therein excepted from and immediately after the time that he shall accomplish his full age of four and twenty years for and during and unto the full end and term of five thousand years from thence next following and the same to be fully complete and ended. Provided always and yet never-the-less upon this condition that if my said second son John Hall shall die before he shall accomplish his full age of twenty four years and be then unmarried or without issue of his body lawfully begotten that then all the said houses, grounds and premises, my wife's right therein excepted, shall then come to the use of Thomas Hall my third son and to the issue of his body lawfully begotten or to be begotten and for lack and default of such issue then to and for the use and behoof of Anthonie Hall my youngest son and to the issue of his body lawfully begotten or to be begotten and for lack or in default of such issue then to and for the use of Agnes Hall my eldest daughter and to the issue of her body lawfully begotten or to be begotten and for lack or in default of such issue then to and for the use of Isabell Hall my youngest daughter and the heirs of her body lawfully begotten or to be begotten and for the lack and in default of such issue then to and for the use of the right heirs of me the said Thomas Hall for all the time that shall be then to come of the aforesaid leases or other estates.

And whereas I am now lawfully seized and possessed of in and upon one foot or fourth part of Settle tithe corn which I had by good conveyance in writing from Sir Gervasse Helwise and Sir Richard Wllmson knights as by one deed in writing to me thereof made reference being had thereunto appeareth Now it is my will and mind that Elizabeth my wife shall [have] the use and benefit thereof from the day of my decease for & during and unto the full end of the term of twelve years then next ensuing and the same to be fully complete and ended for the better education and bringing up of my younger children. And after the said term of twelve years be fully determined and ended then my will and mind is that all that said foot or fourth part of the said tithe corn shall then be divided into two equal parts or halves and one half thereof I will that William Hall my eldest son shall have clearly to the use of himself his heirs and assigns for ever as well in lieu recompense and satisfaction of a lease for certain years of the said tithe corn formerly granted to the said William Hall my said brother which were then to come and unspent which said lease given to my said son

William I had the benefit thereof, as also of such other filial or child's portion of goods as he might claim out of my personal estate. And as for the other half of the said tithe corn my will is that it shall be sold and that all such money as can be gotten for the same my wife's widow (*right*) therein for the term of her life excepted, shall be equally divided among my four younger children viz. Thomas Anthonie Agnes and Isabell and if my wife be now with child that that child shall be as forth and shall have a full share of such money received for the said tithe corn and of all other my goods as any of the said four youngest children whose names are heretofore rehearsed provided always and yet never-the-less if in case my said eldest son William Hall will not accept of the moiety of the said tithe corn in manner and form before mentioned in full satisfaction as well of the said lease to him thereof given by the said will of the said William Hall my said late brother as also in full recompense of such filial portion as he might claim of my goods but shall molest or trouble my executors or administrators for the same. That then this my gift or legacy of the moiety of the said tithe corn shall then be utterly void and of no effect in law to all intents and purposes and that the benefit thereof shall then remain to my younger children (my wife's right therein excepted) And further if any of my younger children shall die before they shall come to lawful age to receive their portions that the portion of them so dying shall remain to the use of them that shall survive.

And as concerning my debts it is my will and mind that the same and my funeral expenses and other charges church rights shall be paid forth of such movable and immovable goods as I now am owner of and if any remain I give them to my wife and younger children. And I do appoint Elizabeth my wife to be sole executrix of this my last will and testament. And I do appoint for supervisors William Foster of Giggleswick and William Bankes of Settle. These being witnesses Anthonie Procter, Thomas Brinsley, Henrie Lupton, William Bankes and William Foster.

Giggleswicke

NB fall = perch

William Hall 1608 Borthwick v31 f33

In the name of god amen upon the seventh day of October 1608 I William Hall of Settle in the parish of Giggleswick and county of York sick in my body but of perfect remembrance I praise god for it do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following First I commend my soul to almighty god by whose mercy through the redemption in Jesus Christ my only saviour I believe to be saved and my body to be buried in the church yard in Giggleswick. Also I will that my debts be paid.

Also I give and bequeath to Thomas Hall my brother to his heirs executors administrators and assigns all my messuage lands tenements houses and grounds with their appurtenances lying and being within the town of Settle townfields and territories of the same of eleven shillings rent with all deeds assurances and leases which I have of them and every of them to have and to hold so much thereof as is inheritance unto the said Thomas Hall my brother his heirs and assigns forever with all deeds and assurances touching the same. And to have and to hold so much thereof as should by lease or leases unto the said Thomas Hall my brother his heirs executors administrators or assigns for and during all such terms of years as I have in them and every of them provided always that for lack of heirs of the body of the said Thomas Hall my brother lawfully begotten or to be begotten then I give and bequeath my said messuage lands tenements houses and grounds lying and being in Settle and within the territories of the same of 11s rent unto Richard Newhouse my sister's son to his heirs executors and assigns and all writings concerning the same from and immediately after the death and decease of the said Thomas Hall my brother and his wife for ever. And for lack of the said Richard Newhouse then it is my will and mind that my messuage lands tenements and houses and grounds in Settle of 11s rent shall descend, remain and come to Thomas Newhouse his brother to his heirs executors and assigns in manner and form as aforesaid for ever.

Item I give and bequeath to William Hall my brother Thomas's son to his executors, administrators and assigns one acre of ground more or less lying and being in the North Feild near unto Settle Bridge and common of pasture land, pasturing ground in neighbourhood lying in the commons and pastures in the lordship of Settle which was lately occupied of William Lund and all my tithe corn and straw in Settle with all leases, assurances and writings which I have concerning them and every of them to have and to hold the same and all scripts and writings which I have of them and every of them unto the said William Hall my brother Thomas his son to his executors administrators and assigns for and during all such terms and times as I have in them and every of them. And if it fortune that the said William Hall my brother Thomas his son do die out of this mortal life before he accomplish the age of twenty and one years then it is my mind and will that the same shall remain and come to Thomas Newhouse my sister's son his executors, administrators and assigns with all writings which I have of the same for and during all such terms and times as I have in them and every of them then unexpired.

Item I give to William Hall my brother Thomas his son my gray horse. Item I give and bequeath to Ellen my sister the one half of all my sheep, the third part of my pewter, two chests the one standing at my bedfeet and the other at the window in the parlour. Item I give to Thomas Newhouse my sister's son five marks and whereas the

said Thomas owes me 8s for one stone of wool which I sold him, if I die before it be due I give it him. Item I give to Richard Newhouse my sister's son the sum of five pounds. Item I give to my cousin Henry Watkinson his wife one other third part of my pewter. Item I give to my brother Thomas Hall one other third part of my pewter. Item I give to my cousin Henry Watkinson one piece of gold of the value of 40s. Item I give to Gregory Paulden the sum of 20s. Item I give to Thomas Carr wife of Stackhouse 20s and to Ellen her daughter 20s. Item I give to my cousin William Lund 20s which I lent him. Item I give to remain as heirlooms at my house one featherbed, two blankets, two sheets, one codd* one pillow beare** two coverlets to be taken forth of the best of my bedding. Item one long table, a new chest in the loft, a great ark in the new house and all the bedstocks in my house to remain as heirlooms in my house. Item whereas Christopher Hall owes me 40s I give him 20s thereof. Item I give to Ellen my sister the one half of all my debts not bequeathed, the one half of all the [hole in document] rest of my bedding not bequeathed, the one half of all my linen and the one half of all my brass. And for all such rents as was *(sic)* due to me at [hole] London at Michael-mass last I give the same equally to be divided between my brother Thomas Hall and my sister Ellen. Item I give to William Lund wife two bushels of barley. Item I give to Thomas Carr wife of Settle two bushels of barley. Item I give the two ox steers to Thomas Hall my brother and Ellen my sister equally between them. Item I give to Fletcher wife 20d besides that which she owes me. Item I give to the poor of Settle 6s 8d to be divided at the discretion of my brother Thomas Hall and John Kidd. Item I give to the poor of Giggleswick and of that township 5s to be divided at the discretion of Mr Shutt and my brother William Newhouse. Item to the poor of Langcliffe 20d to be divided at the discretion of John Brayshaye. Item to the poor of both Stainforths 20d to be divided at the discretion of Brian Bainbridge and James Armitstead. Item I give to the poor of Rathmell and the lame(?) there 2s 6d to be divided at the discretion of Mr Nowell. Item I give to my brother William Newhouse my best jacket. Item I give to William Hall son of Richard Hall 5s. Item to every of my godchildren 12d a piece. The rest of all my goods and cattels not bequeathed, my debts, legacies and other dues discharged I give them wholly to my brother Thomas Hall. And I make, ordain and appoint the said Thomas Hall my brother my sole executor of this my last will and testament. And all former wills by me made I utterly revoke and forsake. These being witnesses Thomas Carr, John Kidd and Brian Bainbrigge.

* *codd = pillow, cushion*

** *pillow beare = pillow case*

Setle

Settell

Giggleswicke

both Stainfordes

WILLIAM HALL 1647 Ref.Borthwick.York.Bundle Aug 1647/8
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In the name of God Amen: to all Cristian people to whom this p(re)sent wryteing shall come greeting Know yee that I Willim Hall of Settle yeoman being sicke & weak of bodie but in p(er)fect & sound memorie, God be prayed, doth make this my last will & testament; First I bequeath my soule to god Almightye to whom it belongeth through Christ my redeemer & saviour; & my bodie to be buried in the Church or Churchyard of Gigglesweicke; Item after my funeral expences be discharged by my Exector. Item I give & bequeath unto Hugh Hall my onelie sonn all my Messuadge & dwelling house with the barne and all other houses thereunto belonging if he be living when he shall accomplish the Age of Twentie one yeares & if in Case he die before he accomplish the said Adge of xxj yeares then my will & mind is that it shalbe equallie devided amongst my 3 doughters, viz Margerett, Elizabeth & Ellin & if in Case anie one of these my doughters shall die it is my will that it shall remayne to the survivor of them onelie my wife right therein excepted; Item my will & mynd is that I give & bequeath to Margerett my eldest daughter Fortie Five pounds to be paid by my executor when she shall accomplish the Adge of xxj yeares if she then be living, if she die before she shall accomplish that Adge of xxj yeares; my will & mynd is after her funeral expences be discharged that it shall be equallie devided Amongst my Children Hugh, Elizabeth, & Ellin; Item I give & bequeath to Elizabeth my second doughter Fortie pounds when she shall accomplish the Age of twentie one yeares & if in Case she die before she shall accomplish that adge my will is that it shabe equallie devided amongst the survivoures of Children then living & my wife shall have her full share of this Fortie pounds if she remayne my wife her funeral expences discharged; Item I give & bequeath to my youngest doughter Fortie pounds when she shall accomplish the Age of twentie one years to be pd by my Executor & if she die before she shall accomplish the full age of xxi yeares my will & mynd is to be equallie devided as before; Item(*page torn*) to my son Hugh as Heireloumes one Standing Bed, one Long Table; & (*page torn*) as also I give & bequeath unto my sonn Hugh the Eight pte of the tyeth (*probably 'tithe corn' but page is torn*) belonging to the township of Settle when he shall accomplish the full age of T(wentie) Five yeares; Item it is my mynd that my wife shall have the Benefitt of the said ty.... Corne for the Education of the yonger Children till my sonn Hugh accomplish the full Age of xxv yeares; Item I give & bequeath to my Brother Tho: Hall Tenn shillings within two months after my discease; Item I give to Robt Carr my god Child sonn to Allan Carr Tenn shillills; Item I give to Willm Browne my sister sonn Five shillins to Ellin her doughter two shillings; & to Bridgett two shillings; & to John Hall my Neafew two shillings six pence; Item it is my will & mynd that my wife Elizabeth \jurat/ Hall shalbe my sole Executor of this my Last will & testament: & I doe appoint as Friends in trust Allan Carr & Anthonie Hall to see this my will fulfild according to the true intent & that the said Allan & Anthonie when such occation require them goo about anie oration for there or anie of there good shall have there Charges paid out of my goods by my Executor; Item I give to Robt Stackhouse two shillings Item I give to my Brother Antho: Hall Five Shills for writeinge; Item I give & bequeath to my son Hugh all my pte in the New Kilne being the Fift pte thereof one to me to him & his heirs for ever

In Wittesse whereof I have hereunto my hand this Eight day of May 1647

Wittesse

William Hall

Allan Carr \jurat/

Antho: Hall

Giggleswick modern spelling

ANTHONY HANDCOCKE 1690 Ref.Borthwick.York. Sep1690 (Admin)

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A true Inventory of all ye goods & Chattells late Anthony Handcocke of Gigleswicke
Deceased taken by us whose names are hereunto subscribed this twelfth day of
September Ano Dom 1690

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Inprimis his purse & apparrell	0	7	6
Item One Cottage in Gigleswicke & other his rights debts & credits	2	10	0

R.Preston

Jo:Lister

Jo:Waidson

Jo:Richardson

Giggleswick modern spelling

**John Hargreaves 1686 Settle draper Borthwick YAS vol 89 Appx 4 Vacancy
Register mf 896 Jan 1686(7)**

In the name of God Amen the twenty ninth day of November in the year of our Lord One thousand six hundred eightie six I John Hargreaves of Settle in the County of yorke Draper being somewhat infirm in body but of good and perfect memory prayed bee God for the same Doe make and ordayne this my last Will and Testament in maner and forme following hereby revoking all former and other will or wills by mee heretofore made (That is to say) First and principally I comend and comitt my Soule into the mercifull hands of Almighty God my maker, assuredly trusting that through the merrits of my Saviour Jesus Christ my Sinns shall bee forgiven and that my Soule shal bee made partaker of eternall happinesse in the Kingdome of heaven, And my body to bee buried in the parish Church or Church yard of Gigleswicke at the discretion of my excecatrix hereafter named And as to the temporall estate wherewith it hath pleased God to blesse mee I give and dispose as followeth (That is to say) First my Will and minde is that Margaret my now wife shall have all my reall estate, as alsoe my estate or estates which are chattell reall lying and being att Settle Earbie and Hallfield untill such time as John my eldest Sonne shall attayne the age of twenty one yeares for and towards her maintenance and for and towards the maintenance and education of all my children Item it is my will and minde that my excecatrix hereafter named shall educate and bring upp my said Sonne John at School till hee shall bee thought fitting to send to the Colledge And then at her owne charge till hee attayne twenty one years of age to bee preferred either by trade or otherwise as my trustees hereafter named shall thinke most requisite and Convenient for his preferment Item, my will and minde is That in case Elizabeth Hargreaves my mother shall depart this life before my said Sonne John shall attayne the said age of twenty one years then my said wife to have the Fowerteene pounds ~~~~~ yearly rent issuing and payable out of the tenement cald Hallfield till my said Sonne John attayne the said age of twenty one years for and towards her maintenance & the maintenance & education of my (*chil*)dren aforesaid, and after my said Sonne John shall attayne the age of twenty one years Then my will & minde is that hee shall enter unto one Moiety of all my messuages lands rents & tenemts wheresoever the same bee And my said wife to have the other moiety thereof during her naturall life And after her Decease then my said Sonne John to have all my Messuages rents lands and tenemts, Item I give to my eldest daughter Elizabeth the sume of Fower scoore pounds to bee payd her when shee attayns the age of twenty years, Item I give to my daughter Margaret the sume of Fower scoore pounds to bee payd her when shee attaynes the age of twenty years Item I give unto my daughter Jane the sume of Fower scoore pounds to bee payd her when shee attayns the age of twenty years, And if it shall happen that any my said daughter or daughters depart this life before they atayne the said age or ages of twenty years severally Then my will and minde is that her or theyr porcon or portions soe dying shall goe to such daughter or daughters as shall be then living Item my Will & minde is that my said wife shall within the Space of two years next after my decease give sufficient Security to Thomas Hargreaves my deare brother & Roger Crumbleholme my father in Law gentl (whome I nominate & request to bee trustees to see this my lat Will & testament duely & truly performed) for the payment of the three Severall fower scoore pounds to my said daughters as aforesaid Item it is my will and minde that my excecatrix^{Jur} hereafter

named shall pay all my debts Legacys & funerall expences out of my personall estate and which are not herein & hereby disposed of before I give to my said wife whome I nominate & appoynt Sole excecatrix of this my last will & testament In wittnesse whereof to this my last Will and testament I have hereunto sett my hand & seale the day & year first above written

