

**BURROW JOHN 1715 Ref. Borthwick vol. 70 fol. 247 mic 990
& Inventory original**

In the name of God Amen The
 twenty ninth day of May Anno Dm 1715 I John Burrow of Gigleswick
 in the County of Yorke Labourer being in good health & of perfect memory
 do make & declare this my last will & Testament revoking all other former
 will & wills whatsoever made by me First I recomend my Soule into the
 hands of Almighty God my maker trusting through his mercy & by the
 meritts & mediation of Jesus Christ my redeemer to bee saved & my body
 to bee decently buried att the discretion of my Executor hereafter named
 And as for the Temporall Estate which it hath pleased God to bestow upon
 me I give & dispose of the same as followeth First I give & devise unto
 Richard Darley & Mary his wife my neice the sume of twenty shillings
 a peice Itm I give unto John Hirst & his sister children of Edward Hirst
 of East Bradford by his first wife the summe of Fifteen pounds a peice Item I
 give unto Thomas Burrow of Mitton twenty shillings and unto Rosamund
 the wife of James Haydocke Thomas Burrow of dalehead in Bolland
 Henry Knowles of Whitehill house & Mary his wife the Summe of Twenty
 shillings a peice Item I give unto the persons and housekeepers where I dye
 the summe of Five pounds for the trouble of the house at my Funerall
 Item my will & mind is that all the above mentioned Legacies bee paid by my
 Executor within six months next after my decease and Lastly I doe hereby
 nominate and appoint the above named Henry Knowles of white hill house
 Sole Executor of this my last will and Testament who I order to Expend and
 disburse att his discretion the summe of Ten pounds upon my Funerall out of
 the Remainder of my personall Estate to whom I give all the rest of my Estate
 not heretofore disposed of In Witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand &
 Seale the day & yeare above written: John Burrow his marke. Seald Signd
 published and declared by the above named John Burrow as his last will and
 Testament in the presence of us. The Rasure in the twenty first & twenty second
 lines being first made Richard Ellershaw T: Lawson

October the 7th. 1715
 An Inventory of the goods and
 Money which did belong & appertain
 Unto late John Burrow of Clocehouse
 In the Parish of Gigleswick aprized by us whose
 Names are hereunto subscribed

	£	s	d
Imprimis his Purse and his Apparell	5	0	0
Item his Chest	0	5	0
Item in bonds and bills	25	0	0
Item in money without bill or bond	7	0	0
	37	5	0

William Frankland
 Thomas Frankland
 Richard Brayshaw
 William Swainson

Item his funerall Expences	£5	14	3
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BALDERSTONE RICHARD 1732 Inventory Borthwick Original

A True & Perfect Inventory
of the Goods Chattles Creditts
& Personall Estate of Richard
Balderstone late of Clapham
in the County of York Grocer deceased
made & Apprized by us Whose Names are
hereunto Subscribed this 12 day of June
Anno Domini 1732

	li	s	d
Imprimis Purse & Apparell	15	0	0
Upon Specialty about the Shop	115	0	0
Upon Bond for Book Debts	30	0	0
Upon Bills for Book Debts	30	0	0
Book Debts Good & Bad	70	0	0
Beds & Bedding	10	0	0
Linnen of All Sorts	5	0	0
A Clock	2	2	0
A Tunn of Lead	14	0	0
A Jack	0	6	8
Brass & Pewter	5	0	0
Wood Vessell of All Sorts	1	10	0
Chairs Stools & Buffets	1	10	0
A Chest of Drawers & Tables	2	0	0
Implements Belonging to Book Binding	0	10	0
Books	2	0	0
All other Utensils belonging to Housekeeping	2	0	0

Total 305 18 8

Apprized by us
Oliver Thornton
Wm. Skirrow
Edmund Robinson
John Lawson

**BANKS DOROTHY 1712/13 Ref. Borthwick vol. 68 fol. 250 mic. 989
& Inventory original**

In the name of God Amen The thirty first day of July in the yeare
of our Lord God one thousand seaven hundred & Twelve I Dorothy Banks of Green in the parish
of Giggleswick & County of york Spinster being some what infirme & weak in body but of sound
perfect and disposing memory (praised be God for the same) & knowing the uncertainty of
this Life on Earth & being desireous to settle things in order doe make this my last Will and
Testament in manner & forme following (that is to say) First & principally I Commend my soul
to Almighty God my Creator assuredly trusting that I shall receive full pardon & free
remission of all my sins & be saved by the precious death & meritts of my blessed saviour
& Redeemer Christ Jesus & my body to the Earth from whence it was taken to be buried in
such decent & Christian manner as to my Exors hereafter named shalbe thought meet
& convenient And as touching such worldly Estate as the Lord in mercy hath lent me
my will & mind is the same shalbe employed & bestowed as hereafter in & by these presents
is expressed & declared Itm it is my will & mind that all my just debts & Funerall Expences
be paid by my Executor hereafter named Itm it is my will & mind & I do hereby give & bequeath unto
William &
Robert Banks sons to my nephew William Banks of Green aforesaid each of them the sum of thirty
pounds to be
paid to them by my Executor hereafter named as they shall severally attaine to the age of Twenty one
yeares
& if it shall happen that either of them shall dye before he shall attaine to the age of Twenty one yeares
then it is my will & mind that his Legacy shall be paid by my Executor to the survivor & if it shall happen
that they shall both dye before they shall attaine to the age of twenty one yeares aforesaid then it is
my will & mind that the said Legacies shall be & remaine to my Executor hereafter named. It. it is my
will
& mind & I do hereby give & bequeath unto Margaret wife of William preston of Hanlith in the parish
of Kirkby Malhamdale & County of York aforesaid yeoman the summe of Ten pounds to be paid to her
by my
Executor hereafter named within Twelve months next after my decease It. it is my will & mind & I do
hereby
give & bequeath unto my said nephew William Banks (after my just debts Legacies & Funerall Expences
be paid & discharged) all my Goods Cattells & Chattells whatsoever & do hereby appoint my said
nephew
William Banks sole Exec. of this my last Will & Testament revokeing & by these presents disannulling
& makeing void & of none effect all former & other Will & Wills Testament & Testaments whatsoever
by me heretofore formerly made or declared either in word or writing whatsoever & I do hereby
publish & declare this onely to be my last Will & Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my
hand & seale the day & yeare first above written. Dorothy Banks her marke. Sealed \signed/ published
& declared in the presence of us John Banks William Banks.

2 lines latin

October 1st 1712

Then an Appraisemt. made of all the Goods &
Chattells of Dorothy Banks of Green late
late (*sic*) deceased by us whose names are Subscribed

	li	s	d
Inprimis her Purse & Apparrell	20	00	00
It. Pewter	03	00	00
In linnen	05	00	00
In Chests Desks & trunks	02	00	00

In bills bonds etc

<u>05</u>	<u>00</u>	<u>00</u>
80	00	00

Will Banks
Steph: Carr
Rob Settle
Hen Brow's Mark

BANKS ELIZABETH 1741 Inventory Borthwick original

April the 15th 1741

A true and perfect Inventroy of the Goods and Chattels of Elizabeth Banks lately deceased

	l	s	d
First Her Purse and Apparel	1	10	0
Goods in the House being poorly Furnished	1	15	0
Leasehold Lands at Giggleswick & an old House	<u>25</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	<u>28</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>

Appraised by us

Anth. Lister

Jno. Foster

BANKS Isabel of Feizor 1716 Ref. Borthwick original

An Inventory of the Goods and Chatels real of Isabel Banks late of Feizor in the parish of Giggleswick & Diocesse of York deced Made by us the twenty first Day of July 1716.

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A parcel of Sheep Gates in the pish of
Giggleswicke valued at

1 10 0

Tho: Ripley

Jno. Ash

Wm Mitton

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his marke

Giggleswick modern spelling

BANKS JOHN 1727 Inventory Borthwick original

1727 Januray the 14

A True & perfect Inventory of all the Goods and Chattles of John Banks deceased

	£	s	d
Imprimis his Purse & Apparrell	0	2	6
his horse riding furniture			
One Cow	2	0	0
One Parcel of Hay	0	10	0
One Par of (<i>gap</i>) & Turfes	0	2	0
One Cupboard	0	3	4
One Chist	0	2	0
One Table	0	2	6
One Ark	0	1	0
One Bed & Beding	0	2	6
3 Chists parlour	0	2	0
2 Chairs one backseat	0	3	0
Wood vessel	0	5	0
brass & Pewter	0	2	0
One fire Iron & other Iron things	0	2	0
2 Wheeles & ...ock 2 Sheets	0	2	0
	4	0	6

Apraised by us

Tho. Bradley

Robert Carr

John

John Barras

BANKS JOHN 1734 Ref. Borthwick vol. 83 fol. 461 mic. 1003

In the Name of God Amen I John
Banks of Feizor in the parish of Giggleswick and County of York Yeoman
Being sick and infirm in Body but of sound mind and perfect memory, praised
be God for the same, do make this my last will and Testament the first day of
September in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and Thirty
four in manner and form Following First and principally I recomend my
Soul to almighty God my Gracious Creator and mercyfull Redeemer and my
Body to the Earth of which it was made to be Buried after a Decent and Christian
manner and as for Such Temporall Estate as it hath pleased God to bestow upon
me I Give and dispose of the Same as followeth First my will and mind is that
all my Just Debts be paid also I Give and Bequeath to my sister Elizabeth the
wife of Edmond Green of Feizor the Sume of one hundred pounds also I Give
and Bequeath to my sister margaret the wife of william Banks of the Green
the Sume of one hundred pounds also I Give and Bequeath to my sister Anne the
wife of Christopher Ibbotson of Feizor the Sume of One Hundred Pounds And it is
my will and mind that the abovesaid Several Legacyes be paid and Discharged
within Twelve months next coming after my Decease also I Give to my Brother in
Law Christopher Ibbotson the Sume of Twenty pounds as a Recompence for the
Trouble he may or Shall Sustaine during my Sickness also I Give and Bequeath to Isabel
the Daughter of my Brother william Banks of Huggon house and to Anne the
Daughter of my Said Brother in Law Christopher Ibbotson all the Linnen Apparell
which were my late wives to be Divided equally between them also it is my
will and mind that my Said Sister Anne the wife of the afore Christopher Ibbotson
shall have the use of Two Rooms in my Dwelling house at Feizor aforesaid
Called Lower parlour and the Chamber over it for and During the Term of her
naturall Life provided she think fit to live therein otherwise not, also all the
Residue and Remainder of my Goods and Chattles both real and personall I Give
and Bequeath to my Brother william Banks of Huggon house in the Said parish
of Giggleswick and I do hereby Appoint him the Said william Banks sole Executor
of this my last will and Testament and Lastly I do hereby revoke and make void
all wills by me previously made In witness whereof I have hereunto Sett my hand
and Seal the Day and Year first above written, John Banks Sealed Signed declared
and published by the Said John Banks to be his last will and Testament the
nineteenth line being first Interlined in the presence of Robert Whitehead
the mark or letter of Thomas Stephenson. Thomas Banks. This Will passed the Seal
the 4th day of December 1734

**BANKS MABEL 1709 Ref. Borthwick vol. 68 fol. 78 mic. 989
& Inventory original**

This Twentieth day of the first month commonly called March in the yeare according to the English account one thousand Seven hundred & nine or Ten I Mabel Banks of Room houses in the parish of Giggleswick & County of York widow being aged but in perfect sound & disposing memory and calling

to mind the Uncertainty of this Life & the Certainty of death and therefore minded to dispose & settle my outward & temporall Estate which the Almighty God hath blessed me with so I do make & ordain this my last

Will & Testament touching the same as followeth First it is my will & mind & I do hereby give to my Son in Law

Simon Yeal the Summe of two pounds & to his wife Elliner Yeal my own Daughter Forty pounds Item I give

unto John Atkinson of Room houses my Grandson in law Two pounds & to Alice his wife my Granddaughter

Thirty pounds Item I give to my Son in law Emanuel Richardson Two pounds Item I give to my Granddaughter

Mabel Richardson Daughter of the said Emanuel Richardson the Summe of Ten pounds so as the said several persons Legatees do each of them Release unto my Executrixes hereafter named all such title interest & pretentions which they have or may have or claime to any part or parts portion or portions of the personall Estate of my late Son Thomas Banks now in my hands & in case any of the said persons shall

Refuse or being thereunto requested delay to give or make such Release or Releases to my said Executrixes

the Legacies & Gift by me before expressed & given to such refusing & delaying person shall cease determine

& not be payable & I do give the Same to my Executrixes hereafter named & as to the said Mabel Richardson

in respect she is a Minor & thereby incapacitated either to receive her said legacy or to give such Release to my Executrixes as I have hereby directed my will is that so soone as her said Legacy shall become due &

payable that the same be paid to the hands of her said Father or other her Guardians for her use so as her said

Father or other her Guardians do give a Receipt or Discharge for the same & in consideration thereof doe make on her behalfe such Release to my Executrixes as is before directed Item I do alsoe give to my Cozen

William Collingwood five pounds It. I doe give & bequeath the several Summes of money hereafter mentioned

to the severall persons hereafter named (that is to say) to James Walker of Meale Bank for & to the only use of a Child of Marke Bradleys late of Mewith deceased Four pounds To Robert Settle of Tatham Four pounds To such of the children of John Squire that he had by his second wife as shall be liveing at my decease Five pounds To Robert Furnace four pounds To John Easterby Two pounds To such of the Children of Henry Robinson as shall be liveing at my decease Two pounds Ten shillings To Peter Wigglesworth Four pounds thirteen shillings & Four pence To John Moore of Eldroth five pounds To Luke Benson Two pounds Ten shillings All which said Legacies I do order shall be payable at the end of one yeare next after my decease & not before And further it is my will & mind & I do hereby give devise & bequeath to Christopher Ellershaw of Tatham his heires & assign or assignes for ever and to the Executors of Nathan Huberslee late of Yelland for the onely use of the Heire or Heirs Assign or assignes of the said Nathan Hubberslee for ever All my right title & Interest claime & Demand whatsoever of in & unto one parcell of land called Hillhead in my possession or my Tenants & another parcell of land called Bowers & another parcell of Land called Garrow pott: all which said parcells or peices of Ground or Land I am lawfull owner & standeth lawfully possessed of and