Seal'd sign'd & published
in the prence of us
R: Preston^{Jur}
Wijj Paley^{Jur}
John Waidson
Jo Richardson^{Jur}

John Hargreaves

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Inpr ^s his aparrell rideing furniture and money in prs	10	0	0
A ston'd colt & gelding	6	13	4
2 Kine	6	0	0
Hay	1	0	0
2 Carts 2 pr of wheeles & geare to ye same	0	15	0
Turfes	0	5	0
A dishboard & oth ^r Huslemt in ye stable	0	3	6
A wheele barrow	0	0	9
A Swine	0	17	0
A brewing pan & Cooler & other goods in brewho ^l se	1	0	0

In the uppermost Chamber

A feather bed boulsters & bedding to ye same	1	15	0
2 tables A chaire & stoole	0	14	0
A box A pr silke curtains & valence & jug & w ^t slaite	0	6	8

In the next Chamber

2 pr of bedstocks hanging on ye foreside & beding on same 2 8 4

In the other up(er)most Chamber

One other bed & beding & long table	2	0	0
2 Chists 1 Arke & meale & 1 pr of Trundle bedstocks	2	10	0
2 Load Sadles 1 Cart Sadle hayms & barkham	0	4	6

In the Chamber over ye house

1 pr of bedstocks 1 litell table Almory Cupoards) with a drawer & 1 chaire)	1	11	0
1 Coatch chaire 2 stooles & Coving 1 feather bed two) bolsters bedding & hangings abt ye same)	2	2	0
2 doz trenchers whte plaite & othr things upon ye Cuboard	0	5	0

In the Parlor Chamber

1 Round table 5 chaires seated 1 stoole Coverd)			
& a Close stoole)	1	12	4
1 Side table plaits & glasses & other things on it	0	5	6
1 large seeing glasse 1 glasecase 1 pr of tongs 2 Carpets	0	12	6

In the Parlor

One payre of bedstocks 1 trundle bed	0	15	0
6 Chairs seated & a wanded chaire at 2s 6d per piece	0	17	6
1 feather bed 1 flock bed 1 pr of curtains valence)			
? rug & oth ^r beding to one of ye beds)	3	0	0
1 round table & carpet	0	8	0
1 Livery or side table pots & cause(?) A looking)			
glasse & othr things on it ye Livery Cloaths)	0	10	0
26 Lea of yarne	0	2	0

In Celler & Milkehouse

2 Hogsheads 4 barrels	0	9	0
1 large pann	0	13	4
1 voyder & large bason	0	1	0
1 Gilefat 1 Knead tub & Knopp	0	8	0

In the buttery

1 large bottle 1 Chesfatt pots shelves a littell Gimbling	0	12	0
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In the bodystead

One Cuboard	1	3	4
One Clocke and case	1	3	4
12 large pewther dishes	1	10	0
16 plaits	0	8	0
2 flagons 3 Candlestickes 1 posit Cup 1 pewtr)			
Tankard 12 poringers 1 botle 3 salts)	0	15	0
3 Chambr potts	0	2	6
1 warming pann	0	4	0
Tinnware	0	2	0
1 Iron dripping pann spit & racks one)			
brasse chafeing dish 1 fire shovell 2 brasse)	0	9	0
ladels & othr things upon ye wall)			
1 Silver Tankard 3 spoones 18δ at 4s 6d per δ	4	1	0
1 doz pewtr spoones	0	1	0
1 brasse Candlesticke & othr things	0	2	0
7 Chaires 1 table & forme 1 Cradle	0	15	0
beife x s Iron things abt ye fyre 7 s	0	17	0
5 panns & 1 brasse pot	0	13	4
1 Cow at Swinden	2	10	0

A blind bald Gelding	0	5	0
morter & pestell 2 stoole & 1 littell table	0	7	10

Lining

1 doz of F: Hugaback napkins & 1 tablecloth	0	11	0
14 Napkins	0	4	8
3 payre Ling sheets	1	4	0
2 pillow bears	0	1	6
2 tablecloths	0	5	0
1 Long hugabacke table cloth 3 towels &) one pillow beare)	0	7	0
4 payre of Canvas sheets	0	14	0
4 Towells & 1 Canvas tablecloth	0	2	6
9 yards of new cloth	0	6	6
2 shelves & other huslemt	0	2	6

good debts due to the Dec'd	171	19	11
Desperate debts	21	3	0
Debts owing by the Dcd besides legacys	464	14	0

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December the 9th 1686 (1)

An inventory & apprizement made of the shopp goods & chattells of John Hargreaves of Settle late deceased.

	l	s	d
In pr ^s 1 piece of broad yd cloth 17 yds) at 4s 6d per yd)	3	16	0
7 yds $\frac{3}{4}$ Kentish cloth at 9s per yd	3	9	9
6 yds $\frac{3}{4}$ Span cloth at 11s per yd	3	14	3
7 yd of F: Kent cloth at 10s 6d per yd	3	13	6
8 yd $\frac{1}{4}$ gray Kent cloth at 8s 6d	3	10	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
4 yd $\frac{3}{4}$ of F brocloth 10s per yd	2	7	6
2 yd $\frac{3}{4}$ of bl bro yor cloth at 4s 6d	0	12	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
8 yd $\frac{1}{4}$ bd Span Cloth 11s per yd	4	10	9
2 yd Kent cloth at 10s per yd	1	0	0
2 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ of yor bro cloth at 8s per yd	1	0	0
2 yd broadcloth in remnts 6s per yd	0	12	0
2 yd of rem Kent cloth at 8s per yd	0	16	0

Kearsayes

x yd $\frac{3}{4}$ of gd Ks at 3s 8d	1	19	5
A whole peice of K:s 20 yd at 3s 9d	3	15	0
3(?8) yd $\frac{1}{4}$ gray K:s at 3s 6d	1	8	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
15 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ mixt K:s 3s 1d	2	7	9 $\frac{1}{2}$

9 yd bl K:s at 3s 2d	1 8 6
4 yd ½ gray K:s at 3s 4d	0 15 0
1 yd ¾ K:s at 2s 9d	0 4 9½
12 yd ½ K:s at 2s 6d	1 11 3
9 yd ½ at 2s 9d	1 06 1½
7 yd ½ Ks 2s 10d per yd	1 1 3
12 yd ¾ Ks 2s 4d	1 9 9
18 yd Ks at 2s 8d	2 8 0
10 yd 3qr at 2s yd	1 9 7¼
3 yd ¾ of F Ks at 4s per yd	0 15 0
4 yd ¾ Ks at 3s 6d	0 16 6½
2 yd ¾ of Ks at 2s 9d per yd	0 7 0¾
10 yd Ks in rem at 3s per yd	1 10 0
8 yd more in rem at 3s per yd	1 4 0
26 yd ¾ of halfe thicke at 17d per yd	1 17 10¾
6 yd ½ red at 2s 1d per yd	0 13 6½
24 yd more red at 16d per yd	1 12 0
31 yd more at 14d per yd	1 16 2
17 yd ½ sad colord at 12d per yd	0 17 6
2 yd ½ rem at 14d per yd	0 2 11
8 yd yelow at 14d	0 9 4
2 yd ¼ of thick Ks at 16d	0 3 0
4 yd of Frize at 2s 2d	0 8 8
11 yd of purple shagg at 18d per yd	0 16 6

Baise

8 yd Colourd at 12d per yd	0 8 0
23 yd wt burying at 7d	0 13 5
22 yd of playne at 15d per yd	1 17 6
1 reame 8 qrs of Cap paper at 4s per rem	0 5 6
5 basills at 5d per peice	0 2 1

Mild Serge

A piece 10 yd at 2s 9d per yd	1 7 6
13 yd ¼ more of Serge at 2s 9d	1 16 5¼
a whole piece of Mild serge (<i>at</i>) 2li 10s	2 10 0
10 yd ½ more at 2s 6d	1 6 3
4 yd ¼ in rem Sea: at 2s 6d per yd	0 10 7½
14 yd ¾ of cloth searge at 2s 4d	1 14 5

Searges

A whole piece of Dutch Serge	3 10 0
21 yd more of cloth colourd Serge at 2s 8d	2 16 0
21 yd br seage at 2s 6d	2 12 6
6 yd Shalloune at 2s 6d	0 15 0
8 yd ¼ Padua at 2s 7 per yd	1 1 3½

3 yd ½ more serge at 2s 8d	0 9 4
13 yd ¼ of Padua S: in rem 2s 4d	1 10 11
20 yd ½ Padua S: blew at 2s per yd	2 1 0
10 yd bl Padua at 2s 6d per yd is	1 5 0

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(2)	li s d
14yd ½ bd dito at 2s per yd	1 9 0
9 yd ½ more bd at 2s per yd	0 19 0
15 yd of pad at 2s per yd	1 10 0
12 yd ¼ Shaloune at 22d per yd	1 2 5½
7 yd ½ Semp at 18d per yd	0 11 3
6 yd ½ Shaloune at 19d	0 10 6
12 yd ½ dit at 21d	1 1 11¾
20 yd of Ash colourd dit at 20d	1 13 4
14 yd more Shaloune at 20d per yd	1 3 4
8 yd ½ in rem dit 20d per yd	0 14 2
A whole piece of Padua Ash colourd 32s	1 12 0
A mixt Tanton Serge whole	1 15 0
another piece dito whole	1 16 0
A whole peice ditto at	1 13 0
A piece of Satanesco 32s	1 12 0
12 yd mixt Serge at 22d per yd	1 2 0
3 yd ¾ tanton at 2s 2d per yd	0 8 1½
7 yd ½ dito at 20d per yd	0 12 6
6 yds ½ dito in rem at 2s per yd	0 13 0
10 yds ½ dito at 2s 2d per yd	1 2 9
13 yd Tanton at 2s 4d per yd	1 11 6
13 yd more Ash colord at 2s per yd	1 7 0
12 yd dito 2s 3d per yd	1 7 0
11 yd ¼ dit 2s per yd	1 2 6
4 yd ¾ mixt Shaloune serge at 2s 2d	0 10 3
13 yd ¼ dit at 21d per yd	1 3 2
7 yd dito at 21d per yd	0 12 3
5 yds mixt Tanton at 3s 4d per yd	0 16 8
3 yd ¾ body Serge at 3s 4d per yd	0 12 6

Paragons

A whole piece bd 34s	1 14 0
19 yd par at 16d per yd	1 5 4
15 yd more in a piece at 16d per yd	1 0 0
54 yd ¼ of Colourd par at 16d per yd	3 12 0
35 yd bodie par at 22d per yd	3 4 7½

Damaselleys

2 whole pieces of bd at 34s a piece	3	8	0
5 yd $\frac{3}{4}$ in rem at 14d per yd	0	6	8 $\frac{1}{2}$
14 yd $\frac{3}{4}$ of Damasella at 14d	0	17	2 $\frac{1}{2}$

Haire Camlets

3 peices qt(?) 68 yd $\frac{1}{4}$ at 4 s per yd	13	13	0
15 yd in rem dito at 3s per yd	2	5	0

Broad Say

11 yd broad say at 22d per yd	1	0	2
A piece of Mixt Dalamoore at 36s	1	16	0

Tamie

One piece of bd Tamie at 5li 10s	5	10	0
43 yd haire barratine at 2s per yd	4	6	0
48 yd bd Crepe 20 yd more at 12d per yd	3	8	0
30 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ bd baratine at 2s per yd	3	1	0
25 yd Colord haire barratine 2s per yd	2	10	0
25 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ Silke pruned at 4s 8d per yd	5	19	0
9 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ flowred Satan at 5s per yd	2	7	6
3 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ more of Flowred Satan at 5s	0	17	6
3 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ more at 4s 6d per yd	0	15	9
1 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ more at 5s	0	7	6
8 yd haire barratine at 18d per yd	0	12	0
3 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ Fishscale at 18d	0	5	3
9 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ Turkie Tamie at 2s 4d per yd	1	2	2
17 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ shagg at 3s 8d per yd	3	4	2
A piece of F:bd prunela at 47s 8d	2	7	8
17 yd $\frac{1}{4}$ of Satinesco at 2s 2d per yd	1	17	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
59 yd of Dalamoore at 18d per yd	4	8	6
A piece of Mix Dal at 38s	1	18	0
more 72 yd dito at 18d per yd	5	8	0

Camlets

Single Camlets in all 102 yd at 10d per yd	5	2	6
double Camlitts 63 yd at 17d per yd	4	9	3
182 yd $\frac{3}{4}$ of worset grapes at 8d per yd	6	1	10
A whole piece of Silke Crape	1	0	0
A piece of Mixt prunella	1	16	0
37 yd of Silke Crape at 10d per yd	1	10	10
34 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ Barranet at 16d per yd	2	6	0
17 yd $\frac{1}{2}$ of Silke Keye at 16d per yd	1	13	4
6 yd F Serge de Minit at 3s 9d per yd	1	2	6
A whole peice of Sad print Tamie	1	5	0

21 yd more dito at 12d per yd	1	1	0
2 whole pieces of double camlets at 56s per peice	5	12	0

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	(3)		
	li	s	d
20 yd of printed Woolsay at 79 d per yd	1	3	4
¾ of SwanSkin 16d	0	1	4
3 yd ¾ of bd Satan ab velvet at 14s per yd	2	12	6
14 yd Silky Farantine at 6s per yd	4	4	0
1 piece wt Fustian at 18s	0	18	0
39 yd ½ more wt Fustian at 7d ½d per yd	1	4	7½
23 yd ¼ of Barmillion at 9d per yd	0	17	5
13 yd ½ wt Calico at 8d ½	0	9	6½
12 yd tufted fustian at 8d per yd	0	8	0
38 yd Cul Calico at 10d per yd	1	11	8
13 yd wt Buckeram at 6d ½ per yd	0	7	1½
9 yd ½ culerd Buckeram at 4d ½ per yd	0	3	6¾
¾ of Lincloth	0	0	6
4 yd Sacking at 10d per yd	0	3	4
5 payre of worset Stockings at 3s 4d	0	16	8
14 li of bl & br thred at 20d per li	1	3	4
7 li 1 δ whited br thred at 2s 6d per li	0	19	0
1 li of wht thred at 20d	0	1	8
3 li ¾ Coul thred 2s 3d per li	0	8	6
1 li 3 δ pinck colourd at 3s 6d per li	0	4	1½
3 li ½ small Clasps & keepers at 9d per li	0	2	7½
2 li wht bro thred at 2s 6d per li	0	5	0
3 papers ½ Filiting at 2s 2d per paper	0	7	7
3 ps of Inckle at 6d per ps	0	1	6
5 doz & 8 yd of Gimps & worst lace at 8d per doz	0	3	9½
5 yd ½ broad Gimp at 5d	0	2	3½
7 yd of bl Gimp broad at 3d	0	1	9
16 stomagers at 7d per piece	0	9	4
1 li of small light colourd silke at 16s	0	16	0
2 of Colourd silke at 14s	1	8	0
A bag of bl buts 3 grs at 4s 6d per grs	0	13	6
A bag of Coate buts 2 grs at 4s per grs	0	8	0
1 other bagg of Silke followers 2 grs at 4s 4d	0	8	8
1 other bagg of Coates 2 grs at 4s per grs	0	8	0
1 other bag 2 grs at 4s 6d per grs	0	9	0
1 othr bagg 2 grs at 2s 6d per grs	0	5	0
5 grs haire buts peackhead at 2s 10d per grs	0	14	2
2 grs brests haire 10d per grs	0	2	8
17 grs gimp Coates at 12d per grs	0	17	0
4 grs of brest gimpe at 10d per grs	0	3	4
2 grs silke Coats At 3s 6d per doz(sic)	0	7	0

5 grs silke ord Coats at 2s 6d per grs	0 12 6
6 grs more dit 2s 6d per grs	0 15 0
4 grs silke Coats at 4s per grs	0 16 0
2 grs wastcoate buts at at (<i>sic</i>) 8d per grs	0 1 4
5 grs silke brests at 16d per grs	0 6 8
5 grs ord silke Coats at 2s per grs	0 10 0

Ribings

7 ps ½ of 8d tafity at 8s 6d per grs(<i>sic</i>)	3 3 9
5 ps of 6d broad tafity at 5s per piece	1 5 0
3 ps 6d tafity at 7s per piece	1 1 0
10 ps smal tafity at 4s per piece	2 0 0
3 ps brd 8d tafity at 12s per ps	1 16 0
Satan Ribing 3 ods all 10s	0 10 0
15 doz of Silke gal at 16d per doz	1 0 0
4 doz ½ of ord gal at 6d per doz	0 2 3
od Silke 8d	0 0 8
3 ps of Loupe lace at 2s 6d per piece	0 7 6
11 ps of nar ferrit at 3s per piece	1 13 0
7 ps brd ferrit at 4s per piece	1 8 0
8 li ¾ of Fringe & worstit at 3s 4d per li	1 9 2
5 hatts at 4s a hat	1 0 0
2 more at 21d per piece	0 3 6
11 yd of Taby at 3s 7d per yd	1 19 5
4 yd ½ brd stript silke at 3s per yd	0 13 6
1 yd bd shagg at 3s	0 3 0
19 yd ½ Silver & gold lace at 16d per yd	1 6 0
17 more of gould lace at 16d per yd	1 2 8
21 yds dito at 14d ½ per yd	1 5 4
4 δ of Silver twist rems at 3s per δ	0 12 0
5 doz 4 li ¾ whalebone at	1 13 11
8 li more ord bone at 4d per li	0 2 8
2 payre of Scales & weights 4s	0 4 0
Chists boards planks nest of boxes Frames)	
in the window & boxes or boards abt & in the)	5 2 3
shopp)	

On the other side ye Appzmt & Inventory of cattells chatells utensills & goods within & about ye late dwelling house of ye sd John Hargreaves made 10th of Decembr (86) by Leonard Carr William Taylor W^m Paley & W^m Preston

JOHN HARGRAVES 1691 ADMIN Ref. Borthwick.York. Oct.1693
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MARCH 27.1695

An Inventory of the goods & chattells of John Hargraves of Settle deceased not
administred to by Margarett his widow & relict, addiconall to that preferr'd Sber 14.
1691

	£	s	d
One Cottage in Settle apprizd at	100	00	00

By us
Wm. Salsbury
John Wildman
Leo Bolland
Robt. Bond

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Ext. 25 Janui. 95

Thomas Hargreaves 1686/7 Settle gent. Borthwick YAS vol 89 appx 4 Vacancy Register mf 901 May 1687

In the name of God Amen the Fowerteenth day of February in the year of our Lord One thousand six hundred eightie six I Thomas Hargreaves of Settle in the County of yorke gentleman being somewhat infirme in body but of good and perfect memory praised bee God for the same Doe make and ordayne this my last Will and testament in maner and forme following hereby revoking all former Will and wills by mee made (That is to say) First and principally I comend and comitt my soule into the mercifull hands of Almighty God my maker assuredly trusting that through the merrits of my Saviour Jesus Christ my sinns shall bee forgiven and that my Soule shall bee made partaker of everlasting happinesse in the Kingdome of heaven, and my body to bee buried in the parish Church or Churchyard of Gigeswicke at the discretion of my friends and trustees hereafter named And as to the temporall estate with which it hath pleased God to blesse mee I give and dispose as followeth And first my will and minde is that my just debts Legacys and funerall expences bee payd out of my whole estate; Item I give unto Elizabeth Hargreaves my mother thirty pounds, and twenty shillings more to by her a ring And to my brother Henry Wiglesworth Thirty pounds And whereas I have an estate at Carleton in nature of a mortgage for the payment of two hundred pounds, my will and minde is that my trustees hereafter named or any two of them shall sett and lett the same to the best advantage they can, as alsoe receive the debts due to mee for the use of my executors and pay funerall expences debts and Legacys out of the same and give an account thereof to my executors when they shall attayne theyr severall ages of twenty one years, Item I give and bequeath to John Hargreaves my nephew one moiety of the said estate at Carleton or one hundred pounds to bee payd him out of the money that shall bee payd for the redemption of the same if reddemd with Lawfull interest for the same when hee attayne the age of twenty one years or soe much as the cleare yearly profitts of a moiety of the said estate will extend unto, Item I give unto Elizabeth Margaret and Jane Hargreaves my neeces the other moiety of the said estate at Carleton equally amongst them or one hundred pounds to bee payd them out of the money that shall be payd for the redemption of the same with Lawfull Interest for the same, when they attayne theyr severall ages of twenty one years or soe much as the cleare yerly profitts of a moiety of the said estate will extend unto. Item I give unto Christopher dawson(?) gen my said brother Henry Wiglesworth Richard Ellershaw Clarke and Richard Preston of Settle gents twenty five(?) shillings a piece to buy them Rings & gloves whome I nominate appoynt and desire to bee trustees to see this my Last will and testament duely and truly performed Item my will & minde is that my said trustees shall have all theyr necessary charges and expences allowd out of the Interest or meane profitts of all my estate Item I give unto my sister Margaret five pounds to buy her a gowne and a Ring, And to Roger Crumbleholme twenty shillings to buy him a ring, Item my will and minde is that if it shall happen that either the said John Hargreaves my nephew or the said Elizabeth Margaret or Jane Hargreaves my neeces shall depart this life before they attayne theyr severall ages of twenty one years that then the Legacy or Legacys of them or any of them soe dying shall goe to such of them as shall bee living equally amongst them, Item my will & minde is that my nephew John Hargreaves shall have out of my bookes such as may bee Convenient for him whilst hee learns att schoole & as to the rest of my bookes to

bee apprized, & my will and minde is that my said brother Wiglesworth shall have the choice thereof till hee have taken as many as will come to halfe the valew of the apprizement And the other halfe thereof I give to Richard Ellershaw Clerke and Richard Carr Clerke equally betwixt them, Item I give unto Robert Carr of Settle and the said Richard Carr Clerke twenty shillings a piece Item I give and bequeath unto the said John Hargreaves Elizabeth Margaret and Jane Hargreaves all the rest of my estate not herein and hereby disposed of whome I name Constitute & appoynt joynt executors of this my last will and testment In wittnesse whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seale the day and year first above written

Thomas Hargraves

Sealed Sign(e)d & published
in the presence of us

Wm^{...} Paley
... Richardson
I (?) Richardson^{jurat}

Gigleswick modern spelling

ANTHONY HARRISON 1676 Ref. Borthwick.York. vol.58 fol.588
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In the name of God Amen I Anthony Harrison of Giggleswicke in the county of yorke Chapman being sicke in body but of perfect memory blessed be God doe make this my last will and testament in all manner and forme following that is to say First I bequeath my soule into the hands of god allmightie hoping that at the hands of god almighty hoping that in the merritts of Christ to sustaine..... of my And for my Temporall Estate I Comitt my body to the earth from whence it Came to be buried at the discretion of my wife Mary Harrison and for my goods my Funerall expenses and debts being paid I give unto my Children (twenty pounds?)a peece and I make my wife Mary Harrison sole executrix of this my last will and Testament and hereunto I have sett my hand the seaventeenth day of February in the year of Our Lord god 1676 Anthony Harrison his marke witnesses hereof..(*names obliterated*)

Giggleswick modern spelling

GEORGE HARRISON 1690 ADMIN Ref.BorthwickYork. Bundle April 1690
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An Aprizmt. made of ye Goods & Chattells late George Harrisons of Settle Decd by
us whose names are hereunto subscribed this seaventh day of Aprill Ano Dom 1690

One Cottage or dwelling house pte of A garden with their Appurtnts
The sume is li 8: 0 : 0

John Kidd
Thomas Carr
John Skirrow
Jno. Richardson

Harrison Jennett Langcliffe 1626 v42 f167

In the name of god Amen The twentyth of March One Thousand six hundreth twenty five I Jennett Harrison of Langcliffe beinge in good and perfect memory, god be prayed therefore, yet sicke and weake of body doe make this my last will and testament in manner following: First I Commend my soule to god and my body to be buried within the Churchyard of Giggleswicke. Item I give and bequeath unto Alice my daughter all my leases of my grounds and Especially one lease of ground called Tentall also all my houses and gardens thereunto belonging and also one Croft lying upon the East side of the house and one Close in the Lyes called Browe These severall parcells I had demised from my brother James Iveson for good Consideration which lease beareth date the Fowerth of April One thousand six hundreth twenty two sealed and delivered in the presence of Thomas Carr, John Carr and William Carr. Item I give unto Alice my daughter all my debtes and all my goods moveable and unmoveable of what kind or nature soever and all rights which is due to mee or may growe unto me when all my debtes and funerall Expenses bee discharged. And I had one lease which my brother James hath gotten from me that I had of him and I wish my Executor to Call for it againe by all lawfull meanes and I doe thinke when my brother commes upon his oath hee will confesse both the sealinge and Conveyinge of it from me, Also it is my mind that my Executor shall pay and discharge out of my land unto my daughter Alice all such portion of goods as shall and may growe dew by my husbands will which I myselfe stand Charged with as Executor of the same. And then all the remainder of my sayd goods I give to my sayd daughter. And I appoint and make William Carr^{jur} my Executor and I give the Tuition of my Child unto my Executor William Carr. Witnesses of this Will Richard \jur/ Lawson Margaret Iveson Thomas \jur/ Payley

Giggleswick modern spelling

Baptised Jan 1590 dau of William Iveson
Married Robert Harrison June 1620 (incorrectly recorded as Elizabeth)
Buried 1st April 1626

Alice dau of Robert Harrison bapt 29.7.1621

Robert her husband buried 1622

Brother James bapt 28.8.1576
Sister Margaret (witness) bapt 20.5.1580

John Harrison 1616 Borthwick v34 f485

In the name of god amen the two and twentieth day of December 1616 I John Harrison of Settle sick in body but of good and perfect remembrance praised be god do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following. First I commend my soul into the hands of almighty god my maker and redeemer and my body to be buried in the church yard of the parish church of Giggleswick at the sight of my wife and other my friends. Item my will and mind is and I give unto Elizabeth my wife all my goods movable and immovable when my debts and funeral expenses is discharged and I appoint Elizabeth my wife whole executor of this my last will and testament. Witnesses hereof Anthony Prockter James Armetsteade Roger Armetstead and Henry Lupton.

Settell

Guygleswicke

JOHN HARRISON 1682 Ref.Borthwick.York. vol. 59 fol. 350
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In the name of God Amen the fift day of August Anno Dni 1682 I John Harrison of Lower Paley Greene in meweth in the parrish of Gigleswicke in the County of yorke yeoman being infirme in body but of good and perfect memory praised be God doe make and ordaine this my last will and testament in manner and forme Following hereby revoakeing and makeing voyd all other wills by me formerly made; And First I doe Commit and resigne my soule into the handes of Almighty God my maker and Creator hoping assuredly by the merrits and mediation of Jesus Christ my Redeemer to have free pardon and full remission of all my sinnes; And my body to the earth to be buried in the parrish Church of Gigleswicke at the discretion of my wife and freinds; Next I will that my debt and funerall expenses be paide out of my whole goodes; And for my worldly goodes and temporall estate I dispose hereof as Followeth; First my will and minde is that my wife shall have a third parte of all my goodes and a third parte of all my grounds and houses thereto belonging during her naturall life And if my wife have a child by me and it be a sonne my will and minde is that he shall have the other two partes of all my houses and grounds at Paley Greene And the other third parte at the decease of my wife if he live till he come to the age of twenty one yeares but if he dye before he come to the age of one and twenty yeares then my will and minde is that Robert Harrison sonne of Edward Harrison of Lythe..... shall have all my houses and ground at Payley Greene and enter to two partes att my decease and the other third parte at the decease of my wife he paying and discharging such sume or sumes of money as shall be charged thereupon (viz) if my wife shall have a daughter then my will and mind is that he shall pay or cause to be paide towards the mainetaineing of her the sume of three poundes in the yeare; And if she come to the age of twenty one yeares then my will and minde is that he shall pay to her the sume of one hundred poundes or for want of payment of one hundreth poundes to enter to the one halfe of all my houses and grounds at Paley Greene; And if my wife have neither sonne nor daughter by me then I will that the said Robert Harrison shall pay (five) poundes a peece to the rest of his broder and sisters as they shall come to the age of twenty one yeares And as for my houses and ground at (Craineridge) I give them to Robert Watkinson sonne of Thomas Watkinson of Gigleswicke to enter to two partes at my decease; And the other third parte at the decease of my wife he paying to his sister Anne Watkinson the sume of tenn poundes when she shall come to the age of twenty one yeares; Item I give unto my sister Isabell Scott forty shillings and to her sonne and daughter tenn poundes apiece to be paide by my Executors when they shall come to the age of twenty one yeares; Item I give unto Margaret Stackhouse my servant made seven poundes; Item I give unto Matthew Watkinson one pound; Item I give unto Robert Harrison sonne of Edward Harrison one pound; Item I give unto John Banks and William Wilson my Godsonne five shillings a peece Lastly my will and minde is that if my wife have a sonne by me she shall have the occupation of the other two partes of my houses and grounds att Paley Greene paying unto my brother Edwards children or to their father five poundes in the yeare to my sonne come to the age of fifteene yeares; And then my will is that he shall enter to the two partes and take the profit thereof; And the other two partes of all my money and goods which I have oweing I give unto Thomas Watkinson; And I doe make nominate and appointe him the said Thomas Watkinson sole Executor of this my last will and testament; In Witness hereof I have set my hand and seale the day and yeare First above written John Harrison his marke sealed and published in the

presence of us wich I give enterlined Thomas Wilson Margaret Stackhouse her marke
Thomas Carr