I do hereby freely clearely & absolutely give devise & bequeath them as afore with all priviledges Easements profitts & appurtences whatsoever belonging or in any wise appertaining to the aforementioned

Lands lyeing neare over Bentham (that is to say) equally betwixt the above said Christopher Ellershaw his heirs or Assigns & the Executors of the said Nathan Huberslee for the use before expressed And I do nominate constitute & appoint my daughter Ellinor Yeale & my Granddaughter Alice Atkinson Joynt Executrixes of this my last Will & Testament And all the residue of my personall Estate I give & bequeath unto

my said Daughter Ellinor Yeal and to such of her children as shall be liveing at my decease & to my Granddaughter Alice Atkinson & to such of her children as shall be liveing at my decease equally amongst them And my will & mind is that they bury me in a decent & Christian manner according as I may by my word of mouth direct & defray the charge of the same And in Witness that this is my last Will & Testament & no other I have hereunto sett my hand & seal the day & yeare first above written Memorandum that the word Ten in the Eleventh line was interlined before the sealing & delivery hereof Mabell Banks her marke Sealed signed published declared and delivered to be the last Will & Testament of the above said Testator in the sight & presence of us James Atkinson Thomas Carr

A True & perfect Inventory of the Goods & Chattells of Mabell Bankes widdow late of Roomehouses in the parish of Gigeswilke in the County of Yorke made & apprized by us whose names are hereunto subscribed this Fourth day of December Anno Domini 1711

	li	s	d
Imprimis Her purse & apparell	05	00	00
Item in Bedstocks and bedding	03	00	00
Item one Chist and two Chaires	00	15	00
Item in Brass and pewter	00	10	00
Debts owing to the deseased by Specialty			
Imprimis Tho: Wildman of Coudcoats by Bond	40	00	00
Item Tho: Preston of Nealsing by Bond	20	00	00
Item Hen: Bateson of Crag by Bond	20	00	00
Item Rob: Cumerland of Overbentham by Bond	10	00	00
Item George Topham and Tho: Wilson of Riding by Bond	05	00	00
Item Will: Bains and Wm. Elwood by bond	10	00	00
Debts owing to the deseased without Specialty			
Imprimis by Rob: Baines	10	00	00
Item in her books by severall persons	00	05	00
Item Wm. Wray	01	09	00
	105	19	00

Aprized by us
 Robert Carr
 William Frankland
 Mathias Husens
 Thomas Frankland

**BANKS WILLIAM 1707 Ref. Borthwick vol 67 fol 139 mic 988
& Inventory original**

In the name of God Amen The Third day of Aprill in
the yeare of our Lord \God/ One Thousand Seaven hundred & Seaven I William Banks the
Elder of Green in the parish of Giggleswick & County of York yeoman being somewhat
infirme & weak in body but of sound perfect & disposing memory (praised be God
for the same) and knowing the uncertainty of this Life on earth & being desirous
to settle things in order doe make this my last Will & Testament in manner & forme
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..... & bequeathed by the merritts of my blessed Saviour & Redeemer
Christ Jesus & my body to the earth from whence it was taken to be buried in such
decent & christian manner as my Executor hereafter named shall be thought
meet & convenient And as touching such worldly Estate as the Lord in mercy
hath Lent me my will & mind is the same shall be employed & bestowed as
hereafter in & by these presents is expressed & delivered First it is my will & mind
that all my just debts & Funerall expences be paid by my Executor hereafter named
Itm it is my will & mind & I doe hereby give & Bequeath unto my son William Banks
All that my messuage & Tenement scituate & being at Green aforesaid And alsoe all
that Fourth part of the Tith Corne & Graine within the Township of Rathmell & one
Moeity or halfe part of \one/ barne thereunto belonging with all houses edifices barnes &
buildings Closes Inclosures Lands meadows rights members & appertenances whatsoever
to the said Messuage & Tenement or the said Tith Corn or Graine belonging or
appertaining for & dureing the Terme of his naturall Life onely Itm I doe hereby
give & bequeath unto my Grandson William Banks & to his heires & Assignes for
ever All that the aforesaid Messuage & Tenement scituate & being at Green
aforesaid with all rights members & appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging
from & immediately after the decease of my said son William Banks to enter upon
& enjoy the same to his most benefitt & advantage And I doe also hereby give & bequeath
unto the said William Banks my Grandson the summ of One hundred pounds to be paid
to him when he shall accomplish the age of Twenty one yeares if he shall so long
live by my Executor hereafter named Item I doe alsoe hereby give & bequeath unto
Robert Banks my Grandson & to his heires & Assignes for ever All that the aforesaid
fourth part of the Tith Corne & Graine within the Township of Rathmell & the said
moeity or halfe part of the said barne & all rights and members priviledges & appurtenances
thereunto belonging from & immediately after the decease of my said son William
Banks to enter upon & enjoy the same to his most benefitt & advantage And I doe
alsoe hereby give & bequeath unto the said Robert Banks the sume of one hundred
& Forty pounds to be paid to him by my Executor hereafter named When he shall
accomplish the age of twenty one yeares if he shall so live Item I doe give & bequeath
unto my Sister Dorothy Banks the sume of Two pounds yearly to be paid to her
for & dureing the terme of her naturall life by my Executor the first to begin at
the end of Twelve monthes next after my decease to be paid her yearly

....next four lines gone....

Banks to be sole Executor of this my last Will & Testament & I do hereby
..... make void & of none effect all former & other will & wills Testament & Testaments
Whatsoever by me hereafter formerly made or delivered ... by hand or writing And
I doe hereby make declare & appoint this onely to be my last Will & Testament In
witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand & seale the day & yeare first above
written William Bankes sealed signed published & declared in the sight & presence
of John Green marke Jane Green Mar: Richardson

..one line latin...

September the second day 1710
 Then an apprisement made of all the
 Goods and chattels of William Bankes the
 Elder of Green late deceased by us
 whose names are Hereunto Subscribed

	li	s	d
Imprimis His Purse and Apparrell	20	00	00
Item Hay and Corne and five Cows	25	00	00
Item Three Stears, Three Stirkes and one Heifer	13	00	00
Item Three Calves, two Mares & one Hog	9	01	00
Item Eleaven Sheep and four lambs	02	10	00
Item In the Kitching in brass, Pewther and Chaires and one Clock and other goods	05	00	00
Item In the great parlour one bed and beding a table, Chairs, one Cupboard and other goods	04	00	00
Item In the little Parlour one bed and beding one Chest and other goods	02	00	00
Item In the Milkhouse and Washhouse in pewther, pots, basons & other goods	02	00	00
Item In the Chamber over the Kittchen in meal, malt, arks, one bed & beding and other goods	05	00	00
Item In the Chamber over the great parlour One Bed and beding, One table, one Cloase press and Chairs and other goods	03	00	00
Iten In the Chamber over the little parlour one bed & other goods	01	00	00
Item In the chamber over the poarch one bed and beding, Chairs and other goods	02	00	00
Item In the Chamber over the milkhouse & wash house one bed and beding, one Arke, one table, one trunk, one chest And other goods	04	00	00
Item In Carts, Wheels, plows, Yoaks, teams, Sacks and Other Husbandry Gears	05	00	00
Item One mortgage from John Lawson of Lodge to William Bankes for	80	00	00
Item One Mortgage from jeremiah Lawson of Lodge to William Bankes for	100	00	00
Item One Mortgage from James Procter & Margret his Wife of one tenement Called Wether Coat to William Bankes for	250	00	00

Henry Nowell

Henry \his marke/ Browne
 Robert Settle
 Stephen Carr

BANKS WILLIAM 1741 Ref. Borthwick vol.91 fol.283 mic.1010

(Although says 'Wiggleswick' he was buried in Giggleswick. 'Wm. Banks of The Green, Giggleswick' – Parish Registers vol.2 page 178)

In the Name of God Amen This fourth day
of August in the year of our Lord God one thousand seven hundred and Forty
one I william Banks the Elder of Green in the parish of Wiggleswick and County
of york yeoman being of sound perfect and disposing mind and memory and
understanding praised be God for the same; do make and ordain this my last
will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say, First & principally
I Commend my soul to almighty God my Creator by whom of his free and only
Grace Hope to be saved and received after this \transitory/ Life with the Elect into Eternal
Rest through the pretious merits death and passion of my Blessed Saviour & Redeemer
Jesus Christ and my Body I Comit it to the Earth to be interred at the discretion of my Executors
here after named, and as for the worldly Estate which the Lord hath Lent me I Give and
Dispose of the same as follows And first it is my will and mind that all my just debts
Funeral Expences and the Charges of the probate of this my will to be truly paid
of and discharged by my Executors hereafter named in Convenient time after my
decease and it is my will and mind and I do Give devise and bequeath unto my son
william Bankes the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds of Currant British money
which I intend to be in lieu and full Satisfaction of all and all manner wast by me
Comitted Likewise my will and mind is and I Give and bequeath unto my said son
william Banks all my Houshold Goods and Goods belonging Husbandry whatsoever
all the rest residue and Remainder of my Goods Chattles moneys due and to grow due
upon mortgages and other moneys Debts Rights Credits Dues Dutyes and personal
Estate whatsoever and wheresoever the same bee I hereby Give Devise and bequeath
unto my Executors hereafter named Equally betwixt them Share and Share alike
and Lastly I do hereby nominate Constitute and Appoint my said son william Bankes
and my son Robert Bankes Joint Executors of this my last will and Testament In
witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first above
written William Bankes Signed Sealed published and Declared by the said Testator william Bankes
as his last will and Testament in our presence and by us attested as witnesses thereto in his presence
and at his Request Wm Hall Ja. Carr – This will past the seal the 6th Day of June 1747

BATTY JOHN 1731 Ref. Will Borthwick vol.82 fol. 270 mic.1002 & Inventory original

In the name of the Holy & undevided Trinity three persons & one God blessed for ever Amen
I John Batty of Settle in the County of York Inholder being of sound & disposing mind & memory
praised be Almighty God
for the Same but Calling to mind the uncertainty of Life & certainty of Death do this present
thirteenth day of March in the year
of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred & Thirty one make & publish this my last Will &
Testament in manner & form following
(that is to say) Imprimis I recommend my Soul to Almighty God hoping for a blessed resurrection
to Life Eternall by & through the merits
& Intercession of our Saviour Jesus Christ & as to my Body I Commit to the Earth to be decently
Interred in Such manner as my Executor
afternamed Shall think proper And as to my worldly Estate I dispose thereof in manner & form
following after payment of my just debts
& Funeral expences First I give devise & bequeath all & Singular my Freehold & Leasehold Lands
Tenements & Hereditaments & premisses
whatsoever Situate Lying & being within the Township of Settle or elsewhere in the County of
York unto Richard Batty my Son his Heirs &
Assigns for ever Item I give devise & bequeath all & Singular my Leasehold Lands & premisses
whatsoever herein before mention'd unto
the Sd. Richd. Batty my Son his Executors Administrators & Assignes for during & untill the full
end & expiration of all such Terms & numbers
of years as Shall be then therein to Come & unexpired Item I give & bequeath unto Watkinson
Batty my Son the Sum of five Shillings to be
paid to him at my decease by my Executor after named As for All the rest Residue & remainder of
my Goods Cattle Chattells household stuff
& personal Estate whatsoever & wheresoever the Same be I give & bequeath the Same unto
Richard Batty my Son whom I make Sole
Executor of this my last Will & Testament hoping he will See the Same Carefully performed as
my Trust is in him reposed & do by these
presents revoke disanull & make void all other former Will & Wills whatsoever by me made In
Witness whereof I the Sd. John
Batty the Testator have hereunto Set my hand & Seal the day & year above written John Batty.
Signed Sealed publish'd & declared
by the Testator to be his Last Will & Testament in the Sight & presence of John Clough Simon
Thompson W: Lawson
Ent. 24^{to} Aprilis 1732

A true and perfect Inventory of the Goods and Chattells of John Batty late of Settle in the County of
York Inkeeper deceased Appraized by us whose names are hereunto subscribed this First day of
April Anno Dmi 1732

Imprimis His purse and apparrell	1	0	0
Item his Horse Bridle and Saddle	3	0	0
Item His Bed Bedstocks and Furniture belonging the same	2	10	0

John Clough
Richard Geldard
W Lawson

BATTY RICHARD 1736 Ref. Borthwick vol. 85 fol. 87 mic. 1005

In the Name of God Amen

I Richard Batty of Settle in the County of York Innholder being Indisposed as to my health but of Sound and disposing mind and memory praised be almighty God for the Same do this present first day of march one thousand Seven hundred thirty and Six make publish and declare this my last will and Testament in manner and form following and first I Give & Bequeath unto watkinson Batty my Brother the Sume of five Shillings to be paid by my Executrix herein after named within Twelve months next after my decease in Case she shall come in person and demand the Same but not otherwise also I Give and Bequeath unto watkinson Batty of Newcastle upon Tyne my Nephew the like Sume of five Shillings to be paid by my Executrix herein after named within Twelve months next after my decease Also I Give & devise unto Sarah Batty my dear and loveing wife all and Singular my (Freehold) messuage Lands and premisses with the Appurtenances Scituate lying and (being?) within the Townshipp of Settle aforesaid or elsewhere and unto her heirs and assignes absolutely for ever also I Give devise and Bequeath unto my said wife her Executors Administrators and assignes all and Singular my Leasehold Lands and premisses with Appurtenances Scituate lying and being within the Townshipp of Settle aforesaid or elsewhere during all the Terme and Estate I have herein absolutely as for all the rest residue and remainder of my personall Estate what soever and wheresoever the Same be, after payment of my Just debts Legacys herein before by me bequeathed and funerall Expences out thereof, I Give and Bequeath the Same unto the Said Sarah Batty my wife whom I do hereby make and appoint Sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament In Witness whereof I the Said Richard Batty the Testator have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the day and year first above written, Richard Batty, Signed Sealed published and declared by the Testator to be his last will and Testament in the Sight and presence of us and by us Severally Subscribed in his presence, Edward Cooke Joseph procter Edw. Salisbury, This will passed the Seal the 6th day of June 1737