One line Latin

Giggleswick modern spelling

RICHARD HARRISON Nov.17. 1658 Ref.Borthwick. Vol.43 fol.390
Transcribed by S.Gordon

In the name of God amen I Richard Harrison of Settell being weak and sick of body yet in good and perfect memory praised be to God for the same, I do now bequeath my soul to God that now is and my body to be buried at the discretion of my wife and the rest of my children and friends And secondly I do give unto my children as followeth hereafter First I do give unto my two eldest daughters Isabell Harrison and Margaret Harrison either of them fifteen pounds a piece to be paid unto them two years after my decease Item I give likewise unto there..... (grandaughters) Ann Elizabeth and Francis Harrison every one of them fifteen pounds a piece to be paid unto them as they come to the age of twenty one years Item I give also to my two sons John Harrison and Stephen Harrison either of them twenty pounds a piece to be paid unto them at the age of twenty one years And if it happen that any of my children die before they come to the age of twenty one years that then their portion to be equally divided amongst the rest And my funeral expenses and the clothes belonging to be paid out of the whole And I do put my wife Elizabeth Harrison and my son John Harrison to be my executors of this my last will and testament And to this my last will I have set my handsof us whose names are hereunto (witness) Richard Harrison his mark John Carr. Tho.Carr his mark. Arthur Iveson

Settle modern spelling

Robert Harrison 1621 / 2 Borthwick vol 36 fol 705

Memorandum that upon the fower and twentieth day of ffebruary in the yeare of our Lord god one thousand sixe hundreth twenty one Robert Harrison late of Langcliffe in the parish of gicleswicke within the dioces of yorke did make and declare his last will and testament nuncupative as followeth first haveing comended his Soule to god and his body to christian buriall in hope of ioyfull resurection to eternall life then for his goods especiallie his tenement he did give so much of it to Jennet his wife during her widowhoad as by lawe should be due unto her and after-wards wholly to Redound and Come to Allice his daughter And for the rest of his goods he willed should be devidid betwene Jennet his wife and Alice his daughter and he made the said Jennett his wife sole Executor of this his last will and testament These be my witnesses John Stackhowse and John Claphamson

Latin text

Thomas Harrison of Lower Paley Green 1675
Borthwick vol 57 fol 560

In the Name of God Amen The Twenty nint day of May Anno Dom 1675 I Thomas Harrison of Lower paley Greene in Mewith with in the parish of Gigleswicke in the County of yorke yeoman being informe (*sic*) in body yet never the Lesse of Goode and perfect memory prayed be god for the same doe make and ordaine this my Last Will and Testament in Manner and forme following hearby Revokeinge and makeinge voyde all other wills by me made and principlly I doe Comitt and Resigne my soule in to the handes of allmighty god my maker and Creator hoping assuredly by the merrits and medicon of Jesus Christ my Redeemer to have full and free Remission and pardon of all my sinnes and I Commit my body to the Earth to be buried with in the parish Church of Gigleswick att the discretion of my frends next I will that my debts and funerall Expences be first paid and discharged out of all my whole goods and for the Residue and Remainder of my worldly goods and temporall Estate I dispose there of as Followeth First I give and bequeath unto John Harrison sonne of Robert Harrison Late of pythornes and to her (*sic*) heires administrators and assignes all my cottage Lands Tenements Leases and all other houses barns and buildings therunto belonging with all and Every there appurtenances situate Lying and beinge att Lower paley greene aforesaid and all my houses and grounds att Tipperthwaite in the Townshippe of Gigleswicke aforesaid and all woods and under woods thereunto belonginge with all their appurtenances beinge formerly parte of Roger Wilson Tenement which I purchased of John Aireton and also I give and bequeath unto the said John Harrison all those Closes or inclosures Comonly Called Stackhouse Close and holme and Kilne Close all which weare parte of Mr Shutts Tenement formerly with all woods and underwoods standinge and growing thereon Item I give and bequeath unto the said John Harrison all those two Closes Called Brayshay Closes which I purchased of Richard Brayshay the Elder of Gigleswecke Item I give and bequeath unto the said John Harrison one other close called Crommerrigge or Cromorrigge one parte improved parte not improved which Close I purchased of William Brayshay also I give unto the aforesaid John Harrison one parcell of Common & turbary Lyinge on LawkeLand more and the same to be hadd and taken there amongst the rest of the Tenements after the Rate of three shillings Rent he the said John Harrison payinge therefore unto the Cheife Lord their of the Annuall rent of two pence and further I give unto the aforesaid John Harrison and to his Executors Administrators and assignes all my goods Cattells Chattells debts and personall Estate whatsoever hee the aforesaid John Harrison payinge and dischargeinge ... of the same the severall gifts and Legacies hereafter in these presents Mentioned viz. To Edward Harrison sonne of William Harrison the sume of four pounds which he oweth me by bond and the same bond to be delivered unto him. Item I give unto Stephen Harrison the sume of Eight pounds. Item I give unto Thomas Watkinson Six pounds. Item I give unto Edward Harrison sonne of Robert Harrison the sume of one pound Item I give unto Isabel Harrison his sister the sume of one pound. Item I give unto John Harrison sonne of William Harrison the sume six shillings and the foure pounds thirteene shillings fouer pence he oweth unto me Item I give unto John Harrison sonne of John Harrison the sume of Tenne shillings Item I give unto Hugh Stackhouse of the harte head the sume of Two pounds Item I give unto Susanna Renoldson my servant if shee be my servant at my death the sume of Eight pounds if she be not my servant the sume of seven pounds. Item I give unto Margaret Stackhouse my servant if she be my servant att my death or Else not the sume of one pound fouer shillings Item I give

unto Thomas Carr of Roomehouse the sume of six pounds Item I give unto Jane the wife of Richard Carr of Longrigge the sume of one pound. Item I give unto Ann Bentham of horton the sume of sixteene shillings Item I give unto Augustine Wray of Long Preston the sume of five shillings Item I give unto Margaret Wray daughter of the said Augustine one new Coverlet which was Last made one blankett on *(sic)* payre of sheets the one of them Linen and ye other camnes (?) one boulster of the midle sort Item I give unto Isabel Wray her sister one Redd petticoate Item I give unto Ann Wray there sister the Cloake which war *(sic)* my wives Item I give unto Margret Meadslay of Long Preston the sume of Twenty shillings and Lastly my will and minde is that all these legacies to be payed by my Executor hereafter named within Twelve Months after my decease and I will yt if any of the afforenamed Legatoryes do Refuse to give unto my said Executor a lawfull discharge upon the Receipt of his or her Legacy that then his or her parte so Refusinge to be utterly voyd and remaine to my Executor and the Residue and remainder of all my goods and Estate both Reall and personall I give unto my well beloved Nephew John Harrison sonne of Robert Harrison and I doe nominate and apointe the said John Harrison to be the Executor of this my Last will and Testament In wittnes whereof I have here unto set my hand and seale the day and yeare first above written Thomas Harrison his Marke Wittnesses hereof Hugh Stackhouse William Bankes Tho. Carr Thomas Watkinson his Marke

Lower Paley Green, Giggleswick modern spelling

Margreat Hartlaye (née Brayshaw) of Langcliffe 1638 Borthwick ref. May 1639 Craven

In the name of god Amen 15th. day of June 1638 I margreat hartlaye of Langcliffe widow sick in body but of perfect remembrance god be praised for the same do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following First and principally I give and bequeath my soul to almighty god my heavenly father and to Jesus Christ his only son by whose merits and precious blood-shedding I trust to be saved and my body to be buried in the parish church yard of giglesweeke at the discretion of my friends. And for my worldly goods first my mind is my debts to be paid of my whole goods Item my funeral expenses and church dues discharged my will and mind is that my brothers children that is to say my brother John and my brother Thomas Brayshaw children shall have every one of them equal share of all my goods and likewise my \sister/ in law Syble brayshay to have an equal share amongst them. And Richard Brayshaw^{jur} whom I ordain and appoint to be my executor of this my last will and testament to him I give £3 6s 8d for his pains taking about the execution hereof over and besides his share amongst the rest of the said children.

Witnesse hereof

Thomas Sowden,

Thomas Carr,

Thomas Paley,

Thomas Kydd^{jur}

marke

& sign

of margreat hartlaye

Langcliffe modern spelling

Giggleswick “ “

Robert Heaton of Settle 1635 Borthwick ref: July 1635 Craven

In the name of god Amen the 25th day of February AD 1635 I Robt Heaton of Settle within the parish of Giggleswicke and within the province of yorke singleman seeking the visitation of Almighty god yet never the less of good and perfect memory praised be him for the same do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following: first I commend my soul to Jesus Christ my only saviour and redeemer and through his death and passion I hope in him to be saved and my body to be buried in the parish church or church yard of Gigglesweeke shortly after my departure \out/ of this world wherein I now live.

Item I give unto my mother Issabell Luptonn £6 Item I give unto my sister Margret Lupton £10 Item I give unto Catherain Procter and Alice Procter either of them 20s to go forward to their use at the discretion of Leond Procter and Thomas Heatonn Item I give to my sister Ann £10 and one little chest Item I give to Thomas Walker 30s Item I \give/ unto my brother Thomas Heaton's children to Richard and Margret either of them 20s and all the rest of my goods movable and immovable I give them and part of them unto my brother Thomas Heaton he paying and discharging all my debts [and] legacies hereof made together with all other dues duties with funeral expenses and to bring honestly to the church according to my ability, hoping and faithfully desiring him to perform this my last will and testament whereof I make my said brother Thomas Heaton my whole executor according to the law.

Witnesses hereof

John Carr clerk
and Richard Harrisonn mke

Settle modern spelling

Giggleswick modern spelling

William Helles 1607 Borthwick v30 f456

In the name of god Amen the twentieth day of May AD 1607 I William Helles of the lordship and parish of Giggleswick in the diocese of York sick in body but of perfect remembrance praised be god almighty do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following First of all I commend and bequeath my soul unto the merciful hands of god almighty my maker, trusting and assuredly believing that my soul shall be saved not only by my merits and worldly passion but only through the death and blood shedding of my sweet saviour Christ Jesus and my sinful and corrupt body to be buried in the parish church yard of Giggleswick aforesaid.

Item I do make hereby Agnes my wife my sole executrix of this my last will and testament unto whom I do by this my will give and bequeath fully and freely all and singular my titles of lands or tenements whether I now hold them by lease or customary estate wheresoever they lie she paying and faithfully discharging all my debts and legacies as hereafter shall be mentioned, that is to say first unto Isabell Armitstead my sister in law the sum of three score and six pounds thirteen shillings and four pence at such time as she shall accomplish her age of 21 years. And also give unto her the said Isabell one great brown cow which I lately purchased of Henry Becrofte to be delivered unto her at the end of three years or fifty shillings of money at the discretion of my executrix.

Item I give and bequeath unto John Hellis my brother my worst cloak and all my workday clothes, my workday hats and candlestick and one charger doubler at my fathers.

Item I give unto my youngest brother Robert Hells my wedding apparel my sword and dagger my boots bridle saddle and all riding furniture. I give to my sister Suzo.?) two children either of them I give to my brother John's daughter ten shillings.

Item I give to every child which I (helped?) to give Christendom 6d. And also I give unto my father and mother as a token of my dutiful obedience either of them two shillings six pence. And I do make my brothers George Hells and John Hells, Richard Armetstead and John Lynsay supervisors of this my will and as assistants with my hartly prayers unto them for their aid towards my executrix in performing of this my last will.

Item my further will is that if it so fall out that neither my executrix nor her assigns do discharge my legacies Richard Armetstead and his sureties against the said Isabell Armitstead foring the child's portion and legacies before mentioned amounting in the whole sum of one hundred pounds nor that the said Isabell will be contented to accept the tenement aforesaid in lieu thereof that then my cousin Richard Armitstead shall have and hold the said tenement to the intent following viz to sell the same for as much as he can and to pay therewith the said sum of one hundred poundssaid Isabell. And the residue (if any be) unto my executrix or her assigns.

These being witness of my last will and testament Thomas Payley, John Lynsey the elder, Richard Armitstead, Roger Armetstead, Oliver Stackhouse, John Lawson & Thomas Eveson (?)

Gigleswicke Giglesweeke

William Hind 1625 Borthwick v40 f316

In the name of God Amen the ninth day of July in the year of our lord 1625 I William Hynd of Giggleswick in the county of York yeoman being of perfect health and memory god be praised yet knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the hour of death do nevertheless make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following revoking all former wills by me made.

First I commend my soul to the merciful hands of Jesus Christ my saviour and redeemer trusting through his merits and precious blood shedding to be made partaker of eternal bliss in heaven. And my body I commit to the earth from whence it came, to be buried within the parish church yard of Giggleswick aforesaid at the discretion of my loving wife, kinsfolks and friends.

And as concerning my worldly estate wherewith god has blessed me I will and dispose thereof as follows: first I will and devise that my debts funeral expenses mortuary and other dues and duties belonging and due to the church be first paid and satisfied out of my whole goods and chattels, and the residue and remainder thereof I give and bequeath to Elizabeth my wife, she the said Elizabeth paying such legacies as hereafter is mentioned bequeathed and set forth out of the same. Item I give and bequeath to the said Elizabeth my wife and her assigns my dwelling house wherein I now dwell, and my garth or garden and all other my houses, closes and grounds whatsoever in Giggleswick aforesaid with their appurtenances To have and to hold the said dwelling house garth or garden and all other the said closes and grounds with their appurtenances to the said Elizabeth and her assigns for and during the term of 3 score and one years if she so long live and after her decease or expiration of the said term whether as shall sooner happen then to and for the use of and behoof of such issue male or female as shall be by me begotten upon her body and believing at the time of her death for and during all such estate and estates as I have herein. And for want and default of such issue then to have and to hold all the said premises to the said Elizabeth my wife and to her heirs, executors, administrators and assigns that is to say so much and such part and parts her..... as are of my own freehold and inheritance to the only use and behoof of her the said Elizabeth and of her heirs and assigns for ever and all the residue and other parts thereof to and for the only use and behoof of her the said Elizabeth her executors, administrators and assigns for and during all such term and terms of years as I have therein by any lease or leases of six thousand years or otherwise from and under the right honourable Earl of Cumberland provided always and it is my will and mind that my said wife shall not sell ale or beer at any time or times hereafter during her life within my said dwelling house.

Item my will and mind is and I give and bequeath to Mr Shute for a sermon at my burial ten shillings.

Item my will and mind is that my wife shall bestow four pounds in charges of my funeral dinner. Item I give forty shillings to the poor to be distributed amongst them at my burial. Item I give to the ringers which shall ring at my burial six shillings eight pence. Item I give to Mr Henry Claphamson ten shillings. Item I give to Thomas Craven ten shillings. Item I give to Richard Hynd of Hanlith forty shillings. Item I give to Elizabeth Robinson my sister in law three pound, six shillings and eight pence. Item I give to William Lawson of Giggleswick ten shillings. Item I give to Thomas

Pailey son of William Pailey of Giggleswick ten shillings. Item to my godson Hugh Stackhouse ten shillings. Item I give to Roger Falthropp my godson twelve pence. Item I give to Thomas Howson my godson twelve pence. Item I give to William Chippingdale my godson twelve pence. Item I give to my goddaughter Joan Lyndsey the daughter of William Lyndsey twelve pence. Item (to?) Thomas Foster son of John Foster of Feildyeate my godson twelve pence.

Item my will and mind is that if Robert Cooksonn of Settle do pay or satisfy all such debts as he owes me at my death unto my executrix hereafter named at such days and times as the sums are due to be paid that he the said Robert shall have one years interest money forgiven him but not otherwise.

And I do constitute and appoint my said wife Elizabeth to be executrix of this my last will and testament and I do desire the said William Lawson to be my supervisor thereof and to aid and assist my said wife in the execution of the Executorship according to my will and mind. These being witnesses Robert Cookson, William Lawson, John Windsor, Henry Lawson and Thomas Walker

Giggleswicke
Hanleth
Setle

Francis Hirdson 1605 Borthwick v29 f690

In the name of god Amen the thirtieth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand six hundred and five I Francis Hirdson of Giggleswick in the county of York mercer sick in body but of good and perfect remembrance (god be praised) do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say first I commend my soul into the hands of almighty god hoping assuredly through the only merits of christ my saviour to be made partaker of life everlasting and I commend my body to the earth whereof it is made. Item I will that all such debts and duties as I owe of right or in conscience to any person or persons be well and truly contented and paid out of such leases and goods as I have and out of such debts as are owing to me which are the greatest part of my substance and will be a long time gathering up. therefore I hope and desire that my creditors will be contented to give some time for payment and I will that they be fully satisfied their due debts. Item whereas my brother Bryan Hirdson has long time been my servant and I hope will be aiding and assisting to my wife in selling of my wares in my shop at Settle and in collecting my debts justly and truly which without him will hardly be gotten. I do in consideration thereof and for the natural love I bear him give unto him the sum of forty pounds.

Item I give unto my brother Leonard Gibson his three children every of them ten shillings. I give to Hugh Preston forty shillings. Item I give to Bridget Preston and Kathryn Preston either of them ten shillings. Item I give and bequeath to Jane my daughter my lease and all my estate of and in my house in Giggleswick with all its appurtenances and all such lands, grounds, commons and appurtenances thereto belonging as I have in Giggleswick either taken in my own name or which I have bought and paid for and my assurances thereof not yet made or executed, to have and to hold to her and her assigns for and during such terms of years and estate or estates as I have or should have in them or any of them willing and desiring that the assurance hereafter to be had be taken at the discretion of my supervisors for the good of my children according to the true meaning of this my will.

Item I will that my said daughter Jane have and enter to my said house and grounds when she shall accomplish the age of twenty and one years or shall be married. In consideration whereof I will that she pay to her younger sister Margaret the sum of thirty pounds when she shall be married or shall accomplish the age of 21 years. And if my said daughter Jane do not pay the said sum of thirty pounds accordingly then my will is and I do give one full moiety of my said house and of all my other grounds and appurtenances in Giggleswick to Margaret my younger daughter and her assigns to have and enter thereto when she shall come to the age of twenty and one years or be married. And I will that my wife shall have the use, benefit and occupation of my said house and grounds in Giggleswick until my said daughters or the one of them shall enter thereunto at the time or times aforesaid (if she my said wife shall so long live). And for my other goods and chattels whatsoever my will is that my debts and funeral expenses being paid and performed and my wife having one third according to law and custom of the country and my children another third that then my legacies above limited be paid out of my part commonly called the deads part and the residue of the same my part I give to my said wife and children equally to be divided amongst them. And I will that my said wife shall have the custody and bringing up of my said daughters and to have allowance out of the increase of their portions for keeping of them at sight of my supervisors. And I will that she shall have one of their portions so that she first find security sufficient to be bound in the double value of the said

portion such as my supervisors shall take of for the payment of the said portion and the yearly interest or consideration thereof after the rate of fifteen pence for every pound. And I will that my brother Bryan shall have the moiety of the other portion upon like considerations.

And further my will and mind is that my said wife and my said brother Bryan or whosoever else as shall have the use and custody of my children's portions during their minorities according to this my will shall from time to time make and put in such security for the same and the increase thereof as my said supervisors shall think sufficient and if the(y) or any of them refuse or cannot put in such security then my will is that the said portions shall be letten out and disposed of for and during the minorities of my said children for and upon such security as my said supervisors and the survivors of them shall appraise and think sufficient from time to time.

Item my will is that my executors shall from time to time make account unto my supervisors for and touching the collection of my debts such as are due to me and for payment of such debts as I owe and for the settling of my children's portions when and as often as shall be required thereunto by them my said supervisors and the survivors of them.

And also my will is that my said daughters shall have their several portions when they shall accomplish their several ages of one and twenty years or within six months next after they be married. And if either of them die before she accomplish her full age of 21 years or be married then I will that the portion of her so dying shall be divided into four parts whereof my daughter surviving is to have two parts and my wife one part and that the fourth part be equally divided between my brother Bryan and my sister Mary.

Item I make and ordain Elizabeth my wife sole executrix of this my last will and testament and lastly I do appoint and ordain my trusty friends George Heles of Burnsall, Gyles Parker of Newby, Robert Bankes of Giggleswick, Leonarde Gibson above named and Robert Carre of Stackhouse supervisors of this my will desiring them and every of them and giving them authority to see the same truly executed and performed according to my trust reposed in them. And I will that they and every of them taking pains in and about the same shall have their costs and charges born out of my whole goods. In witness whereof I have unto this my last will and testament set my hand and seal the day and year above written. Witnesses: Robert Bankes, Thomas Craven, William Stackhouse and William Lupton(?)

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Setle*

Ralph Hodgson 1616 Borthwick v34 f22

In the name of god Amen the twelfth day of January AD 1615 I Ralph Hodgson of Settle in the county of York yeoman sick in body but of good and perfect memory god be praised do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following.

First I commend my soul into the merciful hands of almighty god trusting assuredly through the merits and precious blood shedding of Jesus Christ my saviour and redeemer to be made partaker of eternal joys in heaven and for my body I commit the same to the earth from whence it came, to be buried at the discretion of my wife children and friends.

Item my will is that my debts, I mean both that I did upon my own security as also what my son Anthoni stands bound for me shall be paid out of my whole goods. Also whereas I have conveyed my lands and tenements in Settle to feoffees in trust to certain uses contained and specified in those writings which were made upon the marriage of my son, my will is that my executors shall have all such interest for years or otherwise towards the bettering of my younger children's portions as in the same writings is limited unto me and mine assigns, out of my said lands and tenements and that my said executors shall perform such covenants with my said son as in the same writings is specified touching the crop to be made and delivered to him. Also whereas I have two parcels of ground and six shillings eight pence common which I had and purchased of John Heaton I will that my said son Anthony shall have them for that thirty pounds which he has at this time given me security by his bill. And for the grounds which I bought of Stephen Dockerry called Sandholmes with the writing thereof I give them and all my estate of them to John Carr of Tosside and Thomas Mitchell of Settle their executors and assigns in trust to be sold by them. And that the money to be had for the same shall be accounted amongst my other goods .

Item I give to my brother John and my sister Isabell either of them twenty shillings. And for my other goods and chattels my will is that my wife shall have her third part according to the custom of the county and my younger children unpreferred another third part and for my part called the deads part my will is it shall be equally divided among my said wife and younger children unpreferred. And I appoint Alice my said wife and the said John Carr my brother-in-law to be the executors of this my last will and testament. These being witnesses: Thomas Mitchell, John Carr, William Wigglesworth and William Lawson.

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**JOHN HOLMES 1697 Ref.Borthwick.York.Bundle March 1697/8
Transcribed by S.Gordon**

In the name of God Amen the Twenteey Third day of february In the year of our Lord According to the Computacon of the Church of England one Thousand six hundred ninety seven, I John Holms of Settle in the County of york husbandman being sick in body but of sound and pfect memory (Thankes be to God therefore) do make This my Last Will and Testament in manner and forme following That is to say Commending my soul to God almighty and by the merits of Christ beleaving my salvation in hopes of A joyfull Resurrection, I Commit my body to the Earth to bee buried at the discrecon of my Executrix heare after named; And of the worldly Estate where with God hath blessed me, Thereof I dispose As followeth, Impr. I do hereby devise and bequeath unto My beloved wife Mary Holmes all that my now dwelling house with the Garding thereunto belonging for and during ye Terme of sixty \years/ if she so long shall live, and After the time of her death It is my will that my Grandchild John Kennan his Execurs. Admirs and Assignees shall have and hould the sd my now dwellinghouse with the garding theareunto belonging and the Appurtenances for and during ye rest Residue and Remender of four hundred and fifty years, provided that he the sd John Kennan do pay or cause to be paid unto Jane Brooksbank my Grandchild the sum of Three pounds of good and lawfull money of England, and for non payment of the Above sd som, it is my will yt(*that*) my Grandchild Jane Brooksbanke shall enter and have one third part of my house and garding Above mentioned whilst ye Above sd som be paid to her Item I give unto my two sons in Law John Kennan and Arthur Brooksbank either of them twelve pence, Item I give unto my grand Child John Kennan all my Apparell, hearby revoking all other and former wills I do hearby Constitute and nominate my sd wife Mary Holmes sole Executrix heare of, In witness where of I have heare unto sett my hand and seal the day and year first Above sd Seald signed and published in the sight of us

Adam Lawson jurat

William Lupton

John Wildman

his marke

John **H** Houlmes

Febye 28 – 1697

Then An Appraismt: made of the Goods & Chattells of John Holmes Late of Settle decd by us whose names are underwritt

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In the Parlour One Bed 4 little Chests small plates 3 (T?)ubs 2 sacks and other huslemt:	01	03	00
In the Buttery A pcell ofthers 2 potts one Barrell & 2 pans	00	06	00
In the house One Galley 1 Cupboard a pcell of pewter 2 Chaires 3 Stooles 1 Planke? One Spade	01	01	00
The house and Garden	09	00	00
Tot.	12	00	00

Appraisers

Adam Lawson

Jo. Wildman

Rogr. Preston

Tho. Ridgaw his marke

Thomas Holmes 1658 The National Archives PROB 11/283

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In the name of God Amen

The fifth day of May in the yeare of our Lord (according to the computation of the Church of England one thousand six hundred fiftie eight I Thomas Holmes of Settle in the Countie of Yorke being sicke in bodie but of good and perfect remembrance Praised be God doe make and ordaine this my last will and testament in manner following Revoking all other wills and testaments by me formerly made at any time And first I doe commit and willingly resigne my soule into the mercifull hands of Almighty God my maker and Creator trusting through the mercie and by the merits of Jesus Christ my onely Redeemer to be saved and to have pardon and remission of all my sinnes And my bodie to the earth whereof it was made to be buried at my parish Church of Gigeswicke at the discretion of my friends And for my worldly and temporall goods and estate I doe give devise and dispose of the same as followeth First it is my will and mind that my debts legacies and funerall expences be paid out of my whole goods And if my said goods will not extend to pay satisfie and discharge all my debts, funerall Expences and legacies yet in arreare, which by the last will of Thomas Mitchell deceased may be charged upon me, then I will and doe hereby authorize my executor hereunder named to demise letten sell so much and such part of my cottage or dwelling house wherein I now live, my lath or barne stable turfe house garden and their appurtenances or so many of them as at the discretion of my Executor shalbe necessarie and sufficient for paying and satisfying of all the remainder of my said debts funerall expences and legacies together with such reasonable charges as my executor shalbe any way put unto concerning the said executorship And after the same be satisfied I doe give unto Margaret my now wife, and to her heires and Assignes for ever my said Cottage or dwelling house with all its appurtenances And also I doe give my lathe or barne, turfhouse, garden and stable with all thappurtenances unto my said wife Margaret and to her executors and Assignes for all the revercon of a lease of three thousand ~~pounds~~ yeares for which I am interested in the same And if any thing remaine of my goods and personall estate from the payment of my debts, funerall expences and legacies Then I doe give all that remainder wholly unto my said wife Margaret her executors and Assignes Also I doe make nominate and appoint Francis Lund late of Airton sole executor of this my last will and testament In witnes whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seale the day and yeare first abovewritten Thomas Holmes marke Witnesses hereof John Tennant Nicholas Hauckshead Alice Knight John Sackhouse(*sic*)

This two and twentieth day of November Letters of Administration issued forth unto Margaret Holmes the Relict and principall Legatarie named in the abovewritten will of the said Thomas Holmes deceased to administer the goods Chattells and debts of the said deceased according to the tenor and effect of the said will She being first sworne by virtue of a Commission issued forth in that behalfe well and truly to administer For that Francis Lund the executor named in this said will departed this life before he made probate thereof/

WILLIAM HOLMES 1693 Ref. Borthwick.York. Nov. 1693 (Admin)
Transcribed by S.Gordon

A true & perfect Invent: of one smale Cottage & little Garden hereunto belonging, of
William Holmes late of Settle, within ye parish of Giggleswicke in Craven & the
County of yorke late deceased-apprized this Twenty third day of October-1693- by us
whose names are hereunder written