**BAYNES JAMES 1719/20 Will (Nuncupative) Ref. Borthwick vol. 74 fol. 353 mic. 993
& Inventory original**

On The 17 day of The 1st. month called March 1719/20

James Baynes of Setle Beeing asked How His
Mind was or who should Have his goods that
was now in His power to dispose of: and Hee
Beeing sensible saide my wife \Elin/ Shee paying
my Just Debts In the hearing of
John Armitstead
Christopher \His Marke/ Lupton
Agnus \Her Mark/ Lupton
Elzabeth \Her Mark
Wray \her Marke/ Wray

Mar the 21st 1719 / 20

Then an Aprisement made of the goods & chattles lately
belonging to James Baynes of Settle deceased by us whose
names are Subscribed

Imprimis his purse & apparell	0	15	0
I heifer	1	0	0
I pigg	0	8	0
Goods in the bodystead of the house	2	10	0
Goods in the parlour	0	10	0
Brewing pan & vessells	1	1	0
Goods in & over the Cellar chamber 5s	0	5	0
Goods in & over the parlour chamber	2	10	0
Goods in the chamber over the house	3	0	0
Goods in the brewhouse chamber	1	10	0
liquor & vessells in the Cellar	3	0	0
hay & fire fuell	0	10	0
	<u>17</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>0</u>

Wm. Carr
John Armitstead
James Geldard
Wm. Birkbeck

BAYNES MARGARET 1732**Ref. Borthwick Will vol. 82 fol. 500 mic. 1003 & Inventory original**

In the name of the Holy and undivided Trinity three persons and One God blessed for Ever Amen I Margaret Baynes of Gigleswick in the County of York widdow being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and Testament revokeing disannulling and makeing void all other will and wills whatsoever by me made in manner and form Following that is to say Imprimo I recommend my soul to God hoping for a Blessed Resurrection to Life Eternal by and through the Merrits and Intercession of our saviour Jesus Christ and as for my Body I commit to the Earth to be decently interred in such manner as my Executor afternamed shall think proper and as for my worldly Estate I dispose thereof in manner and form Following after payment of my just Debts and Funeral Expences I give devise and bequeath to my son Richard Baynes the sum of five shillings to be paid to him within one month next after my Decease in full for his Legacy he before haveing received Ten pounds from me Item my Will and mind is and I do hereby give and bequeath the sum of five shillings to my sister Elizabeth Marsden the same being a Legacy given to me by my sister Anne Kendall and the same to be paid to her at the time I should have received it Item my will and mind is and I do hereby give and bequeath all the rest residue and remainder of my real and personal Estate Household Goods Chattels of what Kind nature and quality soever the same are or shall be found to my son John Baynes and do by virtue hereof make and appoint him the said John Baynes sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and seal the this fifth day of September in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred and Thirty (Two) Margaret Baynes her Mark Signed Sealed published and Declared to be the last will and Testament of the said Margaret Baynes in the presence of Charles settle: Richard Geldard W. Lawson Ent. 6th March 1732

A true and perfect Inventory of the Goods and Chattells rights and Credits of Margaret Baynes late of Gigleswick in the County of York Widow deceased appraised by us whose names are hereunto subscribed this Ninth day of October Ano Dm 1732

Imprimis Her purse and apparell	0	13	4
Item One pair of Bedstocks one Chaff bed & furniture belonging the same		12	6
Seven Old Chairs		4	0
One little Table and Longsettle		6	8
Four Brass pans and a warming pan		14	10
Five little pewter dishes and Six old plates		4	9
One pair of Racks one pair of tongs one Tin dripping pan one Broyling Iron one Brass Candle Stick one brass Sawce pan one Speet one Chafing dish one pair of Briggs one pewter posit Cup one pewter Chamber pot one pewter Tankard two pewter poringers one Salt and one musterd box		9	11
One Chest one Desk one old Trunk Four Old boxes one Spinning Wheel and Reel & one old Gallon		16	8
One Toasting Iron with some old potts and bottles and other Huslement in and about the house		3	7

	4	6	3

T. Lawson
Wm. Young

BEETHAM MICHAEL 1737 Ref. Borthwick vol. 87 fol. 118 mic. 1006

Bee it Remembered that I Michael Beetham of Settle In the parish
of Giggleswicke and County of York Husbandman Being in perfect Memory Do make publish
and Declare this my last will and Testament In Manner and Forme folowing That is to say
first I will that all my Just Debets and funeral Expences be paid and Discharged out of
the whole of my Effects Item I Give Unto Agnes my wife All the household goods whatsoever
that she had when I married her And also all the Severall and Respective Sume of Money That is
in the Severall persons hands hereinafter named And the Securetys that I have for the same To
Enter
to Immediatly at the time of my Decease That is to say All the monies thats in my Brother
Benjamin
Kidd hand Thirty pounds in Richard Brayshay hand Ten pounds in Robert Radcliff hand and
Ten pounds in Lawrence Peacock hand Item all the Residue and Remaining part of my
Estate both Real and personal whatsoever I Give Unto my son Thomas Beetham and
Whom also I Doe Nominate Constitute and Appoint Sole Executor of this my (last will)
and Testament And in Wittness that what is herein Contained is my last will and
Testament and a full and Clear Revokeation of all former and other wills whatsoever (I
thereunto Sett my hand and seal this Twenty Third day of the second month Commonly
Called April One Thousand Seven Hundred and Thirty Seven Michael Beetham
his hand and Marke Sealed Signed published and Declared to be the Last will and
Testament of the abovesaid Testator In the sight and presence of us John Wetherhead
his hand and marke francis Bell Thos Carr. This will passed the seal the BLANK

BELL Francis 1743 Inventory Borthwick Original

June the 3rd 1743

An Inventory of the Goods Cattle and Chattels of Francis Bell Innkeeper of Settle late deceased within the diocess of York

	li	s	d
His purse and apparel	10	0	0
Goods in Langcliffe Closes 3 Bullocks at	10	10	0
ditto 4 cows	14	0	0
do. 22 Ews	9	18	0
Do. 17 Lambs	4	5	0
Goods in Cammack Closes 2 Cows	8	0	0
4 Ditto	12	0	0
13 Weather Sheep and two Tupps	7	10	0
7 Ews and 8 Lambs	3	10	0
Goods in Moor Closes 4 Scott Ews	5	0	0
do. 10 Ews and 9 Lambs	4	10	0
Goods in Scaleber Pastures 4 Scotch Ews	4	0	0
Do. 2 Mares	8	0	0
Goods in Euman Barn Hay	2	0	0
3 Quarter & an half of Oates	3	3	0
Goods in the yard 6 piggs	3	0	0
Goods in the House 1 dresser and Pewter	2	0	0
One clock	1	0	0
Huslement	1	0	0
Goods in the Brewhouse copper and Tubbs	5	0	0
Goods in the little Parlour	2	10	0
Goods in the Great Parlour besides Heirlooms	1	0	0
Goods in the chamber over little Parlour	3	10	0
Goods in the Chamber over Great parlour	5	0	0
Goods in the House chamber besides Heirlooms	2	10	0
Do. in the little Garret besides Heirlooms	1	0	0
Do. in the middle Garret	0	15	0
Do. in the sun Garrett	0	15	0
Do. in the cellar 14 Barrels one Gileker	2	0	0
Do. silver plate	15	0	0
Do. in the Barn carts & wheels & other Husbandry Tools	5	0	0
	£157	16	0

Appraized by us whose names are hereunto subscribed

Miles Atkinson

John Wright

Charles Stewart

Francis Wellack

**BEND JOHN 1717/18 Ref. Borthwick vol. 72 fol. 154 mic. 992
& Inventory original**

I John Bend of Stainforth in the parish of Gigglesweeke being sick and in full perfect memory In the Name of God I bequeath my soule to God Almighty in the name of Jesus Christ Amen Imps. I give to Maudland Lister my God Daughter the one half of my personall Estate after my funerall Expences and Legacis be discharged Item I give to my Cozen Robert Jackson the one fourth part of my parsonall Estate after my funerall Expencis and Legasis be discharged Item I give to my Cozen Thomas Bend the one Fourth part of my parsonall Estate after my funerall Expences and Legasis bee discharged Item I give to John Stockdaile and his wife Rebecca Each of them twelve pence a peece Item I give to Robert Stockdaile my Godson son of John Stockdaile two shillings sixpence and it is my will and mind that I doe appoint my neigbhoures John Lakeland and William Foster to looke after my funerall Expencis Legacis be discharged according to my mind as Executors and I doe order to my Executors Each of them five shillings a peece for their Care and paines John Bend his marke Thomas Foster John Iveson Elizabeth Lakeland: her marke:

A true and perfect Inventory of the Goods and Chattells of John Bend of Stainforth under Bargh in the parish of Giggleswick apprized the fourth day of January by us whose names are Subscribed annoque Dni 1717/18.

	li	s	d
Imprimis his purse & apparrell	02	00	00
Specialties	13	00	00
Bedstocks & beding	00	10	00
Chests & Meal	00	05	00
Cheese & Butter	00	01	00
Brass & pewter	00	03	04
A Backstone Frying pan & Range	00	05	00
A Wood Vessell & Chaires & a table	00	03	04
Turves a Spinning Wheel & a Wheelbarrow	00	03	04
In other small householdmt	00	02	04
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	16	13	04
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Apprized by us
 Thomas Foster
 Gilbert Farbridge
 John Iveson
 Wm Bentham

Giggleswick modern spelling

BIRKBECK WILLIAM 1749 Ref. Borthwick original

Bee Itt Remembered That I William Birkbeck of Settle In the Parish of Giggleswick and County of York Shoppkeeper Being at this time In sound and perfect memory and Considering the uncertainty of my time in this mortall state Am therefore minded To make publish and Declare this my last Will and Testament In manner and forme Following That is to say First and principally I Committ my soul Into the Hands of Almighty God my maker Stedfastly hopeing Through the Meritts and Mediation of Jesus Christ my saviour and Redeemer to Receive Free pardon & Remission of all my sins & my Body to be buried In a Decent & Christian Manner by my Executor hereafter named And as Touching my outward & Temporall Estate I Do will Devise & Dispose thereof as Followeth First I Give and Devise unto my son William Birkbeck All my Houses Edifices and Buildings whatsoever Together with all & every of my Lands Grounds & Tenements & all the Rights Members & Appurtenances thereunto belonging & also all my writeings & evidences I have for the same To Have & to Hold unto him his \Heires/ Executors Administrators & Assignes for & Dureing all such time Termes & Numbers of Years as I have therein Yet unspent & to Come In Consideration & Upon Condition That he they or some of them Duely pay out thereof All & every such summ & summs of money at such times & in such manner as I shall hereafter in these presents order Limitt & Dierect That is to say unto my son John Birkbeck One Hundered pounds at the end of two Yeares next after my Decease Ittem I Give unto my son William five Childeren (viz) Sarah Morris William John & Thomas each of \them/ the summ of Ten pounds to be payd by my Executor when they shall severally Ataine the Age \of Twenty one yeares/ And if it so fall out that any of them happen to dye before they Ataine the said Age not leaving Lawfull Issue In such Case my will is That his or her part so dyeing shall not Decend upon the surviveours or suviveour but upon my Executor Nevertheless if it happen so that the Deceased have Left Lawfull Issue Then that his or her part shall go & be payd to such Issue Ittem I Give unto my daughter Jane the the (sic) summ of Two Hundered and Thirty pounds To be payd by my Executor In the Following manner (viz) One Hundered pounds thereof at the end of Twelve Months next after my Decease And the Remaineing part at the end of two Yeares Next after my Decease Ittem I also Give unto the Childeren of my said Daughter Jane (viz) Sara Jane Mary Ann Deborah Elizabeth William & Richard each of them the summe of Tenn pounds To be payd by my Executor as they severally Attaine the Age of Twenty one Yeares And my will also is that if any of them happen to dye before they Attaine the said Age without leaving Lawfull Issue that his her or their part that doth so dye shall not go unto the surviveours or surviveour but to my Executor Nevertheless my will also is that if the Deceased have left Lawfull Issue That his her or their part shall be payd to such Issue Ittem all the Residue and Remaineing part of my Estate not herein disposed on of what Nature kind or Quality soever or wheresoever I Give and Bequeath unto my said son William Birkbeck to enter into Immediately at my Decease In Consideration & upon Condition That he duely pay & Discharge all my Just Debts and Funerall Expences And all the severall & Respective summs of money above in the presents

mentioned In such manner & at such times as I have herein Limited and Directed and whome I do also Nominate Constitute and Appoint whole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament And in Testimony that what is Contained In this sheet of paper is my last Will and Testament and a full and Clear Revokeation of all Former and other wills whatsoever I have unto this my last will sett my hand & seal This Twenty Third day of the fourth month Commonly Called June One Thousand seven Hundered and Forty Nine

Sealed signed published and Declared by the above named William Birkbeck to be his last will and Testament In the presence of us whome at his Request have hereunto Subscribed our names After the Interlining of the following words (viz) them in the fourteenth line and twenty one Yeares in the fifteenth

Joseph Hall

Wm Birkbeck

Thos. Beetham

Thos Carr

BIRKIT James of Giggleswick 1729 Inventory Borthwick Original

A True and perfect Inventory of the goods and Chattels of James Birkit late of Giggleswick Deceased made by us whose names are under written on the 28th day of May 1729

Imp. purse and Apparrell	3	0	0
goods in the bodystead	0	10	0
goods in the Parlor	0	15	0
goods in the Kitching	0	15	0
goods in the Buttry and Cellar	2	10	0
goods in the Bodystead Chamber	2	0	0
goods in the Buttry Chamber	0	15	0
goods in the Parlor Chamber	1	0	0
Ash wood	1	0	0
one old horse	1	0	0
one litle Colt	1	5	0
one old Cow	2	10	0
two litle Piggis	0	12	0
Some husbandry gear	6	10	0
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	Total	18	2 0
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Apprized by us
Joss Dawson
John Carr
Matthew Watkinson
Matthias Watherhead

BOLLAND LEONARD 1712**WILL Ref. Borthwick vol. 68 fol. 140 Mic. 989 & Inventory original**

In the name of God Amen The seaventh day of May in the
yeare of Our Lord One thousand seaven hundred & Twelve I Leonard Bolland of Settle in the County
of York Apothecary being sick of body but of perfect & sound memory praised be God for the
same doe make this my last Will & Testament revoking & disanulling all other Wills whatsoever made
by me First I recomend my soul to Almighty God trusting by his mercy & the meritts of his son Jesus
Christ to be saved & my body to be decently buried at the discrecon of my Executrix hereafter named
And for the temporall Estate which God hath bestowed upon me I give devise & dispose of as
followeth And first my will & mind is that all my due debts & Funerall Expences shall be
paid & discharged by my Executrix out of my personall Estate It. I give & devise unto my Eldest
son Christopher his heires Execs Admins & Assignes the severall Messuages houses Lands & pmisses
called & known by the names of the Golden Lyon the house where I now dwell with the shops
& Chambers belonging the same the Tanner Barne & Garden the Garden called Cundalls Garden
with all their barnes buildings & pmisses thereunto belonging & alsoe all the houses & buildings
which I purchased of John Horsfield Thomas Squire & Thomas Chamberlaine alsoe the severall
Closes or parcells of Land called by the severall names of Camocks, Wildmans, Camock Close
Battys Camocks Close Greenriggs & Ashrayns with the appurtenances thereunto belonging He
the said Christopher his heires Exec. & Admin. or some of them paying out of the same unto
my son Leonard the sume of Thirty pounds (with Interest for the same to my Executrix till
he come to the Age of One & twenty yeares & Twenty pounds to my son Robert with Interest
for the same to my Executrix till he attaine the Age of One & Twenty yeares & the annuall
or yearely Rent of Eight pounds without any deduccon for Taxes Galds or Imposicions to my Executrix
or her Assignes at Martinmas & May Day yearely & every yeare for the terme of Ninety Nine
yeares if she soe long live Itm I give & devise to my son Richard his heires & assignes one
dwelling house barne & building thereunto belonging called Cundalls house (the Garden
thereunto belonging given before to my son Christopher excepted) and those Closes called Newfields
which formerly belonged to Mr Richard preston & William Kidd of over Settle the wheat Close
lying on the west side of the River Ribble & one full moyety or one halfe part of all his Cattlegates
Sheepgates Herbage & soil of Ground thereunto belonging in & throughout the pastures called
Scaleber Highhill Bancks & Scarr & Halstead & alsoe all my Houses right & Title within the
Townshipp of Giggleswick he the said Richard his heirs Executors Admin or some of them paying
out of the premisses aforesaid to my Executrix or her assignes the annuall Rent of Three pounds
Ten shillings at Martinmas & May Day by equall porcions for & dureing the Terme of Ninety Nine
yeares if she soe long live without deducion of any Taxes or Imposicions whatsoever Itm I
give & devise unto my son Leonard his Executors Administrators or assignes all those shops & buildings
called Parkinsons shops adjoying to the Teol Booth & the severall closes & Grounds called
Nadbreaks Longdales Attermires Butts Close Beckstones & the other moiety of all the Cattle
Gates & sheepgates in & throughout the pasture called Skaleber Highhill Halstead Bancks
& Scarr he the said Leonard his heirs Executor. Administrator or some of them paying out of
the same unto my Executrix the annuall Rent of Three pounds & Ten shillings at Martinmas & May Day
yearely & every yeare for the Terme of Ninety & Nine yeares if she so long live without deducion of any Taxes
or Imposicions whatsoever It I give & devise unto my son Robert his heires Exec. & admin. one Close
called Newfields formerly belonging to Adam Carr if my son Richard do not pay him in lieu thereof
Thirty Two pounds when he enters to the same & Interest thereof to my Executrix from & after the time he
enters thereto till my said son Robert attaine the age of One & Twenty yeares or the said sume of Thirty Two
pounds money be paid And I alsoe give & bequeath unto him the sume of one hundred & Fifty pounds to
be paid by my Executrix out of my personall Estate when he attaines one & Twenty yeares of Age And if it
happen that my personall Estate shall not amount to or raise the said summe of One hundred & Fifty pounds
over & besides discharging my just debts & Funerall Expences then my will & mind is & I doe hereby
order that the said summe of One hundred & Fifty pounds or so much thereof as my personall Estate will
fall short be first raised out of the mean profitts or yearely increase of all my Estate given and

devised unto the rest of my Children aforesaid before they or any of them shall enter unto any part Devised to them aforesaid Itm my will & mind is & I doe hereby order that if it happen my said son Christopher shall dye before he attaine the Age of one & Twenty yeares without Issue lawfully begotten Then the premisses above Devised to him shall go & descend unto my said son Richard He paying to my Two sons Leonard & Robert the summe of one hundred pounds apeice when they shall attaine their severall Ages of One & Twenty yeares or if either of them dye before he attaine the Age of one Twenty yeares then the said Richard to pay unto the Survivor of them the summe of Two hundred pounds when he shall attaine the Age of one & twenty yeares And if it happen that both my said sons Christopher & Richard shall dye before they attaine the Age of One & Twenty yeares & the premisses \before/ devised to them descend & come

to my son Leonard then my will & mind is my said son Leonard shall pay unto my son Robert the summe of Two hundred pounds when he shall attaine the Age of One & Twenty yeares Itm my will & mind is if any of my

younger Children happen to dye before they attaine the Age of One & Twenty yeares that such part or porcion as is hereby devised to him or them shall be equally divided amongst the Survivors as shall attaine the Age of One & Twenty yeares Itm my will & mind is that all my Children shall pay to the Lord of the Manor all Rents as shall become due & payable for their severall & respective premisses devised to them aforesaid Itm I give unto my Man James Berry One Guinea And lastly I do hereby nominate & appoint Lettis my (dear) & loveing wife sole Executrix of this my last Will & Testament (containing Two sheets of paper) To whom I give & leave the Tuicon of my Children & the management & meane profitts of my Estate dureing their minorities In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand & seale the day & yeare above written

Leo: Bolland. Sealed & published to be my last Will & Testament (these words heirs & assignes being first interlined in the Twenty first Line in the first sheet. Ric. Ellershew Tho: Carr T. Lawson

2 lines latin

*Annotated by Mary Slater
(Column 1)*

A Full & Perfect Inventory of all & every the Goods Cattell Chattells Householdstuffe debts and Creditts belonging to Leonard Bolland Apothecary late of Settle in the County of Yorke deceased made & Apprized by us whose names are hereunto subscribed this Twenty Eight day of May Anno Dom 1712

	li	s	d
Imprimis his Purse & Apparell	40	00	00
Item One Gray Mare	04	10	00
One Bay Mare	04	15	00
One little black Gelding	02	15	00
Three Cows	11	00	00
Two Stears	06	00	00
Two feeding Cows & Two Twinters	12	00	00
One hefer	02	05	00
One Calfe	01	05	00
One foale	01	10	00
Thirty Three Ews & Lambs	16	10	00
Nine shering sheep	03	10	00
Five other sheep & four lambs	01	13	04
One Chist & one truncke	00	05	00
One Arke, Meale, Beeffe & Cheeses	06	10	00
One Bedstead & Bedding for the same in the Garrett	03	00	00

Two Joyned Chairs	00	04	00
A Livery Cupboard	00	06	08
One table & two forms	00	13	04
Four old Chairs	00	04	00
One little Oake Chist	00	01	06
One table one Joyned form an old chair & shelves in the parlor	00	12	00
A Cupboard in the house	01	00	00
A Glass case 6 draw boxes & A long seat	00	02	06
A bakeing stone & briggs	00	03	00
2 shelves in the Celler	00	01	00
a paire of tongs	00	00	06
a paire of Bedstocks	00	13	04
halfe a rood of Ash boards	00	13	04
Two Coups wheeles & Cartgeare	01	00	00
An Arke & Oates in Cammack barne	00	15	00
Hay & straw	00	10	00
6 Sacks	00	08	00
Four riddles Cives & scuttles	00	01	06
A plow harrow & traces	00	10	00
6 loose boards a bearing barrow & Cowbands	00	02	06
2 Ladders	00	05	00
Latts	00	05	00
2 turfe Carts & an hay Cart	00	06	00
a paire of Cart stangs & 4 axle trees	00	02	06
a greaseing stoole & sithe	00	01	00
Clogg wheele timber	00	08	00
3 load sadles Cart sadle & a shovell	00	05	00
severall pieces of Ashwood	00	02	00
A Chist in the stable	00	05	00
A ladder & rimms for another	00	01	08
2 yoakes	00	01	06
One Arke & Malt in the same in the turfehouse	03	00	00
Turves Flaws & Coales	01	00	00
A fire shovell short ladder & A doore	00	01	06

In the Golden Lyon

2 paire of bedstocks in the parlor & a little table	00	05	06
Clock & Case	01	00	00
	37	05	00

(Column 3)

	li	s	d
A Long settle Cupboard & Glass case	00	15	00
One long table Frame & 3 Joyn'd forms	01	10	00
A little table att stairs head	00	01	00
One square table in the Midlerooome	00	06	08
A paire of bedstocks in the Red Chamber Curtains rods & an Ovall table	01	06	08
A paire of bedstocks & two Arks in the Garrett	01	00	00
One long table Frame & a Forme	00	10	00
Huslement of household goods and Husbandry geare	01	06	08
Juice of Buckthorne (1)	10	00	00
Syr of Buckthorne (2)	01	12	00
Aq: Composita (3)	01	12	08

Cons: Rosar: rub:	(4)	01	00	00
Elect. Mithrid:	(5)	03	15	00
Diascord:	(6)	01	00	00
Hynd's Cord:	(7)	01	16	00
Sacchar: Cond: alb.	(8)	01	00	00
♀ viv.	(9)	01	02	00
Succ. Hispanic	(10)	01	00	00
Emp: Cephall: Stom: & ab	(11)	01	05	00
Pills & Species	(12)	01	10	00
Syr Cariophyllor	(13)	01	00	00
ol: origan	(14)	01	00	00
Croc. opt.	(15)	01	04	00
in other Druggs, & preparations Chymicall & Galenicall	(16)	45	00	00
Shop Potts large & small belonging the Apoth: Shop		02	05	00
Shop Bottles		00	18	00
Mortars & Pestills		06	00	00
Alembick & large Brass pott	(17)	02	00	00
2 Coppr Stills	(18)	03	00	00
Quart Bottles, pints, Phyolls & Stone Bottles, Gally Potts & other small potts	(19)	03	00	00
Six nests of Boxes		03	10	00
Physick Books	(20)	05	00	00
Hops	(21)	08	00	00
Currans		04	08	00
Raisons		01	18	00
Bro: Sugers		21	00	00
More		04	00	00
Powdered Suger		02	16	00
Lofe Suger		02	16	00
Nuttmeggs		04	04	00
Cloves		01	10	00
Cinnammon		00	17	06
Treakle		01	02	00
Rozen		01	04	00
Brandy		04	05	00
Cutt Tob		15	03	08
Do. Rowle		03	08	00
Clove Pepper		01	10	00
Black Pepper		01	17	00
Starch		00	12	00
Bl: Pitch		00	16	00
		188	13	06

(Column 4)

		li	s	d
Cro: Sope	(22)	00	15	00
Lamb Black	(23)	00	11	00
Holland's Twine	(24)	00	08	00
Gun Powder		00	18	00
Cardam: Water	(25)	00	12	00
Cinnamon		00	09	00
Angellicoe Geneva, Wormewood & anas? [?]	(26)	00	09	00
writing Paper		00	08	00

Pins, Inkle, filliting Seal wax & other small wares (27)	02	06	00
Indicoe Blew (28)	00	12	00
in other Groceries	08	13	04
Stamped Paper, Parchment & B C: Bonds	10	09	03
old & Empty Boxes, Barrels & Casks	00	10	00
Scales, Weights & Measures	02	10	00
Draw Boxes Chists & Shelves	02	00	00
Searces (29)	00	03	00
In Bookes debts	100	00	00
By bonds bills & other specialties	100	00	00
	231	13	07
	188	13	06
	037	05	00
	178	00	04
	635	12	05
Debts oweing by the deceased upon Credit	198	00	00
By bond & specialties	250	00	00
	448	00	00

Apprized by us
Thomas Preston
James Towne
C. Lawson
James Bury

Footnotes

- (1) Juice of buckthorn berries, used to make syrup.
- (2) Syrup of buckthorn – juice of buckthorn infused with cinnamon, ginger, nutmegs, boiled to reduce, strained and sugar added. Or boil juice with sugar and add oil of cloves. Purgative, or for weakness due to chronic illness.
- (3) Aqua composita – a compound water. Plant mixture steeped in brandy or wine for a few days, then liquid drawn off.
- (4) Conserva rosarum rubrarum. A conserve of red rose buds pounded in a mortar and sugar added. Astringent.
- (5) Electuarium Mithridatium. Electuary – medicinal substance mixed with honey or syrup. Juices are dissolved and powders added by degrees. This electuary had a wide variety of spices and herbs including cinnamon, ginger, saffron, pepper, fennel, opium etc. mixed with hot honey and an added oil e.g. turpentine, oil of nutmeg etc.
- (6) Electuarium Diascordium. Includes leaves of scordium, and other leaves and roots, cinnamon, gum arabic opium. Mixed with Canary wine, boiled to honey thickness. Astringent, narcotic.
- (7) Hynd's cordial – not found, unless it is a cordial made from the hindberry, the wild raspberry. Cordial – medicine, food or drink to improve circulation and invigorate.
- (8) Saccharum candum album. White sugar candy. Sugar crystallised by a saturated syrup being left in a warm place. For coughs and eyes.
- (9) Argentum vivum. This is the classical term for quicksilver (literal translation) = mercury. The symbol is the alchemical symbol for mercury. Used for venereal and skin diseases and general physical imbalances.
- (10) Succus Hispanicus. Spanish juice. Liquorice water – soothing.
- (11) Emplastrum cephalicum - plaster of (one recipe) pitch, resin, wax, oil of mace. Emplastrum stomachicum – plaster of wax, oils of mace and mint and other ingredients. "& ab" or possibly "ad"? Perhaps Emplastrum adhaesivum – sticking plaster, plaster and rosin melted together.
- (12) Species – ingredients.
- (13) Syrupus caryophyllorum. Syrup of Clove-July-Flower, clove gillyflower, clove pink. Stand flowers in

boiling water, leave overnight. Strain and add sugar to make a syrup.