Impr. one smale Cottage & little Garden			
in a great measure ruinous	03.	10.	00

Apprized names

Roger R (his marke) Cambe - Thomas (R?)alfe

Robert Hodgson Wm. Tennant

AGNES HOUGHTON 1662 REF.BORTHWICK.YORK.v45 f409

Transcribed by S.Gordon

In the name of God Amen the thirteenth day of March in the year of our Lord God accordinge to the Computation of the Church of England one thousand six hundred sixty two I Agnes Houghton late of Birkelands and now of Hugganhouse in the pish of Giggleswicke County of yorke widdow the Relict of Henry Houghton deceased beinge sicke in body but of good and pfect remembrance prayed be God doe make this my Last will and Testament in manner and Forme followinge hereby Revokinge all wills by me Formerly made, First I doe Comitt and willingly Resigne my soule into the mercifull hands of Almighty God my maker and Creator trusting through his mercy and by the merritts of Jesus Christ my onely Redeemer to be saved and to have pdon and Remission of all my sinnes and my body to the Earth whereof it was made to be buried at my pish Church of Giggleswicke att the discretion of my Friends, And for my worldly and temporal goods and estate I doe give devise and dispose of the same as Followeth, First I will that my debts and Funerall expenses be payd out of my whole goods, Item I will that my Executor here under named shall pay unto Robert Ardington my brother in Law that Five pounds which I am oweinge unto him and for which he hath a bill or writeinge under my hand, Item I give unto Leonard watkinson tenn shillings and to his brother Thomas watkinson tenn shillings Item I give unto Richard Husband als Lakeland twenty pounds in Moneys and the Reversion of my Lease and my Rainge Brandreth Cupbord dishbord table Arke two Chests loose boards wood and shelves and the one half of my household goods and beddinge Excepting one pair of (sheets) which I give unto Katherine Carr and Anne Carr daughters of Richard Carr of Grainhouse Equally between them, Item I give unto Margaret Carr daughter of the said Richard Carr half of my household goods and bedding Except as aforesayd, to be delivered unto her when she attains one and twenty yeares of age or at her Marriage if she shall Marry before she attain that age. Item I give to the sayd Margaret Carr my best Chest And if she dye before she attain one and twenty years of age, Then I give it to her sister Katherine, And if she dye before that age, then I give it to her sister Anne, Item I give unto the sayd Anne Another Chest to be delivered to her when she attain fourteen yeares of age, Item I give to Stephen Holgates wife tenn shillings, Item I will that my Executor shall pay unto Richard Carr of Grainhouse Twenty nobles which I promised him heretofore Item I give to the Five Children of the sayd Richard Carr Thirty three pounds to be divided and payd \in manner/ here under Expressed That is to say to Margaret, Nynne pounds to Katherine Five pounds to Anne Seven pounds to John six and to Thomas Carr six pounds And I will that my Executor shall pay unto every one of the sayd five Children their abovesaid severall Legacies with use for the same after twelve pence apound If they shall attain their several age of Twenty six yeares or at the tyme of their marriage if any of them doe marry before that age, And if any of them dye unmarried before they attain that age Then the legacies of them or any of them so dyinge to be equally divided amongst the survivors Item I give to Henry walmsley Twenty shillings, And if he dye before me I give the same to his Daughter Margaret Item I give to Henry Wilkinson six shillings eight pence Item I give to Elizabeth Bancks of Hugganhouse tenn shillings and to her son william tenn shillings Item I give to John Carr of Israel and his Four Children Five pounds equally amongst them Item I will that my Executors shall pay to John Lund of hillyfield Three pounds which I promised him Item I give to Richard Fosters wife of Clapham Forty shillings, Item I give to maystor or dame of that house when I shall dye Four pounds Item I give to

Anne the daughter of James Foster five shillings to buy two lambs Item I give to Jane the wife of Robert Ardington my best Red petticoat but one, Item I give to the above named three daughters of the above sayd Richard Carr All my Cloth(es) wollin and lining which I have not hereby before given or shall give before my Death, And I will that the same clothes shall be put and kept for there uses in that Chist which I have hereby before given them I do entreat Thomas Foster of Fieldgate and Alice his wife to suffer the said Chist and Clothes to remain in the house and to deliver and give the same Clothes to the said Children or any of them when and at such tymes as the said Thomas Foster and Alice his wife and Richard husband alis Lakeland shall think fit and the Children shall have need, And that the sayd Richard Husband alis Lakeland shall keep the key of the Chist until it be to be delivered as I have before set down. Also I will that the poore people that Comes to my doole# shall have two pence a piece, Item I give tenn shillings for A sermon to be preached att my Funerall which I desire may be preached by Mr. Cromlome, I will that the Ringers \shall/ have five shillings \Item I give to John Armitsteads wife of holling hall five shillings And to Alice Bancks at Greene five shillings/ and to Robert Wetherall five shillings, And to Addam Willson A table and one shilling I give to John and Thomas Carr sons of Richard my best greene safegard Item I will that my Executors shall pay Thirty Four shillings to such pson or psons as I shall order or promise or will the same to be paid or given at any tyme before my Death, I will that my Funeral Diner shall be at M Willkens And I do make and appoint Anthony Foster of Rawthmell sole Executor of this my last will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereto putt my hands and seale the day and year first above written, Agnes Houghton her marke witnesses hereof Richard Husband alis Lakeland Bryan Cookeson

Doole / dooalmeats – funeral provisions.

Giggleswick modern spelling
Rathmell “ “

**Giles Houghton Rawthmell admon Borthwick YAS Vol 89 Appx 4 Vacancy
Register mf 895 Nov 1686**

A true and p(er)fect Inventory of the goods and Chattells of Giles Haughton late of
Rawmell dated *[blank]*

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Imprimis his purse and apparrell	01	00	00
Itm Howsehold Goods and other dead goods	03	10	00
Itm one Cow	02	00	00
Itm one Meare	01	10	00
Itm one bond	06	00	00
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	14	00	00
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Rathmell modern spelling

NB A Giles Houghton of Rathmell was buried 9 Jan 1670/1 (Giggleswick Parish
Register)

Henry Houghton 1657 The National Archives PROB 11/261

Transcribed by M.J. and E.M. Slater

In the name of God Amen The seaven and twentieth day of December in the yeare of our Lord accordinge to the computation of the Church of England One thousand Six hundred fiftie Six I Henerie Houghton of Birklands in the mannor of Rawtwell within the parish of Giggleswicke and Countie of Yorke husbandman, beinge sicke and infirme in bodie but of good and perfect remembrance praised be god doe make and ordaine this my last will and Testament in manner and forme followeing. First I committ and willingly resigne my soule into the mercifull hands of Almighty God my maker and Creator trustinge through his mercy and by the merits of Jesus Christ my onely redeemer to bee saved and to have full pardon and remission of all my sinnes, and my bodie to the earth whereof it was made to bee buried in my parish Churchyard of Giggleswicke att the discretion of my freinds, revokeinge hereby all wills by mee formerly made. And for my worldly and Temporall goods and estate I doe give devise and dispose of the same as followeth. First I will that my debts and funerall expences bee payd out of my whole goods. Allsoe I doe give and bequeath unto Robert Ardington of Hengill and to Jane his wife the summe of Tenne pounds with the Consideration due for the same which is upon specialtie due and owinge unto mee by the severall persons hereunder named. That is to say five pounds due upon bonds by Thomas Swainson of Rawthwell and William Johnson. Allsoe three pounds due upon bond by Henerie Wilkinson and Thomas Wilkinson. Allsoe twentie shillings due upon bill by John Armitsteade of Capleside and twentie shillings due upon bill by Elizabeth Wilson of Brackinber and Thomas Wilson. And I will that my Executrix hereunder named shall upon reasonable demand after my decease deliver the above sayd bonds and bills with a letter of attorney to my sayd brother in lawe Robert Ardington and Jane his wife if upon receipte of the sayd bonds and bills they will give and seale unto my Executrix a generall and absolute acquittance or otherwise my Executrix to keepe the sayd specialties and to receive the sayd moneys to and for her owne use. And that my sayd brother in lawe shall not sue any of my sayd debtors before six months next after my decease. Allsoe I give unto Roger Knowles and to Thomas Knowles his sonne equally betweene them one bond or obligacion Conditioned for the payment of six pounds seaven shillings by Alice Clarke and William Hammerton if upon receipte of the same Bond they will give to my Executrix a generall Release. Allsoe I doe give unto Isabell Houghton Twentie shillings and to Leonard Watkinson Fortie shillings, both which sayd summes beinge three pounds are owinge unto mee by the sayd Leonard by bond. Allsoe I give unto John Carr of Israell twelve shillings. Allsoe I give unto Jane Browne wife of William Browne of Austwicke five shillings. Allsoe I give unto Richard Husband of Setle my shapen clothes. Allsoe I doe give all the remainder of my goods chattells and Creditts whatsoever unto Agnes my wife whome I doe nominate and appointe sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament. And I will that shee shall give a pennie to everie poore person that shall come to my doale. In wittnes whereof I have hereunto putt my hand and seale the day and yeare first above written, Henerie Houghton his marke wittnesses hereof Richard Carr his marke Brian Cookson Januarie the fourteenth One Thousand Six hundred fiftie six Henerie Houghton desired mee to reade this will and sett my hand to wittnes it Anthony Fauster

This will was proved att London The Twentieth day of the month of March accordinge to the Computation of the Church of England One Thousand Six hundred fiftie six before the Judges for probate of Wills and granting administrations lawfully authorised by the oathe of Agnes Houghton the relict of the sayd deceased and sole Executrix named in the sayd will. To whome was committed administration of all and singular the goods chattells and debts of the said deceased shee beinge first sworne in due forme of lawe by vertue of a Commission well and truly to adminster the same.

Rathmell modern spelling
Giggleswick " "
Settle " "

JAMES HOUGHTON 1681 Ref.Borthwick.York. vol 61 fol 182
Transcribed by S.Gordon

In the name of God Amen I James Houghton of Rawthmell in the County of yorke yeoman sick in body but of good and perfect remembrance praised be God for the same doe make and declare this my last will and testament in manner & forme Following revokeing all other wills by me heretofore made; And First I doe recommend my soule into the mercifull hands of Almighty God my maker hoping through the merrits and satisfaction of my Redeemer Christ Jesus to obtain pardon of sin and everlasting life; And for all my temporall goods Cattells and Chattells wholly reall or personall of what kinde or nature soever the same be I doe wholly give and bequeath the same unto Issabell my now wife to the sole use and behoofe of her the said Issabell her Executors Administrators and Assignes my debts and funerall expences being in the First place satisfied and discharged out of the same; And more particularly I doe give unto my said wife Issabell all that my Med(ow) Close called by the name of Hudholme lying within the Territories and Townfeilds of Rawthmell and formerly belonging the Manor of Long Preston being of the Antient yearly rent of Eighteen pence and containeing one acre and halfe be it more or less; To have and to hold the same to the said Issabell her Executors Administrators and Assignes for all the residue of that terme of three thousand years for which I hold the same by grant from the late Honorable Francis Earle of Cumberland and Henry Lord Clifford his son, Provided alwaies that if my son Lawrence Houghton doe pay unto my said wife Issabel the sume of twenty Nobles of currant English money before or upon the second day of february next ensueing the date hereof; And likewise if at the time of the said payment my said son Lawrence enter into three severall bonds to my now wife Issabell for the payment of twenty pounds in three years that is to say the sum of twenty Nobles yearly for three years thence next ensueing to her the said Issabell her Executors Administrators or Assignes then my will is that my said son Lawrence shall have the said Hudholme Close and the same shall remain to him his Executors Administrators and Assignes for all the residue of the abovesaid terme and my said wife Issabell shall thereupon surrender up and Release the same to my said sonn But if the said sum be not paid and the said bonds given to my said wife in manner above proposed at the said first day of payment above limited, Then my will is that th(is) proviso be wholly voyd And I desire my said wife Issabell to sell the said Close for payment of my debts and funerall Expences Item I give unto Richard Houghton my son the sum of twenty shillings, to be paid to him within one year after my decease; And I doe nominate and appoint my said wife Issabell sole Executrix of this my last will and testament; In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal (this twenty fifth day of february in the yeare of our Lord God according to the Computation of the Church of England One thousand six hundred, Eighty One James Houghton his marke Wittnesses hereof Thomas Knowles John Knowles Henry Clarke

Rathmell modern spelling

John Howson 1612 Borthwick v32 f232

In the name of god Amen the eleventh day of September in the year of our lord god one thousand six hundred and twelve I John Howsonne of Settle in the county of York blacksmith being somewhat visited with sickness but of good and perfect memory god be praised therefore do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following, First I commend and commit my soul into the hands of my only redeemer and sweet saviour Jesus Christ by whose only merits and mercy I trust to be made partaker of everlasting joy in heaven, desiring him to pardon and forgive all my offences and to give me strength against all temptations and to [*smudge*] grant that I may willingly leave the world and make a godly end. And for my body I will that the same be buried in the churchyard of the parish church of Giggleswick at the discretion of my wife and friends.

Item my will is and I give devise and bequeath unto Issabell my loving wife and her assigns the use and occupation of all my now dwelling house in Settle and the moiety or half of all my other houses, edifices and buildings in Settle aforesaid (excepting one house standing on the backside of my dwelling house commonly called the turfhouse) and also the full moiety of all my garths, gardens, lands, tenements and hereditaments with the appurtenances in Settle aforesaid for and during the term of her natural life if she continue so long unmarried again after my decease, and if she marry again then she to have her third during her life. Also, I give and bequeath unto the said Issabell my wife and to her assigns my lease of the new fields which I have of the demise and grant of Giles Tennant and all my estate right title interest and term of years therein whereof about fourteen years are yet unspent and unexpire,

Item I give unto the said Issabell my wife and to her assigns the use and occupation of the full moiety or half of all those my two closes called Ayneley closes and of all my other grounds and of the attermierdall commons and other appurtenances of the yearly rent of six shillings eight pence which I lately bought of Thomas Procter of Lancaster and Elizabeth his wife and which were sometime parcel of and belonging to the tenement late in the occupation of Thomas Howsonne my late brother deceased in Settle aforesaid and are holden by long lease, to have and to hold the said moiety to my said wife and her assigns from and immediately after the time of my natural decease for and during the term of fifty one years then next following if she so long live and continue in her widowhood unmarried again after my decease. And if she marry again then I give and bequeath unto her and her assigns the use and occupation of one full third part thereof from the time of her marriage again unto the end of the said term of fifty one years if she so long live.

And whereas I have by my deed in writing lawfully executed bearing the date of this my present last will and testament given and granted unto Thomas Howsonne my second son and to his heirs forever all that my house in Settle aforesaid called the smithie and one acre of arable ground lying on Nadbreakes in Settle aforesaid and also one house now in the occupation of Margaret Tompsonne widow and of Elizabeth Howsonne one croft called Ivesons grass garth and one little garth thereto adjoining and one attermiredale and two shillings common thereto belonging and also all those parcels of ground being of the yearly rent of three shillings four pence and sixteen pence rent of the commons which I lately bought and purchased of John Heaton as appears by a deed dated the fourteenth day of May in the fourth year of his majesty's reign that now is (excepting one half rood lying on reedlands which I sold to Robert Carr and his heirs) I do hereby satisfy ratify and confirm the

said deed and estate thereby made to my said son Thomas Howson and his heirs forever to and for the uses and under the conditions therein specified.

And for the said Ayneley closes other grounds and commons with their appurtenances sometimes parcels of my said brother Howson's tenement being of the rent of six shillings eight pence before mentioned which I hold by long lease I do hereby give devise and bequeath the same and all my estate right title interest term claim and demand therein and all my writings scripts and evidences concerning the same unto Robert Howson my youngest son and to his lawful issue and the assigns of such issue and in default thereof then to the said Thomas Howson my second son and to his lawful issue and the assigns of such issue and in default thereof then to the lawful issue of Henry Howson my eldest son and the assigns of such issue (my wife's said right in and to the moiety or third of the said premises as may befall her according to the limitations and for the term before herein expressed accepted and always forprised)

And as touching the said house called the turfhouse and all my other lands tenements and hereditaments in Settle aforesaid which I hold in fee farm of the right honourable the Earl of Cumberland and likewise for the reversion of my mansion or dwelling house and of that moiety or half of my said lands before limited to my said wife after her decease or marriage again I do hereby give, devise and bequeath the same to the heirs of the body of Henry Howson my said eldest son by him lawfully begotten or to be begotten forever. And in default thereof then to Thomas Howson my second son and to the heirs of his body lawfully begotten or to be begotten for ever. And in default thereof then to the said Robert Howson my third son and to the heirs of his body lawfully begotten or to be begotten for ever. And in default thereof then to the right heirs of me the said John Howson for ever.