(14) Oleum origani. Distilled oil. Bruise, steep for 8 days in spring water with salt and distil.

(15) Crocus optimus. Saffron. Fragrance, dye and a variety of medical uses.

(16) in other drugs ... Chymicall & Galenicall. Chemical drugs, and vegetable remedies (as apart from chemical). Galen was a Greek physician/surgeon/philosopher.

(17) An alembic was a still in two parts; a gourd shaped flask together with the alembic proper which was the cap with a long spout.

(18) Copper stills – copper catalyses undesirable volatile compounds, and is a good conductor of heat.

(19) Phylls = phials or vials. Gally Potts = gallipots, small glazed earthenware or metal pots.

(20) Physick Books = medical books.

(21) Many items following, to end of column 3, would be used as ingredients of remedies.

(22) Cro: Sope. Probably crown soap, a better-quality soft soap kept in barrels or firkins.

(23) Lamb black, also lam black, lameblack etc. Lamp black, very pure carbon made by burning oil. Widely stocked, cheap, for ink.

(24) Holland's twine. Linen twine of a type imported from Holland.

(25) Cardamom water. Water made of cardamom seeds plus proof spirit plus water, distilled.

(26) Angelica – roots, stems and seeds. Uses include anti-plague. Geneva – spirits usually distilled from grain flavoured with juniper berry juice. Wormwood – bitter plant or plants, used for medicine or to protect clothes/bedding from moths and fleas. Anas (Latin) - means duck, but more likely from "ana", in drug recipes meaning an equal quantity or number of each.

(27) Filleting – heavy binding tape.

(28) Blue indigo - said to be beneficial in jaundice and an astringent.

(29) Sieves, strainers.

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BOLLAND, Lettice 1725 Inventory Borthwick Original

An Inventory of the Goods & Chattells belonging to Lettice Bolland of Settle in the County of Yorke widdow late deceased apprizd by us whose names are hereunto subscribed this Thifteenth day of October Anno Dom 172

	ll	s	d
Imprimis her Purse & apparell	05	00	00
It Three paire of bedstocks, beds, beding and furniture thereunto belonging	04	10	00
It Five panns one Brass pott one Iron Bakeing stone w th briggs Three brass Candlesticks w th severall other small iron & brass goods	01	13	04
It Twelve pewter dishes Two dozen of plates w th spoons salts & other small pieces of pewter goods	03	03	04
It One Oavell table Two square tables one dozen of Chairs Two Chists & A Dresser	01	13	04
It One Knopp one Cooler 4 barrells w th other small wood vessell	00	16	00
It One old Clock & Case	<u>01</u>	<u>00</u>	<u>00</u>
	<u>17</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>00</u>

Matt^w Hargreaves

T. Lawson

**BOND ISABELL 1706 Ref. Borthwick vol 63 fol 397 mic 985
& Inventory original**

In the name of God Amen this twenty Sixth day
of September in the year of our Lord God One Thousand seaven hundred & six I Isabell
Bond of Settle in the County of yorke widdow being Sick & weake in body but of sound perfect
and disposeing memory (praised be God for the same) and knowing the uncertainty of this
life on Earth & being desireous to settle things in order do make this my last will & Testamt
manner and forme following (that is to say) First and principally I Commend my Soule to
Almighty God my Creator assuredly trusting that I shall receive full pardon & free remission
of all my sins & be saved by the pretious death & meritts of my blessed saviour & Redeemer
Christ Jesus & my body to the Earth from whence it was taken to be buried in such decent
and Christian manner as to my Executors hereafter named shall be thought meett and
convenient And as touching such worldly Estate as the Lotd in mercy hath lent me my will
and mind is the same shall be employed & bestowed as hereafter by these presents is Expressed
and declared Item I do hereby give and bequeath unto Henry Hardacre of Bond geate in the
parish of Longreston & John Browne the Younger of Eshton & Martin Richardson of Settle
aforesaid all in the County of York yeomen & to their heires Executors & administrators & assigns
for
ever All that my messuage & Tenement in Settle aforesaid \whether the same be Freehold or Lease/
wherein I now dwell & inhabitt
with one Stable one henhouse & Swinecoate & one Garden & all other thappurtenances whatsoever
thereunto belonging & also all that Barne or Laith with one Orchard & Garden thereunto
belonging & adjoineing commonly called the Lower Barne also all that Close or Inclosure of
meadow ground commonly called Bate Ridding now in the possession of one James Sidgswicke
and also all those my goods Cattles & Chattles whatsoever moveable & immoveable & also all my
Booke debts summe and summes of money whatsoever to me heretofore or hereafter as shall
become due and payable and it is my will & mind that the said Henry Hardacre Jno. Browne
and Martin Richardson & the Survivor & Survivors of them & his & their heires Executors
Administrators
& Assigns or any of them shall at any time hereafter sell and dispose of the same to their best
benefitt and Advantage and that they shall pay and discharge all those my just debts Lagacys
& Funerall Expences out of the moneys thereby & thereout raised & from and after all
my just debts Legacys and Funerall Expences bee thereout paid and discharged then it is
my Will & mind and I do hereby give and bequeath all the Overplus and remainder of the
said moneys as shall be thereby raised unto Elizabeth my daughter & to her Executors Administrators
and Assigns and I do hereby order and appoint them the said Henry Hardacre John Browne and
Martin Richardson joynt Executors of this my last will and Testament revoking & by these presents
disannulling and makeing void all former & other will & wills whatsoever by me heretofore formerly
made either in word or writeing and do hereby declare this to be my last will and Testament
In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand & Seale the day and year first above written
Isabell Bond, Sealed Signed published and declared, after the interlineacion of these words
& to their heirs Executors & Administrators & assigns whether the Same bee Freehold or Lease, in the
presence of JamesJames Sedgswick (Lewis/Lettis?) Bolland Mar: Richardson

A True & perfect Inventory of all & singular the
Goods Chattles rights & creditts which were Isabel Bonds
late of Setle widdow decesed made by us whose names are here
unto subscribed this fifth day of October 1706

	li	s	d
Imprimis Her purse & Apparell	02	00	00
Item One Mantion House 1 Stable & Garden	35	00	00

Item One Barn & Orchard	25	00	00
Item in household goods	16	00	00
Iem One Close of Meadow ground	35	00	00
Item in Shopp goods	11	00	00
Item in good Debts	35	00	00
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Total	159	00	00

Debts oweing by the deceased	160:	00:	00:
funerall expences	02:	10:	00:
Apprizors William paley			
John Wildman			
Leonard Bolland			
James Geldard			

BOND ROBERT 1705 Ref. Borthwick original

Aprill the 28th 1705

Then an Apprisement made of the goods and Chattels lately belonging to Robert Bond late of Settle deceased appraised whose names are hereunto subscribed

	li	s	d
Imprimis His purs and apparell	05	00	00
Item One house and houshold goods therein, one Barn one Orchard & other Appurtainces	100	00	00
Item One Close of Ground	30	00	00
Item In quick goods and husbandry gear	29	15	00
Item in Shop goods	35	18	00
Item In Book debts	40	00	00
	Total	240	14 00

Apprisors

Henry Hardacre

John Wildman

T: Paley

Mar: Richardson

BRADLEY JOHN 1720 INV Ref. Borthwick original

A True and perfect Inventory of the
Goods and Chattells of John Bradley
late of Settle in the County of York
Blaiksmith 4th December Anno Domini
1720

Imprimis Purse and apparelle	1	5	0
Item one Oak Joyned Chest	0	12	0
Item one pair of Bedstocks Chaff bed bolster and other bedding	0	13	4
Item two Desks	0	5	0
Item two Little Tables	0	8	0
Item one old Chair	0	1	0
Item one brewing Pan and Lead	1	0	0
Item one pair of old Bellows	0	1	0
Item all other od huslements	0	5	0
	4	10	4

Appraisers William Lawson
Gyles Batty
Robt Bradley
T Lawson

BRADLEY THOMAS 1703 Will & Inventory Ref. Borthwick Oct. 1704 Mic 1819

IN the Name of God Amen, This Sixth day of the Tenth Month commonly called december, In the year according to the English account one Thousand Seaven hundred & three, I Thomas Bradley of Setle banck, in the parish of Gigleswick & County of York, being but weak of body, but of sound & perfect mind & memory, prayed be Almighty God, doe make this my last will & Testament in manner & form following; hereby revokeing, & makeing void all other Wills & Testaments by me formerly made, & does acknowledge & declare this to be my last will & Testament, & none other: And First & principally I doe Committ & willingle resign my Soul into the hands of Almighty God my Creator, hoping & stedfastly believing through the meritts & mediation of Jesus Christ my Redeemer to have free pardon & full remission of all my sins; And my body I committ to the earth, to be decently buried, according to the discretion of my friends & Executor hereafter named And as concerning these wordly Goods which God has been pleased to bestow upon me, I Give & dispose thereof as followeth

Imprimis, It is my will & mind, that all my just debts & funeral expences shall be payd & discharged out of my personal Estate by my Executor hereafter named; Ite. I Give & bequeath unto my son John All my whole Estate of houses & Land (Lyeing within the Township of Rathmill) which belonged to my father Oliver Bradley, & Alsoe all my Land in Gigleswick Township Except the Toft land, Provided allwayes & upon Condition, that my said son John pay out of the same unto my dear & well beloved wife Margret Bradley the Summe of six poundes yearly dureing her Natural Life; It. I give & bequeath unto my son Richard all my Estate of houses & Land, belonging to Aikworth, Lyeing within the Township of Rathmill, which I lately purchased of one Henery Browne of Stackhouse, Excepting the two litle backsides, joyning on a place called (by us) the Rough Nook, which said backsides I give & bequeath to my son John; And alsoe Excepting & reserveing, freedome & Liberty for my son John his heirs & Assignes to fetch water at any time when they have occasion, from the \farr well belonging to the/ said Aikwoth without the hinderance or Gaynsaying of my son Richard or his Assignes, & alsoe to keep the usual water course open, betwixt the said Aikworth & Litlebanck, as it is at this present; It. I Give & bequeath unto my son Richard One Third part of the dubb close, he paying a third part of the rent & taxes from time to time as it shall become due for the same; And the other two parts of the said Close, I give & bequeath unto my son John, he paying two third parts of the rent & taxes as they shall become due for the same; It. it is my Will & Mind & I doe hereby Order my Son Richard to pay out of the Lands which I have given him unto my son John the summe of sixty poundes, within two yeares after my decease, Alsoe it is my will & mind, that what I have given to my son Richard, shall be in full of his childs part & portion out of my Estate, & alsoe in full of all or any Legacie or Legacies, to him formerly given, by any person or persons where-soever, which he might or could claym of one, my Executors or Administrators It. I give to my son John, all my Estate that formerly belonged to William dickinson, It. I Give & bequeath to my daughter Elsabeth the summe of Forty poundes, to be payd to her & her Assignes, by my Executor hereafter named, within four yeares after my decease, that is to say (sd. yearly?)

Lastly all the rest of my goods & chattels, both quick & dead Moveable & Immoveable, I doe Give & bequeath unto my son John whom I doe nominate Constitute & apoint sole Executor of this my last Will & Testament In

.....hereunto set my hand &
his mark

February the 12 1703

A True & perfect Inventory of all the goods Cattles and Chattles belonging to Thomas Bradley late of little Bank in the Parrish of Gigglesweek and County of York deceased Apprised by us to hose names are under Written as foloweth

	li	s	d
Imprimis: His purs and Apparel	4	00	00
In His .. Purss and Rideing furniture	3	10	00
Itm Cows and Heiffers Six	12	00	00
Itm Six Steeres	13	10	00
Itm. Four twinters four stirks and four Calfes	12	00	00
Itm. One Colt	02	00	00
Itm. In sheep	01	10	00
Itm. Hay and Corn	03	00	00
Itm. Carts and wheels and other husbandry gear	01	10	00
Itm. one Swine	00	10	00
Itm. In the house Meal Malt Arks, Chists	06	00	00
Itm Chaers tables formes bedes bedstocks beding brass pewter with other household goods and huslements	06	00	00
	<u>65</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>00</u>

Debts owing by the Testator – the sum of 70

Apprisers
Thomas Carr
John Brown
Henery Brown
John Atkinson

BRADLEY WILLIAM 1726**Ref. Borthwick Will vol. 81 fol. 200 mic. 1001 & Inventory original**

In The Name of God Amen the twentieth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven Hundred twenty six I William Bradley senr of Giggleswick in the County of York Yeoman being well Stricken in Years and Infirm in Body but of perfect Mind and Memory, praised be God For the Same, And Calling to remembrance the Incertainty of this Life Do make and Declare this my Last Will and Testament revoking Disanulling and making void All and Every other Will and Wills whatsoever heretofore made by Me either by Word or in Writing First I Commit my soul to Almighty God my Maker trusting through his Mercy and by the Merits and mediation of Jesus Christ redeemer my sins will be pardoned and my Body to be decently buried at the Discretion of my Executrix hereafter appointed and as to the Temporall Affairs which it hath pleased God to bestow upon Me I Give and Dispose of the same as Followeth First I Give and Devise unto my son William Bradley his Executors Administrators and Assignes All my Houses and Lands within the Town and Township of Gigleswick For and during all such Terms and Numbers of years as shall be unspent and to come therein or in any part thereof at the time of my Decease He the said William Bradley paying unto my Dear and Loving Wife Anne Bradley the summ of Ten pounds of clear rent without any Deduction Yearly and Every Year During her natural Life at two Equal payments the First to be made at the End of six Months next after my Decease Itm I Give unto my said Wife Anne the Yearly rent of Land at Settle during her natural Life and after her decease to my said son William Bradley his Execs Admts and Assignes Item my will and Mind is that my said wife Anne shall have the Benefitt and Liberty of the chamber over the Brewhouse and the Chamber next adjoyning thereto with liberty to lye one cow and Hay For the said cow in the Building called the Hay house and Liberty to lye Turfe or other Fire Fewell For her own use with convenient Liberty in the Garden during her natural Life Item I Give unto Anne my said Wife two pair of Bedstocks Bedding and all Furniture For two Beds my Chest a Cloth press a Chest of Drawers with Chairs and Furniture For the said two chambers Itm I Give unto my said Wife All my Linnen one silver Tankard one silver Cupp or Beaker and two silver spoons Itm I Give unto my Grand Daughter Anne Bradley one little silver Cupp and two silver spoons and Lastly I do hereby Nominate and Appoint my said wife Anne sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament hoping she'll see the same duly Executed In Witness whereof I have hereunto sett my Hand and seal the Day and year above written Willm Bradley seald Signd and published by the above mencioned William Bradley as his Last Will and Testament (the words Chamber during her natural Life) being First Interlined in the presence of us Robert Young his mark T. Lawson Ent. 26^{to} Augt: 1729

A true and perfect Inventory of the Goods and Chattles of William Bradley Late of Gigleswick in the County of Yorke Yeoman deceased this Sixth Day of July Anno Domini 1729

	£	s	d
Imprimis His Purse and Apparell	5	0	0
Item Two pair of Bedstocks with bedding & furniture thereunto Belonging	2	2	6
Item One Chist of Drawers one Cloth press and one other Chist	1	11	0
Item One Silver tanckard two Spoons and one Cupp	3	13	0
Item half a Dozen Chairs with other Small household goods belonging to			

the Chamber
Item in money upon Security

0	9	6
<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
£27	16	0

Apprised by us

Henry Cooar
T Lawson

BRAYSHAW MARY 1728 Inventory Borthwick Original

A True & perfect Inventory of all & singular the Goods Chattells & Credits of Mary Brayshaw late of Gigleswick in the County of York Spinster deceased made & taken the twenty third Day of January Anno Domini 1728

	li	s	d
Imprimis her Purse & Apparell	3	10	0
It. One Chest & One Desk	0	6	8
It. Money owing to the Deceased	13	0	0
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	16	16	8

Appraized the Day &

Year above written

by us

Matthew Watkinson

William Young

BRAYSHAW RICHARD 1748 Ref. Borthwick vol. 92 fol. 149 mic. 1010

In the Name of God Amen I Richard
Brayshaw of Giggleswick in the County of York Yeoman do make my last will
and Testament in manner and form following first I Give and devise unto my son
Richard Brayshaw all those severall Closes and parcels of land comonly called and
known by the severall names of the Scarr the Hempland the longlanes the Low moore
and the newfield Scituate lying and being in the Township of Giggleswick aforesaid
and also one other Close or parcell of land in the Township of Settle in the County
aforesaid called pleisgilholme To hold to my said son his heirs Exects. adms. and
Assignes according to the severall Estats I have therein subject Neverthe less to
the payment of all my just debts and funerall expences Also I give and devise
unto my Two daughters mary the wife of Mr Henry Town and Jane Brayshaw the
sum of Ten pounds Each to be paid to them respectively at the end of three yeares
next after my decease by my said son Richard in case the lands hereinbefore
bequeathed to him shall be sufficient to raise the Same over and above what will
be necessary for the payment of my said debts and funerall Expences Also I
Give unto my said daughter Jane the House or Tenement which I purchased of
William Birkitt To hold to her her Exors admts and assignes for all such Terms
and numbers of years as are now unspent and to come in the Same Also I Give
and devise unto Jane my wife my said son Richard and my son Thomas all that
messuage or dwelling House wherein I now live with the Barns and other Buildings
thereunto belonging together with all the Gardens and the Two upper and two lower Orchards
all which said premisses are Scituate in Giggleswick aforesaid To hold unto my said
wife my said sons Richard and Thos. for and during their natural lives of my said
wife and son Thomas and the survivor of them and from and after the decease of
the Survivor of them then I Give and devise the said last mentioned messuage
and premisses unto my said son Richard his heirs Execs adms and assignes accordinging
to my severall Estates therein and I will that my said wife shall have the Tuition of ..
Guardianship of my children all the rest residue and remainder of my Estate Reall
and personall I Give and devise unto my said son Richard who I appoint Exect.
of this my will In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the
22nd day of February in the year of Our Lord 1748 Richard Brayshaw Sealed
signed published and declared by the said Estator as and for his last will
and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence and at his request
Subscribed our names as witnesses hereto. Eliz: Redmaine Eliza: Sampson
Willm. Harrison Chris: Picard. This will past the seal the 1th day of May 1749

BROWN HENRY 1725 Inventory Borthwick Original

An Inventory of all the goods & Chattels lately belonging to henry Brown of Newhall Deceased by us whose names are under subscribed July the 22 (1725)

Imprimis his Purse and apparrell	4	0	0
It. All in the Kitching	4	0	0
all in the Parlour	3	0	0
all in the Lofts	8	0	0
all husbandry Gear	4	0	0
12 Cows	30	0	0
4 oxon	14	0	0
6 steares	12	0	0
3 heifers	6	0	0
10 twinters	15	0	0
6 Stirks	6	0	0
11 Calves	5	0	0
1 bul Calf	3	0	0
4 horses	10	0	0
80 sheep	20	0	0
40 Lambs	4	0	0
1 hog	0	10	0
	148	10	0

Will: Banks

James Sedgswick

Will: Atkinson

Will: Carr

BROWNE ANTHONY 1727/8 Ref. Borthwick. (Not in Probate Register)

In the name of God Amen I Anthony Browne of Rathmell in the County of Yorke Yeoman being infirm in body but of sound and disposing mind & memory do make and ordain this my last will & Testament in manner & forme following That is to Say first I bequeath my Soul into the hands of allmighty God beleiving remission of Sins and everlasting life by the merits death and passion of Jesus Christ & only Saviour Item I give and bequeath unto my son in law John Clarke the summe of five pounds Item I give and bequeath unto my other son in Law Leonard Wiglesworth the summe of five pounds Item I give and bequeath unto my son Thomas Browne the summe of ten pounds Item I give and bequeath unto my Grandson Anthony Browne of Rufford in the County of Yorke the summe of five marks Item I give and bequeath unto my other Grandson Anthony Browne of London the like Summe of five marks but it is my will & mind that in case my Sd. Grandsons or either of them are not now living or shall dye before Six months next after my decease \be expyred/ that the Sd. legacyes and bequeaths hereby as aforesd. to them given shall be void And it is my will & mind that the Sd. legacyes shall be paid to the respective legatees within one whole year next after my decease & not sooner and after payment of the Sd. legacyes my Just debts and funerall expences Then I give and bequeath all the rest and residue of my personall Estate to John Browne my Son and do hereby appoint him whole & Sole Executor of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking and disanulling all former and other wills by me made In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this present ninth day of November Anno Dom 1727

Signed Sealed & declared in the presence of us the three severall rasures & two severall Interlineatory within appearing being first made

Anthony Brown \mark/

John \mark/ Hammerton Jurat

Agnes Willson

Roger... Mitton

John Fish

BROWNE CHRISTOPHER 1713 Ref. Borthwick vol. 69 fol. 361 mic. 990

In the name of our Lord God Amen The Thirteenth day of February in the year of our Lord God according to the Computation of the Church of Great Brittain one Thousand Seaven hundred and Thirteene I Christopher Browne senior of Stainforth under Bargh in the parish of Giggleswick in the County of York Yeoman being somewhat weak and infirme in Body but in sound mind and of perfect memory (praised be God for the same) doe make and ordaine this my last Will and Testament in manner and forme following (viz:) first and principally I humbly Commend and Committ my soul into the hands of Almighty God my Creator hoping that by the merritts of Jesus Christ his son my saviour he will receive me into his Kingdome of glory and my body Committ to the Earth to be buried att the discretion of my wife and Children and as for that Temporall Estate wherewith itt has pleased God to bless I doe hereby order devise and dispose thereof as follows First itt is my will and mind that all my Debts Legacies and funerall Expences be paid and discharged by my Executor hereafter named Item I give and Devise unto John Browne my son one Cattlegate on a pasture Called Studfold Moore and one Dale lying att a place Called Hayworth ford in the parish of Horton in Ribblesdale Together with Two Cattle gates in a pasture Called Langcliffe over Close for defraying of Two Legacies which I was enjoyned to pay by the last will and Testament of George Knowles of Trainhouse Item I give and Devise unto him the said John my son one parcell of Land Called Bargh Dales and Two Cattlegates in a pasture Called Catrigg out of which said Lands and the money he owes me my Will and in mind is that he pay to Alice my Grandaughter the sume of Forty pounds when she shall attaine to the Age of One and Twenty years I also give to him the said John my son one Close Called Billinger Close till such time as Robert my Grandson attaine to the Age of one and Twenty years And then I give the said Close to him the said Robert son of him the said John and his Assignes Item I give unto Christopher Browne my son one Close Called Thackwood one Dale Called Thackwood dale and all my grassing which belongeth to me in a pasture Called Sannat which said premisses I give to him the said Christopher my son for the Terme of sixty years or for and dureing the Terme of his naturall Life And after his Decease I give the same to Thomas my Grandson All which said premisses I give as above for the residue and of all such Terme or Termes of years as are unspent and to Come in the same Item I give unto John Browne my son all my household Stuff during the Terme of his naturall Life And after his Decease I give the same to the aforementioned Robert my Grandson Alice my Grandaughter having half of my pewter Item I give unto Robert Browne my son all the money he oweth me and Twenty shillings more to buy a Scarfe Item I give unto Esther Browne my loving wife the sume of Five pounds to be paid att the End of eight moneths after my decease she having her pewter which she brought with her and linnen att her owne disposall Item I give unto my son John Browne all my Goods herein not disposed of and the money he oweth me but my Will and mind is that he pay out of the same mine and my wifes funerall Expences And I also nominate and Constitute him Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seall the day and year above written. Chr. Browne Sealed published and Declared by the said Christopher Browne to be his last Will and Testament in presence of Mary Gwivleton James Iveson. William Bentham *Latin probate*

BROWNE CHRISTOPHER 1714

A true and perfect Inventory of the Goods Cattles & Chattles of Christopher Browne deceased late of Stainforth under Bargh in the Parish of Giggleswick in the County of

York Yeoman deceased Apprized the 27: day of December
 Anno Domini 1714

	li	s	d
Imprimis his purse & Apparill	50	0	0
Lands belonging to the deceased	120	0	0
Debts owing to the deceased	5	0	0
Chaires and Chests in the great parlour with Other Implements of houshold	1	10	0
One bed in the Litle parlour	1	0	0
A table in the Dineing roome	0	10	0
Brewing vessells pans Spitt & Warming pan & Dripping pan	4	0	0
2: long Settles A Dresser one little table Chaires A (Hock) and other things	3	0	0
7: Stone of pewter	3	5	4
Furniture for the New Chamber	2	0	0
2: Arks 30 ^s Chair table & bed in the kitchen Chamber	3	10	0
Totall	193	15	4

Apprized by us
 James Browne
 Christopher Browne
 Will^m. Bentham
 Robert Browne

BROWNE EDMOND 1702/3 Ref. Borthwick vol 63 fol 397 mic 985

In the name of God Amen the seaventeenth day of March

Anno Dni 1702/3 I Edmond Browne of Rathmill within the diocess of Yorke Taylor being infirme of body but of sound mind and perfect memory praised be God for the same I doe proceed to make this my last will and Testament in manner and forme following

Imprimis I committ my soule into the hands of Almighty God my maker hoping by the meritorious death

and passion of Jesus Christ my saviour & Redeemer hoping to receive full pardon and forgiveness for all my sins and for my body I Committ to the Earth from whence it came & to be decently brought forth to my burial and for my temporall estate I dispose as followeth First my will & mind is that all my houses & Lands within Rathmill & hay & Corne and all my quick goods and husbandry geares & houseall thing & all materials whatsoever about the premisses to be Soulde and my mind is that all my debts to be paid as shortly as may be & my will and mind is that the Remainder of my goods or money be left when my debts be paid my will & mind is that my six Children I give all that remaineth equally amongst them be it more or less to be divided amongst my Children Itm I give and bequeath to my son Christofer Browne & Elizabeth Browne & Jene Browne all my houses & Land to be Sold to pay my just debts & funerall Expences and I nominate & appoint my son Christofer

& Elizabeth & Jene Sole Executors of this my last will & Testament and I do make Henry Browne of Newhall & Christofer Armistead of Mearbeck to be trustees or Supervisors of this my last will & Testament and to see the same honestly & lawfully Executed and I do hereby revoke & disanull all Wills whatsoever by me heretofore made In Witness whereof I have hereunto Sett my hand & Seale the day & year first above written Edmond Browne his marke, Test. Richd. Carr, Richard Browne his marke, Stephen Carr:

BROWNE ESTHER 1723/4**Ref. Borthwick Will vol. 76 fol. 685 mic. 996 & Inventory original**

In the Name of God Amen The Eighth day of February
in the year of Our lord God One Thousand seven Hundred
and Twenty three I Esther Browne of Stainforth Under Bargh
within the parish of Giggleswick & County of york widdow being
weak and Infirme in Body but of sound mind and in perfect
Memory praised be God for it And Considering the Uncertainty
of life and Certainty of death doe make & declare this my last
will and Testament in Manner following First being
penitent And sorry for all my sins most humbly desireing
forgiveness for the same I Commend my soul Unto Almighty
God my saviour & Redeemer in whome and by whose
merritts I trust and beleive assuredly to be saved And to have
full and free pardon and Remission of all my sins And to
Inheritt the Kingdom of Heaven And my Body I Comitt to the
Earth from whence it was taken to be buried in such
decent & Christian manner as to my Executor herein hereafter
Named shall be thought meet & Convenient. And as for my worldly
Estate I Give and bequeath the same as follows That is to say First
I Give and bequeath Unto my Younger son Robert Browne the
summe of five shillings Item after payment of my just debts The
Charges of my funerall and the said Legacy of five shillings
out of my whole Estate I Give and bequeath all the remainder
thereof both reall and personall Unto my Elder son John
Browne whome I hereby make and appoint full & sole
Executor of this my last will and Testament In witness whereof
I the said Esther Browne to this my last will and Testament
have sett my hand & seal the day & Year first above written
The Hand Mark of Esther Browne Sealed Signed published
& declared by the said Esther Browne to be her last will and
Testament in the presence of us Robert Browne The hand
marke of Esther Tayler Wm Bentham Ent 23 Mar 1723