And as concerning my other goods wherewith god has blessed me my will is that my due debts mortuary and funeral expenses shall first be deducted and paid out of the whole and that the rest be divided into three parts whereof I will that my wife have one third part according to the custom of the country and my said three children another part equally among them. And out of the other third commonly called the deads part I give these legacies that is to say first to the poor people of this parish of Giggleswick twenty shillings to be distributed at the discretion of master Shute and my executors. Item I give unto my father-in-law William Carr twenty shillings. I give to my sister Margaret Howson the wife of Adam Howson a cow or thirty shillings in money. Item to Alice Armetstead widow six shillings eight pence. Item to Arthur Middopp a gimmer lamb and to my goddaughter Jennet Thomson daughter of George Thomson another gimmer lamb and to every other of my god children twelve pence apiece. And for the residue of the same third called the deads part I give the one half thereof unto my said wife desiring her therefore to keep and bring up Issabell Howson the daughter of my said son Henrie during her nonage if she the said Issabell will accept it and be contented to abide with my said wife and the other half I give to my said sons Thomas and Robert equally between them. And I do hereby nominate and appoint Issabell my said wife and Thomas Carr her brother to be the executors of this my last will and testament. These being witnesses Adam Somerscales, Robert Swainson, Richard Somerscales, William Carr, Ralph Hodgeson, William Remington, John Carr William Lawson.

*Settle
Giggleswicke*

JOHN HOWSON 1664 Ref. Borthwick, York vol.47 fol.49
Transcribed by S.Gordon

In the name of God Amen I John Howson of Settle beinge sick of body and of pfect Memory God be prayed doe make and ordaine this Twenty seaventh Day of January 1664 this my last will and testament in manner and Form followinge That is to say First I Comend myselfe both soule and body into the hands of God my Maker hopeinge Assuredly through the onely Merritts and mercies of Jesus Christ my Lord and onely Saviour to be made ptaker of life everlastinge And by the virtue and power of his death to rise Againe att the last day And I Comend my body to the earth to be buried att the discretion of my Friends, It is my will that such debts and dutyes as I owe of right or of Conscience to any pson or psons and my Funerall Expenses shall be deducted and payd out of my whole goods: And the remainder of my goods beinge devided into three Equal parts My wife Katherine to have her third part Accordinge to the Lawdable Custome of the Country: And the other two parts the Remainder of my goods to be Equally devided Amongst my Foure Daughters and my younger sonne John Howson: And I give and bequeath unto Robert Howson my Eldest sonne my Mansion house in Settle and all my Lands and Comons both Free Lands and Lease to enter to them when he shall Accomplish the Full age of one and twenty yeares, Provided that my sayd sonne Robert shall pay unto my said Foure Daughters and my younger sonne John to Each of them Twenty Five pounds a peece and Mary my Eldest Daughter be payd when he Comes (to witt) my sonne Robert, to Accomplish the age of Twenty two yeares and A halfe: And to Isabell my second Daughter when he shall be twenty & three years of age And the other three younger Children Elizabeth, John and Katherine Howson there portions of Twenty Five pounds as they shall Accomplish the age of Twenty one yeares. And For want of payment of any of the sayd portions I appoint and my will is that they shall Enter to Aynleyes and Sawworth and Stirskill Close occupy and possess them until such tyme as they shall be satisfied For the vallue of there sayd portions, hereby in this my last will appointed: And if any of my sayd Four Daughters and John my sonne shall dye before there portions shall be growe due, My will is that it shall be Equally devided Amongst the Survivors and my Eldest sonne Robert, And I further \appoint/ to this my last will and testament Katherine my wife and Thomas Howson my brother joint executors and supervisors In witnes whereof I have hereunto put my hand and seale the Day and yeare Above written: John Howson: Sealed and signed in the presence of John Wildeman Adam Egling AE marke

May 1665

Settle modern spelling

Robert Howson of Settle 1636 Borthwick ref: 1636/37 March

In the name of God Amen the eleventh day of November in the year of our Lord 1636 I Robert Howson of Settle in the county of yorke yeoman sick in body but of good and perfect memory (praised be to God) do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following, First I commend my soul into the hands of almighty god my maker and redeemer, trusting and constantly believing through the merits and precious blood shedding of my sweet Saviour Christ to be made partaker of eternal felicity in heaven, and I bequeath my body to the earth from whence it came to be buried at the discretion of my wife and friends. Item it is my will and mind that my debts \and funeral expenses shall be/ deducted and paid out of my whole goods and for the remainder of the said goods my will is that the same shall be divided equally into three parts and that Mary my wife shall have one third part thereof according to law and custom of the country. And for the other two parts I give \out of my part called the deads part ten pounds to John Howson my eldest son and for the rest and residue thereof/ my will is that the same shall be divided amongst my \younger children/. Item I give unto \the said/ John Howson my eldest son my mansion or dwelling house wherein I dwell together with the barn and all other the houses garths crofts liberties and easements thereunto belonging \and also one close called Miredales and two parcels the one lying on Thornebarr and the other on Grayterlands containing about one acre/ which I hold by estate of inheritance in fee. To have and to hold the same to the said John Howson his heirs and assigns forever. And \as concerning/ the two closes called Aynelayes, and the other \little/ parcells with the 6s 8d common thereto belonging which I had from my father and also the five shilling three pence common which I had from William Windser and John Poole and all other my grounds and commons in Settle \and elsewhere/ which I had by lease or leases my will is that the same shall be employed and set forth by my executors hereafter named for and towards the better maintenance and bringing up of my younger [sons erased] children for and during such time and term and until the said John Howson my eldest son shall, or should, accomplish \or/ his said age of twenty and four years and after such time as he shall accomplish \or/ his said age of twenty and four years then I give the residue and remainder of all the said grounds commons and other things which I hold by lease and leases to him the said John Howson his executors and assigns to his and their only use and uses for and during all the rest and residue of the several and respective terms which then shall be to come and be unspent \of the lease or leases or other assignments whereby I hold/ always allowing unto Mary my wife his natural mother the use and occupation of \third part/ of the same premises for and during so many years of the several terms thereof as she shall be, and so that he the said John \his executors or assigns/ shall at the time of such his entry give and pay unto every of my said younger children which then shall be living fifty shillings a piece. And I do nominate and appoint Isabel \jur/Howson \my natural mother/ and my uncle John Carr to be the joint executors of this my last will and testament.

These being Witnesses: William \jur/ Bankes,

Thomas \jur/ Carr

Robart Howson

Willim \jur/ Foster

Wm Carr

Will \jur/ Lawson

John Howsonn

Settle modern spelling

On separate sheet

Testament Robt.

Howson 11 November

1636

Thomas Howson 1604 Borthwick v29 f312

In the name of god Amen the fourteenth day of May in the second year of the reign of our sovereign Lord James by the grace of God king of England France and Ireland etc and of his reign of Scotland the thirty seventh 1604 I Thomas Howson of Settle in the county of York yeoman sick in body but of good and perfect remembrance praised be almighty god do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following viz

First and principally I bequeath and commit my soul to almighty god through the merits of the death and passion of whose son I hope to be partaker of everlasting life and my body to be buried within the parish church yard of Giggleswick at the discretion of my well beloved friends.

Item my will and mind is that William Ambrose and Robert Howson my three youngest children shall have after my decease the title interest claim and tenant right of my tenement situate lying and being in Settle aforesaid with all profits thereunto belonging if in case it be not redeemed by the right honourable George Earl of Cumberland Lord of the same or his assigns at or before the third day of February and the five and twentieth day of January next immediately following the date hereof for ever the third part thereof reserved according to the custom of the country to Marye Howson now my wife with the Licence of the Lord during her widowhood.

Item my will and testament is that if the same be redeemed by the said eEarl or his assigns as is supposed and if the law then do not permit the same to my said children as aforesaid then I wholly refer it to the wise consideration and dispose of my lord himself to be given and bequeathed to whom of the children it shall please his Honour beseeching his Honour then it may be given to my youngest child Robert and that the other children may be educated and brought up thereon till they accomplish and shall come to the age of fifteen years each severally.

Item for all my goods and credits after my debts be paid and funeral expenses discharged my will and testament is that they be divided into three equal parts whereof my said wife Mary shall have the first, my children the second part equally to be divided amongst them and the third and last part appertaining to myself my will and mind is that Jane my daughter shall have one third part and the residue to be given and distributed to my youngest children that is to say Christopher Ambrose Willm and Robert equally to be divided amongst them.

Item I make and ordain my brother John Howson of Settle aforesaid to be the sole executor of this my last will and testament.

Witnesses hereof Thomas Brayshaye Anthonye Browne Robet(*sic*) Atkinson and Gyles Kirkby

Setle
Giggleswicke

Isabell Howsonne (widow) of Langcliffe 1639 Borthwick ref. July 1640 Craven

In the name of God Amen upon the nineteenth day of December in the year of our Lord god according to the computation of the Church of England one thousand six hundred thirty and nine I, Isabell Howsonne of Langcliff in the county of york widow, sick in my body yet of perfect mind and memory, I praise god for the same, do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following: First I commend my soul into the merciful hands of Almighty god my Creator trusting assuredly through the precious blood-shedding of Jesus Christ my only Saviour to be saved and my body to be buried in the parish church or church yard of Gigleswick, at the discretion of my executors hereafter named, and of other my friends. And whereas I am named executrix and have taken upon me the executorship to Robert Howson my late son deceased my will and mind is that my executors hereafter named shall have all the charge of all my said son Robt his children, and of their portions, until such time as they the said children shall respectively accomplish their several ages of twenty and one years. And forth of my personal estate I give and bequeath the same as follows, First whereas I have been at great costs and charges about the procuring and buying of the wardship and marriage of John Howson my grandchild to the value of thirty seven pounds or thereabouts I do hereby freely give, acquit and discharge him the said John Howson of the charge and burden thereof. And over and besides that I give and bequeath to the said John Howson ten pounds towards binding him apprentice. And also I give to the said John Howson my grandchild two iron chimneys, three pair of bed stocks, certain little shelf boards, one cheese press, two chests, one bible, one cradle, one ark, one great stone trough, three other stone troughs, one rack and one manger and six boards all which I would have to remain for him as heirlooms. And also I give to the said John Howson one other chest, one featherbed and bolster, three little short codd's # one pair of blankets, two coverlets, two pair of sheets, five set cushions, one frying pan and a creshett #, one pair of yarn windles#, one little pan, one chair, two stools, one pair of combs, one barrel, one spinning wheel, one other chest and one silver spoon. Item I give to Willm Howson my grandchild one chest, one chaff bed and two bolsters two coverlets two pair of canvisse # sheets and one silver spoon.

Item I give to my executors hereafter named ten pounds equally to be divided between them. Item I give to Henry Howson ten shillings. I give to John Howson at Newcastle five shillings. Item I give to my cousin Margaret Burk ten shillings. Item I give to four of the youngest of my brother Thomas his children ten shillings a piece, and to John Gibbs ten shillings.

Item I give to Leond Howson my grandchild one silver spoon and to \Thomas/ and Robert Howson my grandchildren \either of them one/ silver spoon.

And all the rest of my goods not hereby formerly bequeathed, I give and bequeath the same to be equally divided amongst the children of my said son Robt Howson to be paid unto them as they shall accomplish their several lawful ages of twenty and one years saving that my will and mind is that Robt Howson my grandchild shall have three pounds six shillings eight pence more than the rest of his brothers.

And also my will and mind is that my executors shall have all the charge \care/ and trust of the portions and legacies of my said son Robt Howson his children till they shall accomplish their said several ages and that none other person or persons but my executors shall have anything to do concerning the said children or their portions.

And my will and mind is that if any of my said son Robert his children do decease before they do accomplish their said several ages that then their portion so dying shall remain to the other living equally amongst them.

Item I give to my daughter in law Marie Tailor one side saddle, and in case she benefit of my grandchild John Howson his own portion and these my legacies to him; will not extend to maintain him till he shall accomplish his full age of 21 years that then my will and mind is that she shall be maintained forth of my goods.

And my will and mind is that my apparel shall be divided amongst my friends according as I have given directions to my brother John Carr and my will and mind is that Christopher Lupton shall have 20s abated at the last end when he discharges all his debts due to me. And I nominate and appoint John Carr^{jur} my brother and Willm Carr^{jur} my cousin to be joint executors of this my last will and testament.

These being Witnesses Thomas Carr, signed Isabell Howson mark

Thomas Paley^{jur}

Anthony \jur/ Bainbrigg

Langcliffe modern spelling

Giggleswick “ “

codd – pillow or cushion

cressett - small vessel of iron to hold grease or oil to be burnt for light, mounted on a pole or hung from roof, or brazier

windles – appliances for winding thread / spindles

canvisse– fine unbleached cloth made of flax or hemp

set (cushions) - settle or seat

ANDREW HUDSON 1688 Ref.Borthwick.,York. Vol.61 fol.59
Transcribed by S.Gordon

In the name of God Amen, This twentieth day of July in the yeare our Lord Christ one thousand six hundred eighty eight I Andrew Hudson of Winskall in the pish of Giggleswick in the County of yorke husbandman being weake and infirme in body but of good and perfect memory praised be God for the same doe make and ordaine this my last will and testament in manner and forme Following hereby revoakeing all former and other will or wills by me heretofore made and first and principally, I Commend and Council my soule into the hands of Almighty God my maker assuredly trusting that in and through the merrits and mediation of Jesus Christ my saviour my sinns shall be forgiven And that my soule shall be made partaker of everlasting happiness in the Kingdome of heaven, And my body to be buried in the Parrish Church yard of Giggleswick aforesaid at the discretion of my freinds & Executrix hereafter named; And as to the temporall estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me I give and dispose as Followeth; And First my will and minde is that my just debts and funerall expences shall be paid out of my whole goods, Cattells and Chattells; And as to the rest and residue thereof I give and bequeath the same unto Jaine Hudson my loveing wife; Item my will and minde is that she shall pay unto John Hudson my brother five shillings within the space of one yeare next after my decease as a legacy; Item I give unto the said John Hudson my brother my rideing Coate and my bootes; And Lastly I doe nominate constitute and appointe my said wife Jaine sole Executrix of this my last will and testament; In Wittness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seale the day and yeare first above written Andrew Hudson his marke sealed signed and published in the presence of us Antho: Armistead John Tayler James Tayler his marke

Giggleswick modern spelling

Winskill " "

RICHARD HUITSON INV 1699 Ref. Borthwick.York. June 1699(admin)

Transcribed by S.Gordon

An Inventory of the Lease Lands sometime belonging unto Richard Huitson als Oatson late of Langcliffe decd made and Appraized by us whose names are Subscribed this Nineteenth day of June in the Year of Our Lord according to ye Computation of ye Church of England One Thousand six hundred ninety nine /1699 / as followeth