A True & perfect Inventory of all the Goods & Chattells Debts & Creditts of Esther Brown late of
Stainforth under Bargh in the parish of Giggleswick in the County of York Widow deceased
Apprised by Us whose Names are Subscribed this twenty seventh Day of February 1723

	ll	s	d
Imprimis Her purse & Apparell	5	0	0
Moneys owing to the Deceased	117	0	0
A Chist a Desk & a Cupboard	1	10	0
A pr. of Bedstocks & Beding	2	0	0
Two Silver Cupps & a Great Bible	3	0	0
A pewter Flaggon	0	3	4
Total	128	13	4

Apprised by Us
Tho: Foster Senior
Richard Foster
Wm. Bentham

In the name of God Amen The Twenty fourth day
of Aprill in the year of our Lord God one thousand seven hundred and
thirty one I Henry Browne of Stackhouse in the Parish of Giggleswick and
County of York Yeoman being and sick of body but of sound and disposing
(Praised be God for the same) do make this my last Will & Testament in
manner and form following (revoaking all former Wills by me made) First
and Principally I recommend my Soul to Almighty God my gracious Creator and
Mercifull Redeemer and my body to the Earth of which it was made to be
buried after a decent and Christian manner by my Executor hereafter
named And as for such Temporall Estate as it hath pleased God to bestow
on me I do dispose of the same as followeth I give and devise to my dear and
loveing Wife Mary all that Messuage or Dwelling House wherein I now dwell
with one Stable and a Turfhouse adjoining to the said Dwelling House as also
one Garden and one Orchard both appertaining to the said Dwelling house and She
to hold and enjoy the same during the term of her naturall life the Reversion or
remainder of which said Premisses I give and devise the same to my Son William
Browne his heirs and assigns for ever Item I give and devise to my said son
William his heirs and assigns for ever All that Messuage or Dwelling House
which I purchased of John Armitstead with one Cowhouse and one Turfhouse now
in the occupation of Julian Frankland together with the Garden belonging the
last mentioned Dwelling house Item I give and bequeath to my said Wife Mary
the summe of sixty pounds to be paid to her at the end of twelve month next after
my decease with all my Linnen whatsoever and one half of all other my House
hold Meal Malt Beef and Bacon To my said Wife I do likewise give one Cow and
She to chuse her out of all the Cows belonging to me at the time of my decease
with four pounds to buy her an Horse and to be paid to her within one month
after my decease Item I do further give and devise to my said Wife one full third
part of all my Real Estate of what hold or tenure soever it be (the premisses
above devised to my said Son William only excepted) She to hold and enjoy the same
dureing the term of ninety nine years if She happen so long to live all which said
Premisses above devised and bequeathed to my said Wife my will is that they be to
her in lieu and full satisfaction of and for all Dower or Thirds which she may at
anytime claim or be entitled unto out of all or any of my Reall Estate But if
She refuse to accept as such I do hereby revoak all the legacies devises and
bequests herein made to her and leave her to her Dower only Item I give and
bequeath unto my daughter Ellen the summe of fifty pounds to be paid to her at the
end of twelve months next after my decease Item I do likewise give and bequeath
unto my daughter Agnes the like summe of fifty pounds to be paid to her at the
end of twelve months next after my decease Item I give to the Poor of the Townshipp
of Giggleswick thirty shillings to be distributed amongst them within one
month after my decease by and at the discretion of my Executor Item I
give and devise to my said son William Browne his Executors Administrators
and Assignes all my Leasehold Estate for and dureing all such terms and
numbers of years as I am entitled unto or interested in the same or any part
thereof Item I give and devise to my said son William his heirs and assigns
all my Customary Estate yet nevertheless such a part share or portion of both
the said Customary and Leasehold Estates as I have in these presents given
to my said Wife for her life or for years determinable at her death still except
=ed Lastly I constitute and appoint my said son William Sole Executor of this my
last Will and Testament and to him his Heirs Executors Administrators
and Assignes I give devise and bequeath all the residue and remainder of all
my Estate whatsoever both Reall and Personal Namely such part of my
Estate as not above in these presents otherwise disposed of In Witness whereof I
have hereunto sett my hand and seal the day and year first above written

Henry Browne – Sealed signed declared and published by the said Henry
 Browne to be his last Will and Testament in the presence of us William Carr
 Alice Carr Tho: Swainson – Emt 8^{mo} Junij 1731^{mo}

Inventory transcribed by Mike & Mary Slater

An inventory made this sixth day of May 1731 of the goods and chattels of Henry Browne late of
 Stackhouse deceased valued or appraised by us whose names are hereunto subscribed

	£	s	d
Imprimis horse purse and apparel	20	0	0
six oxen	26	0	0
six cows	21	0	0
two steers	6	0	0
four heifers	12	0	0
two young shears	5	0	0
one heifer	2	10	0
two yearling calves	7	0	0
four young calves	2	0	0
two mares and a foal	7	10	0
two young colts	5	0	0
27 old sheep at 10s 6d a piece	14	3	6
15 young sheep at 8s apiece	6	0	0
one pig and poultry		14	6
household goods in the bedstead	5	0	0
household goods in the parlour	4	0	0
goods in kitchen as pans brewing and scullery (?)	5	5	0
goods in the loft over parlour	3	10	0
goods in the passage and garret in the loft over bodystead	1	5	0
goods in the new loft	1	6	6
goods in the little loft	6	0	0
beds bedding and linen		12	6
brass and pewter and tin	25	0	0
pots and bottles	3	10	0
meal and malt in house or elsewhere		10	0
beef and bacon	12	7	0
all the household goods in Burry house	3	0	0
an ark at Lower Barn and other things	2	10	0
husbandry gear as casks and wheels and other huslement whether matter or thing		18	0
whatsoever belonging to the said Henry Brown	5	0	0
moneys upon specialty or otherways	179	0	0
Total	393	12	0

Robert Brayshaw
 John Hargrave
 John Dodgshon

**BROWNE JAMES 1717 Ref. Borhtwick vol. 72 fol. 85 mic. 992
& Inventory original**

In the name of God Amen the fifth day of August in the year of our Lord God One Thousand Seven hundred and Seventeene I James Browne of Stainforth under Bargh in the parish of Giggleswick in the County of York Yeoman being somewhat infirm in body but of sound mind and of perfect memory praised be God for it & calling to remembrance the uncertainty of this transitory life and being desirous to settle the Estate wherewith God has blessed me so as there may be noe Strife nor difference about the same after my decease doe make this my last will and Testament in manner following First I Commend my Soul unto Almighty God my heavenly Father assuredly trusting through the death and passion of my blessed Saviour and Redeemer Jesus Christ to obtain full and free pardon & Remission of all my Sinns and to inherit everlasting life and my body I Committ to the Earth from whence it was taken to be buried in such decent and Christian manner as to my Executors and trustee hereafter named shall seem meett & Convenient And as for my worldly estate I give devise and dispose thereof as follows first I give and devise unto Thomas and Christopher Browne sons of my Nephew John Browne of Stainforth under Bargh aforesaid All that my Messuage house or Tenement wherein I now live with all Barns and buildings garths gardens & Orchards Easements priviledges & Appurtenances thereunto belonging & one Close or little parcell of ground called the Croft by estimation one rood and a half be it more or less To have and to hold the said recited premisses unto the said Thomas and Christopher Browne their Executors Aministrators & Assignes But my will and mind is that they pay unto Alice Daughter of my said Nephew John Browne the Summe of Fifty pounds when she shall attaine to the age of one & Twenty years & if they fail in payment thereof or any part thereof then my will and mind further is that it shall & may be lawfull for her the said Alice to enter into & upon the said premisses and the same to have and hold to her her Executors Administrators and Assignes Item I give and devise unto Robert Browne eldest Son of my Said Nephew John Browne and to his Executors Administrators & Assignes one Close or Inclosure of ground called Neathersby by Estimation one acre be it more or less all which Said premisses are lying & being within the Towne and Townshipp of Stainforth under Bargh aforesaid Item I give and bequeath unto my sisters Ann Shaw Catherine Armistead Isabell Battersbee Ellen Foster Alice Nowell and to my sister in Law Esther Browne Five shillings a peice to Robert Browne of Wakefield my Nephew I give twenty shillings and to the Poor of the Townshipp of Stainforth aforesaid I give Twenty shillings to be distributed amongst them when & as my said Nephew John Browne shall think fitt As for the residue and remainder of my Estate not before disposed of I give and bequeath unto Thomas and Christopher Browne aforesaid sons of my said nephew & make them joynt Executors of this my last Will & Testament Lastly I desire & appoint my said Nephew John Browne father of the said Thomas and Christopher to bee Trustee to take Care that this my said will be fulfilled In Witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and Seale the day & year first written James Browne Sealed published & declared in the presence of us, Alice Nowell being first interlined, Robert Moorehouse, Wm Iveson, william Bentham

A True & pfect Inventory of the goods & Chattells debts & creditts of James Brown late of Stainforth under Bargh in the Pish of Giggleswick in the County of York Yeom decd made & aprised by us whose names are Subscribed the 9th day of September in the year of our Ld God 1717:

Imp: his purse & apparell	10	0	0
Specialtys	135	0	0
houses & leaseland	80	0	0

bedstocks & bedding	2	10	0
Clock & clock case	2	10	0
meal 20s 3 chests 20s	2	0	0
Cupbd 10s 2 tables 13s 4d	1	3	4
4 chairs 12s 2 ranges & 2 reckoncrooks 10s	1	2	0
4 pans 13s 4d brewing vessells 15s	1	8	4
pewter & brass 20s ropes hack & mattock 3s fire)			
shovell 15s)	1	18	0
hives & honey & wax	1	5	0
A weighbalk & scales & hathet	0	1	6
A bible & other books	0	5	0
A backboard & other Small hustlemt	0	5	0
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	total	239	8 2
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Aprised by us

Thomas Foster
 Anthony Paleye
 Chris: Metcalfe
 Willm Bentham

**BROWNE JOHN 1715 Ref. Borthwick vol. 70 fol. 338 mic. 991
& Inventory original**

(Although will states 1716 his Inv. is Jan. 1715/6 & he was buried Dec 28 1715)

In the name of God Amen

the Six and twentieth day of December in the year of our Lord
God One thousand Seaven hundred & sixteen I John Browne of
Lum in the parish of Giggleswicke & County of Yorke Yeoman being
sick in body but of perfect mind & memory praised be God for the same
Do make this my last will & Testament revokeing & making void all
former and other will & wills whatsoever made by me either by
words or in writeing First I recommend my Soule to Almighty God
my maker Trusting through his mercy & by the meritts of Jesus
Christ my Redeemer to be Saved and my body to be buryed decently
att the discretion of my Executrix hereafter named And as for the
Temporall Estate which it hath pleased God to bestow upon mee
I give & dispose of the same as Followeth First my will & mind is that
all my just debts & Funerall Expences be payd & discharged out of
my personall Estate by my Executrix Item I give & Devise unto my
eldest Son William Browne his Executors Administrators & Assigns all my
Messuages houses lands Tenements grounds & appurtenances what-
soever Scituate lying & being within the Townships of Rathmill
Giggleswick Settle & elsewhere with the parish of Giggleswick aforesd
he paying out of the same unto my younger Children Robert
Thomas & Anne the Summe of Forty pounds a peice as they shall
attaine their Severall & respective ages of one & twenty yeares
and for non payment of any of the said Summes to enter unto all or
any of the premisses above devised & enjoy the Same till such summe
or Summes of money be fully Satisfyed with reasonable Costs and
if it happen thay any of my younger Children dye before they
attaine their Severall ages of one & Twenty yeares then my will
and mind is that Such Shares or childes portion shall be equally divided
amongst all the rest of my Children that shall be then living
my eldest Son to have Share with the younger Item my will & mind
is & I do order that Mary my loving wife shall have & enjoy all my
Estate for the Educating & bringing upp of my Children till my
Son William attaine the age of Eighteen yeares & when he shall
attaine the age of Eighteen yeares my Will & mind is that he shall
enter unto all my Estate before devised unto him he paying unto
my said wife the Summe of Fourscore pounds in full for her Dower
or third out of my whole estate And if it happen my Son William
shall dye before he attaine the age of Eighteen yeares aforesaid
my Will & mind is that my Son Robert shall enter unto the premisses
aforesaid when he shall attaine the Age of Eighteen yeares & soe
successively to the rest of my Children that shall live to the age
of Eighteen yeares Item I give unto my said Son William One long
Table in the parlour the best pair of bedstocks & the Chest wherein
my writeings lyes Item I appoint my Brethren Henry & William
Browne overseers of this my Will hoping they will See the
Same duely performed and assist my Executrix in the managemt

of her affairs for the good of my Children And lastly I do nominate
 & appoint my said wife Mary sole Executrix of this my last will &
 Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto Sett my hand &
 Seale the day & year first above written. John Brown Sealed
 Sign'd published & declared by the above named John Browne
 as his last will and Testament in the presence of us. John
 Brown. T. Lawson

January the iith 1715
 Then a true & perfect Inventory
 of all the Goods and Chattells
 belonging to John Brown of Lum within the
 parish of Giggleswick and County of York yeoman
 deceased by us whose names are Subscribed

	li	s	d
Imprimis Apparell and Purse	5	0	0
Item three Calfs	4	0	0
It. Three Stirks	6	0	0
Item two whys	6	0	0
Item two oxen	8	0	0
Item three Stears	10	0	0
Item three kine	11	0	0
Item one why and a Calfe	3	0	0
Item one Whye	2	10	0
Item 2: Calfs	1	0	0
It. Plow & Irons yokes teams & harrows	1	0	0
Item hay & Corne	10	0	0
Item one mare & filly	5	0	0
It. Cart & wheels coop & horse geer	1	0	0
Item Sacks & poaks	1	0	0
Item chests arkes & tables	2	0	0
Item bedstocks & bedding	2	10	0
Item brass and Pewter	2	0	0
Item one Cupboard	1	0	0
It. Chairs Stools & other huslement	1	0	0
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	Totall 83	0	0