	Li	s	d
Imprimis one small parcel of arable Land called ye Pike	07	03	00
It: Common of Pastur lying & being on ye Daw=haw within ye Townshipp of Langcliffe aforsd.	02	07	00
Total	09	10	00

R. Akinson
Richd. Lawson
Willm Bradley
William Carr

HENRY HURTLEY Ref.Borthwick.York. Sep 1691 Bundle(admin)

October 18th. 1691^{mo}

An Appraisment made of the goods and Chattles of Henry Hurtley of Nealsing late
decd by us whose names are heareunder subscribed

	£	s	d
Impis. his purse and apparrell	02	00	00
Item. his horse and sadle	02	00	00
It. 2 geldings and three maires	16	00	00
It. 12 oxen that was at home	34	00	00
It. 24 beasts in the South	60	00	00
Debts received			
of Mr. Everit	28	09	00
of Mr. Grinnidge	16	10	00
of Mr.Catton	30	00	00
of Mr. (Webdell?)	04	19	06
of Mr. Atmore	19	10	00
of Mr. (Signal?)	10	00	00
of Mr(s) Nap[er]loker?	01	06	00
of Mr. Smith	00	12	00
of Thomas Bradley	23	00	00
Item one bill from Mr. C.... Bertram	30	00	00
one other Bill from Mr. Miles Wyne	44	00	00
one other Bill from Mr. Catton	05	00	00
Due from Mr. Todd of Femingham (Fennigham?)	08	00	00
	335	06	06

Thomas Carre
James Whitfeild
Wm. J. Hurtley
Wm. Carre

..... 15 July 92

HENRY HURTLEY 1692 Ref.Borthwick.York. Bundle Apl.1693
Transcribed by S.Gordon

In the name of God amen the Twenty fifth day of February In the year of our Lord God One thousand Six hundred Ninety Two I Henry Hurtley of Settle in ye County of yorke Butcher being sick in body, yet of Good and perfect memory & calling to minde ye fraile & uncertaine estate of this Transitory life, & knowing yt all Flesh must yield into death When it shall please Almighty God to call, Do make constitute ordaine and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner & forme following Revoking and by these presents disannulling all and every Testament and Testaments Will and Wills heretofore by me made & declared either by word or Writing: and that this be taken for mine only last Will and Testament and none other: And first being penitent for my Sins; and by ye merits of Jesus Christ beleiving stedfastly yt I shall aassuredly be saved, Do give and commit my Soul unto Almighty God, and my Body to be decently buried in ye Church Yard of Giggleswicke at ye discretion costs and charges of mine Executrix hereafter in these presents named: And for ye better Settlement of such Temporal estate Goods Chattels and Debts as it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow on me: I do ord: dispose and give the Same in manner and forme following (That is to say) First it is my Will and pleasure yt funeral expenses, all other dues, debts, & just demands whatsoever by me owing in sight or conscience to any person or persons whomsoever be well and truly paid or ordained to be paid within convenient time after my decease by mine Executrix hereafter named: Item I give and bequeath unto my wife Isabel Hurtley All yt dwellinghouse wherein I ye sd Henry Hurtley do now live; together with all and singular Appurtenances thereunto belonging And all deeds evidences and writings wich do in any wise concerne ye same, To be had and holden by ye sd. Isabel Hurtley her Executors & Administrators for and during such terme and Terms of years as be mentioned in ye sd. Writings. Item I give and bequeath unto Isabel my said wife all \other/ my Goods Cattels, debts, ready money, Apparel, Utensils Brasse pewter, Beds Bedding, household stuffe and all other my substance whatsoever movable & immovable, quick and dead of what kinde, nature, or quality soever the same are or be, as well in my custody as in ye possession of others, And lastly That this my last will and Testament may be honestly and truly performed I ye sd. Henry Hurtley by these presents do appointe nominate and constitute Isabel \jurat/ Hurtley my wife Sole Executrix of my said Will And in wisse thereof have hereunto Set my hand and Seal ye day and year first above written In the Sight and presence of

His marke
Henry H Hurtley

Step. Robinson
Tho: Carr junior jurat
R: Atkinson

Giggleswick modern spelling

INVENTORY Ref. Apl.1693

A true & perfect (apprisement with all) & singular ye Goods Cattells & Chattells which were Henry Hurtleys late of Settle in ye pish of Gigglesweeke in ye Diocesse of yorke Apprised by us whose names are hereunto subscribed this Fifteenth Day of March Anno Regin Regis & Regis Gulielmi et Maria Annoque dom 1692

	Li	s	d
Impr. his purse & Apparell	01.	00	00
In Brasse & pewter	01	00	00
Tables & Chaires	01	00	00
Bedstocks & Bedding	02	00	00
One Cupboard	01	00	00
One Cow & one Mare	04	00	00
One house and Stable	29	00	00
One Cart with hustlement	00	10	00

Summa totalis	39	10	00

his marke
 Thomas T Watkinson
 William Sailsbury
 John Wildman
 John Skirrow

Apprizers

ALICE HUSBAND 1689 Ref.Borthwick.York. Jun 1693
Transcribed by S.Gordon

In the name of God Amen the second day of February in the year of our Lord God One thousand six hundred eighty nine I Alice Husband of Stainforth under barge in the County of yorke Widdow being somewhat infirme in body but of good and perfect memory praised bee God for the same doe make and ordayne this my last Will and testament in manner and forme following hereby revoking all former Will & Wills by mee heretofore made And first and principally I commend and comitt my soule into the hands of Almighty God my Creator, assuredly trusting that in and through the merritts and mediation of Jesus Christ my Saviour my Sinns shall bee forgiven and that my Soule shall bee made partakers of everlasting happinesse in the Kingdome of heaven and my body to bee buryed in decent manner at the discretion of my friends & executor hereafter named And as to the temporall Estate with which it hath pleased God to blesse mee I give and dispose as followeth And first my Will and minde is that my just debts Legacyse and funerall expences bee payd out of my whole estate Item my Will & minde is and I doe hereby give and bequeath unto Anne Lawkland my Grandchilde, one full moiety of all my estate reall and personall shee paying one full moiety of all my debts and funerall expences And my will and minde is That within the space of one month next after my decease A true full and perfect apprizemt. shall bee made of all my estate reall and personall that it may be perfectly made out what will bee realy due to my said Grandchilde, Item my will and minde is that my executor hereafter named (after it bee knowne what will bee realy due to my said Grandchilde shall pay Interest for the same unto John Clarke of Foxupp my Kinsman for the use of my said Granchilde Anne untill shee come to her age of fourteene years, after the raite of six pounds in the hundred And after shee attayne the said age of Fowerteene years my Will & minde is That my said executor hereafter named shall pay in the full sune that shall bee due unto my said Grandchilde Anne, by this my will, unto the said John Clarke his executors administrators or assignes for the onely use of my said Grandchilde and hee to pay the same with what Consideration can bee made of & for the same unto my said Grandchilde until she shall attayne the age of twenty one yeares or marry as alsoe meat (*meet?*) Consideration as hee shall have received of my executor in case hee the said John Clarke shall not have really payed & payd out the same Consideration for the maintenance of my said Grandchilde, shee giving the said John Clarke A full discharge when shee receives the same. Item I doe hereby desire & heartily request my said Kinsman John Clarke to doe his endeavour to see this my last Will & testament duly & truly pformed & to take care that sufficient bond bee given to the Courte for the performance hereof by my said executor, Item my will & minde is that my said executor shall pay unto the said John Clarke all reasonable charges that hee shall expend or lay out, seeing this my will duely pformed & sufficient bond given to the Courte as aforesaid And lastly I doe nominate make & appoint Robert Lawland my Sonne in law & father to my said Grandchilde Anne sole executor of this my last will & testament In Witnesse whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seale the day & year first above written.

her marke
Anne H Husband (*sic, not Alice*)

Sealed signed & published
in the presence of us
William Paley
his marke
Thomas F Foster
Will Swainson
Jo.Richardson

A true & perfect Inventory of all the goods & Chattels belonging to Alice Husband of Stainforth late deceased apprized and made the 20th. day of December 1692 by us whose names are hereunto subscribed

	li	s	d
Imprimis in Money	20	0	0
Item a paire of Bedstocks and beding	00	06	8
Item 3 chists	00	05	0
Item one table leafe	00	01	0
Item brass and pewter	00	03	4
Item one iron chimney Recon tongs	00	02	6
Item wood vessels & all other huslement	00	02	8
Summa totalis	21	01	2

William Foster of Stainforth
Chx: Browne
William
James Browne

Declaration included with the above documents

ROBERT LAKELAND of DALLOW late of STAINFORTH 1689

Know all men by these presents that I Robert Lakeland of (Dallow/Dalton?) Late of Stainforth in the County of yorke for divers & valuable Considerations hereafter menconed have given granted assigned & sett over unto John Clarke & Sara Moorhouse their Executors & Assignes All my Estate Reall & psonall at Stainforth which lately did belong to Allice Husband my mother in Law Lately deceased now know yee that I the said Robert Lakeland for the (consideration) as abovesaid doe give grant assigne & sett over all my Interest & tytle which I now have or hereafter shall cause or may have of in or unto the \said/ Estate Reall & psonall which did belong to my said mother in Law, To have & to hold the same unto the said John Clarke & Sara Moorehouse their Executors & Assignes to the Reall Intent & purposes hereafter menconed (that is to say) they the said John Clarke & Sara Moorhouse their Executors & Assignes paying yearly unto my wife full Consideration for the said Reall and psonall estate which may grow due, for the same which shall remaine after the debts & funeral Expences of Alice Husband my said mother in Law Late deceased be fully satisfied & paid dureing the Terme of her naturall Life & after her decease the whole same to be paid in to my daughter Anne her Executors Administs or Assignes In Witness whereof I have hereunto put my hand & seale this first day of Aprill in the second yeare of their Maties Raigne that now is over England scd Annoque domi 1689

Sealed & delivered

in the presence of

Rob: Lakeland

signu

Will W Wade

signu

Margrett M Steadman
Gabriel Appilbe

Thomas Husbnde 1610 Borthwick v32 f40

In dei nomine Amen upon the fourth daie of March 1610 I Thomas Husbnde of Staineforde underbargh within the parish of Giggleswicke and county of yorke husbandman sicke in my bodie but of perfecte remembrance I praise god for the same doe make this my last will and testament in manner and forme Following First I commende my soule to almighty god trustinge assuredly by the merits of Jesus Christ my onely saviour to be saved and my bodie to be buried in the church yarde of Giggleswicke Also I will that my debtes be paid of my whole goodes Also yt is my will & mynde that Isabell my wife shall have and occupie the moytie or one half of my messuage & tenement with thappurtenances in Stainforde aforesaid one yere next comeinge after the date hereof and my sonne Richard Husbnde to have the other half thereof and after the expiracon of one yere nowe next comeinge after the date hereof I give and bequeath my said messuage & tenement with the appurtenances in Stainforde aforesaid and the lease of the same and all other assurances which I have touchinge the same to the said Richard Husbnde my sonne To have and to holde the same unto him the said Richard Husbnde my said sonne his executors & assignes for & duringe all such termes of yeres as are not thereof unspente and not determined Always reservinge to Isabell my wife her widow right of in and upon the said tenement duringe her widow heade Item I give and bequeath unto Richard Husbnde my sonne one Gavelocke which I lent to Thomas Lakelande certayne bordes lying over the said Richard his bed and the bed also in full satisfaction of his childe porcon of my goodes Item I give & bequeath all the residue of my goodes and cattells my debtes & funerall expenses being discharged equally to bee divided betwene Isabell my wife and Agnes husband my daughter And I make and ordeyne Agnes husbnde my daughter my sole executrix of this my last will and testament These being witnesses William Cockette William Wilcocke and Bryan Baynbrigge

Latin text

*Giggleswick
Stainforth*

James Iveson 1665

**Borthwick Craven/Prog. probate file Feb 1665/6 died 12 April 1665
Ref. vol 47 fol 343**

In the name of god amen I James Iveson of Langcliffe beinge sicke and weak of body butt of pfect memory praysed be god doe make this my last will and testament in manner and forme followinge First I bequeath my soule into ye hands of my maker wishinge through the meritts of Jesus Christ to be made partaker of Eternall happiness, and my body to be buried in ye Church yarde of Gigleswick att ye discretion of my freinds, And as to my Temporall goodes I give and bequeath as followethe First I give unto my sister Elizabeth Twentye shillings \to be paid/ within one halfe yeare after my decease alsoe I give unto Robert Kendall and Ann Kendall children of ye said Elizabeth my sister either of them Tenn shillings likewise to be paid within halfe A yeare after my decease I doe alsoe make my well beloved wife Margaret Iveson whole Executrix of this my last will and Testament In wittnesse whereof I have hereunto sett my hand ye seventh day of Aprill One Thousand sixe hundred sixtie five

witnesses

mke

mke

William (mark) Ridgely James (mark) Iveson
John Paley

Margaret Iveson and John Carr bound

LAWRENCE IVESON 1658 Ref.Borthwick.York. vol.59 fol.309
Transcribed by S.Gordon

In the name of God Amen The one and twentyth day of June in the yeare of our Lord one thousand six hundred fifty eight I Lawrence Iveson of Giggleswicke in the County of yorke sick in body but of good & pfect remembrance praised be God doe make this my last will and testament in manner & forme Following First I doe Commit and willingly resigne my soule into the mercifull hands of Almighty God my maker and Creator trusting through his mercy and by the merrits of Jesus Christ my onely Redeemer to be saved and to have pardon and remission of all my sinnes; And my body to the earth whereof it was made to be buried in my parish Church yard of Giggleswicke at the discretion of my friends; And for my worldly goods and estate I doe give devise and dispose of the same as Followeth; First my will and mind is that Margaret (*sic*) my will and mind is that Margaret my wife shall have all my personall estate And that out of the same she shall pay to the Governors of the school twenty shillings unto them, Also I will that after the death and decease of my mother my said wife Margaret shall have and enjoy my house and garden with it appurtenances towards the bringing upp of my children soe long as my said wife doth live and continue in her pure widdowhead And after the death of my said wife or her second marriage whether as shall sooner happen Then I doe give unto my eldest daughter Ellen Iveson my said house and garden; And I will that out the same she shall pay unto my younger daughters Elizabeth & Margaret Iveson forty shillings a peece within two yeares next after she shall enter to the said house Alsoe my will is that all my said three daughters shall have house roome and lodgeing in my house with Margaret my wife soe long as they continue unmarried, And that after my daughter Ellen shall enter to my said house then my two younger daughters to have house roome and lodgeing in my said house with my daughter Ellen until such time as she shall pay them there said forty shillings a peece; And if my younger daughters or either of them be willing to spare there said money after the time it should be paid as abovesaid then my said daughter Ellen shall let them have house roome with her as abovesaid soe long as they shall be willing to let her keepe there said portion, Provided that they live unmarried; Alsoe I doe make Margaret my wife sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament; In Witness whereof I have hereto set my hand and seale the day and yeare first abovesaid Lawrence Iveson his marke Witnesses hereof Hugh Stackhouse Brian Cookeson Tho: Peart his mark

One line Latin
Giggleswick modern spelling