Richard Constantine
 Tho Frankland
 Robert Carr
 Richard Bradley

In the Name of God Amen I John Browne of
Stainforth under Bargh in the parish of Giggleswick in the County of York
Yeoman being old and infirm in Body but of sound mind and perfect memory
praised be God for the same and calling to remembrance the uncertainty of
Life and Certainty of death and that all flesh must Yield to death when it
shall please God to Call us and being desireous to settle the Estate which God in
his mercy has lent me so that there may be no Strife nor differance about the same
after my decease do make this my last will and Testament this Second day of
April in the year of our Lord God one Thousand Seven hundred and forty five in
manner and \form/ following first and principally*torn*.....
Into the hands of Almighty God my Creator hoping & fully believing that
by the merits of Jesus Christ my Saviour he will receive it into
his kingdom of Glory and my Body I Commit to the Earth from whence it was
Taken to be Buried in Such decent and Christian manner as to my Executors
hereafter named shall be thought meet and Convenient and as for the
Settling of my worldly Estate I do hereby Give \...../ and Bequeath the same as
follows, first it is my will and mind that all Such Just debts as shall be
owing by me at my decease as also the Charges of my funerall be well and
truly paid in Convenient time after my decease Also I Give and devise
unto my Eldest Son Robert Browne his \heirs/ Executors and Assignes all my message
Lands Grounds Tenements hereditaments and premisses whatsoever Scituate
lying and being within the Townshipp of Stainforth aforesaid or Elsewhere
with their and Every of their Appurtenances To have and to hold the
Same unto my said Son Robert Browne his heirs Executors and Assignes for Ever
or for Such Terms or numbers of Years as shall at my decease be unspent and
to Come therein or in any part or parcell thereof my said son Robert Browne
paying thereout unto margaret Brown my loving wife or her assignes an
Annuity or Clear yearly sum of Ten pounds for and during the Term of
her natural Life at Two half yearly payments by Even and Equal portions in
full satisfaction and recompence of all the dower or thirds which she shall
or hereafter may Claim out of any of my Lands or Tenements whatsoever
The first payment to be made and begin at the End of Six months next after my
decease my will and mind nevertheless is that my said son Robert Browne shall
permit and suffer my said wife to hold and Enjoy the little dwelling house or
Cottage Scituate Standing and being in Stainforth aforesaid wherein one
Isabel Armitstead doth now dwell and Turf house adjoining thereon for and
during the Term of her natural life also I Give and Bequeath unto my said
wife One Bedstead with good and sufficient Bedding or furniture for
making up and furnishing the same after payment of my Just debts the
Said annuity and my funeral Charges I Give and Bequeath all the residue
and remainder of my Estate hereinbefore not disposed of unto my Said Son
Robert Browne and do make him full and sole Executor of this last will and
testament hoping that he will honestly perform the same In Witness whereof
I the Said John Browne to this my last will and testament have set my hand
and seal the day and year first above written – John Browne – Sealed
Signed published and declared by the said John Browne to be his last will
and testament in the Sight and presence of us – Robert moorehouse John
fisher William Bentham – This will past the Seal the 1th June 1745

BROWNE RICHARD 1737 Inventory Borthwick Original

An Inventory of all the Goods & Chattles lately belonging Richard Browne of Settle in the parish of Giggleswick & County of York Deceased valued & Apprized this twenty third Day of March 1737 by us whose names are Subscribed

Purse & Apparell	1	0	0
One Cottage	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	<u>6</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

Apprizers Names

Edwd. Chamberlain

Wm. Birkbeck junr

BROWNE WILLIAM 1727/8 Declaration Ref. Borthwick original

Know all men by these presents that wee Matthew Dean of Thorneton in the County of Yorke Husbandman and Mary my wife mother of Wm. Browne late of Newhall in the parish of Gigleswick and County of Yorke Yeoman Deceased for divers good Causes and valueable (considerations) As thereunto Especially moving Do renounce and forever quitt claime unto the administration of all & singular the goods and Chattles rights and Creditts and all other the personall Estate whatsoever of him the said Wm. Brown deceased And do hereby desire that administration of the goods and Chattles rights & Creditts of the sd. deceased may be granted to John Browne of Newhall aforesd. And Wm. Browne of the parish of Long preston yeoman on behalf of Robert Browne \an infant/ Eldest brother of the sd. Wm. Browne deceased In witness whereof wee have hereunto set our hands and seals this present twenty second day of March Anno Domini 1727/8

Sealed and delivered
in the presence of us

Matthew Dean
Mary \mark/ Dean

John Fish
William Bankss

In the name of God Amen the eighteenth day of January Anno Dom: one thousand seaven Hundred and seaventeen I Francis Buck of Barkhouse above Stainforth in the parish of Giggleswick & County of York Husbandman being Infirme & sick in Body but of Good & perfect memory praised be God do proceed to the making of this my last will & Testament in manner & forme Following hereby revokeing & makeing void all other wills by me formerly made First I Comitt my soul into the hands of God Almighty my maker hoping through the meritts of Jesus Christ my Redeemer to have free pardon of all my sins and my Body to the Earth whereof it was made to be decently Buryed according to the discretion of my Executor hereafter named and as for my Temporall Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me I dispose of as Followeth First I give and bequeath unto my son Ralph Buck all my bought Land which I purchased of William Palay of Stainforth to him and his heires for ever he paying one hundred pounds towards paying my just debts Item I give & bequeath unto my said son all my antient Estate of Bark House paying yearly unto Jennet my beloved wife the sume of four pounds a year one halfe at Whit sunday & other halfe a martinmas next after my decease dureing her Life And to pay to my Daughters Isabell & Jane so much as will compleat the summe of Twenty pounds with what they have had already And to my daughters Alice Ellin and Mary each the summe of Twenty pounds in money of Houshold Goods as they arive at the age of Twenty two years And if it should please God any of them should hapen to dye before they arive at the said age of twenty two years to be devided equally amongst my surviveg Daughters or their Heires & my Executor hereafter named All the Rest of my personall Estate to me belonging both Goods Chattells & Lands not above mentioned I give & bequeath unto my son Ralph Buck to him & his heires for ever paying all my just debts and funerall expences Item my will is that for want of payment of the above sd (sums) of four pound year to my above said wife she to enter upon and possesse one third part of my Antient Estate above mentioned in the meantime if she desires to live in the parlour End And to have a Buttery to it Lastly I ordaine & appoint my (son) Ralph Buck to be sole Executor of this my last will & Testament In Witness (where)of I have hereunto sett my hand & seal the day & year above written Francis Buck sealed signed & Delivered in the presence of us Robert Twistleton Jos: Robinson

Francis Buck of Bargh house 1717/18

Transcribed by Mary Slater

A true & pfect Inv(ento)ry of ye goods & chattells debts & creditts of Francis Buck late of Bargh house in the Pish of Giggleswick & County of York Yeom decd aprised by us whose names are Subscribed the 30th day of Jan(uar)y ano Dni 1717:

Imp:s his purse & apparell	5	0	0
Specialtys	66	14	3
4 cows & 3 calves	10	0	0
30 sheep 7li 10s 1 mare 2li	9	10	0
houses & lands holden by lease	200	0	0
husbandry gear 1li hey 1li 10s	2	10	0
chests & arks	2	0	0
bedstocks & bedding	8	0	0
a cupbd & dresser	1	2	6
brass & pewter	1	11	6

2 tables & forms	1	1	0
long settle & chairs	0	13	4
In wood vessell & small hustlemt	1	5	6

tot.	309	8	1
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apriſed by us

John Twiſleton

Robert Twiſleton

Thomas Green

Wm Bentham

Giggleswick modern ſpelling

BUCK JENNET 1724 Inventory Borthwick Original

A true and perfect Inventory of all the Goods & Chattells Debts and Credits of Jennet Buck late of Bark house in the parish of Giggleswick in the County of York widow deceased Appraised by Us whose Names are Subscribed this twelfth day of October 1724

Imprimis her purse and Apparrell & money owing to her	1	18	0
Item her bedstead and bedding or furniture thereunto belonging	<u>2</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>8</u>
Totall	4	4	8

Richard Clark
Wm. Bentham

BULLOCK ALICE 1739 Ref. Borthwick vol. 86 fol. 247 mic. 1006

In the Name of God Amen I Alice Bullock of Settle in the County of York widow being weak in body but of sound and Disposing mind and memory praised be God for the same Do for the setling of my temporal concerns make and ordain this my last will and Testament as follows: and firstly I will that all my just debts Funeral expences and the charge of the probate of this my last will be paid of and discharged by Alice Brown of Settle aforesaid (wife of Robert Brown whom I appoint Sole Executrix of this my will withall convenient Speed forth and out of my personall Estate but if the same will not be sufficient to discharge the Debts I shall owe at the time of my decease and the Legacys hereafter mencioned it is my will and mind and I do hereby Give devise and bequeath so much and such part of my Leasehold Lands and premisses lying and being within the Township of parish of Long Preston in the said County or elsewhere unto my said Executrix her Executors Administrators and Assigns for and during such term or number of years as shall at my Decease be unspent and to come in the same Upon Trust that she (notwithstanding her Coverture & without the interfering or intermeddling of her Husband) or they shall with all convenient speed after my decease Make Sale thereof and dispose of the moneys raised by such sale for and towards the payments and satisfaction of my said of my said (sic) Debts I Also Give and Bequeath unto Alice Thomas and John Bullock my Grand Children the sum of one shilling apiece to be paid them severally at the end of twelve months next after my decease The Rest residue and remainder of all and singular my Goods Chattles and Effects whatsoever real or personal hereinbefore not disposed of I wholly Give Devise and Bequeath unto my other Two Grand Children Robert Brown and Ellen Brown son & Daughter of my said Executrix their Executors Administrators and Assigns equally to be divided betwixt them share and share alike Also I will and ordain that my said Executrix shall have the Custody Governing and Sole management of whatsoever is hereby Devised to them by the name of Chattles for their sole use and benefit during their and either of their minoritys if she shall so long live without the intermeddling of her husband her receipt of the same from time to time being as I do hereby order it a full discharge for the same notwithstanding her Coverture and that if either the said Robert and Ellen Brown my Grand Children dye underage and unmarried that the part portion or Legacy of him or her so dying shall belong and appertain unto the survivor of them and in case both the said Robert and Ellen Brown shall happen to dye under age and unmarried in the life-time of my Executrix then and in such Case I hereby Give Devise and Bequeath unto her and for her Sole and separate Use and benefit notwithstanding \...../ her Coverture whatsoever is hereinbefore Given and Devised to the said Robert and Ellen Brown in Case they or either of them shall have fortunated to live But if both my said Grand Children Robert and Ellen Brown shall happen to dye under age and unmarried and my Executrix shall before that time be also dead having left any other Child or Children on her body lawfully begotten I do hereby Give Devise and bequeath whatsoever is hereby first Devised to the said Robert and Ellen Brown my Grand Children to such Child or Children equally to be divided betwixt or among them Share and Share alike provided always and my Intent Will and meaning is that my said Executrix or any other by her title or authority shall not sell or alienate by any means any part or parcel of my leasehold lands (save as aforesaid) but shall let them remain in such sort as they are in at the time of my Decease to the Uses aforesaid during \the life time of Robert Brown my Executrixes Husband but if the said Robert Brown shall happen to dye during/ the minority of my said Grand Children Robert and Ellen \Brown/ or any Child or Children to be by him begotten on the Body of the said Alice and leave not effects sufficient for their maintenance and support my will is and I do hereby Give full power and authority to and for my said Executrix during such her widowhood to sell and dispose of all or any part of my said Leasehold Lands and premisses and the moneys arising by sale

thereof put forth at Interest and the yearly interest or produce thereof as also all or such part of the principall as she shall judge needful and expedient pay and apply in maintaining educating and providing of my said Executrixes Children by the said Robert Brown in such sort manner and form as shall think most advantage and necessary for their respective Advancement in the world anything before mentioned notwithstanding and having \as aforesaid/ appointed my Daughter Alice Brown Sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament I do hereby revoke all former and other wills by me at any time heretofore made In Witness where= of I have hereunto set my hand and seal this present Thirtieth day of April in in (sic) the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and thirty nine Alice Bullock her Letter or mark Signed sealed published and declared to be the last Will and Testament of the Testator in our presence and subscribed by us as witnesses in her presence Margaret Read her mark Richard Geldard James Carr This will passed the Seal the 9th. november 1739

**BULLOCK THOMAS 1721 Ref. Borthwick vol. 76 fol. 240 mic. 995
& Inventory original**

The Twenty third day of Feb.....*rest of line gone*.....

Twenty and one Then Thomas Bullocke of Settle in the County of york Carpenter in his last sickness at his own dwellinghouse in the hearing and presence of Henry Haydock and Lawrence Rawsthorne both of Settle aforesaid declared this to be his last Will and Testament or words to the same Effect and att the same time desired them to take notice and bear Witness thereof First he declared it was his Will and mind that his Goods and personall Estate should be sold for the payment of his Debts and further that it was his Will and mind that his wife Elizabeth should have and enjoy the house wherein he then dwelt with the appurtenances during her naturall life And after her Death it was his Will and mind that his son Thomas should have and enjoy the said house and premisses for all such Numbers of years as was then unspent and to Come in the same and apointed her the said Elizabeth Bullock Executrix of this Will. Henry Haydock Lawrence Rosthorn his mark.

March the 4th 1721

An Appraisment made of the Goods and Chattells
of the late Thos. Bullock of Settle Deceased
in the County of York Carpenter
by us whose Names are under written

	li	s	d
Purse and Apparell	2	10	0
2 Mares and one Cow	6	0	0
Brass and Pewter	1	1	0
Beding and Bedstocks	1	19	0
one doz Chairs	0	6	0
one Ovall table 6 ^s one Long Table 10 ^s	0	16	0
White Mettle and other Potts	0	03	00
one dresser and Close Case	0	07	00
one Cart and wheels	0	6	00
20 oak Boards	0	08	0
40 Ash Bords	0	13	4
3 Peices of wood	0	03	0
one Long Settle	0	04	0
1/2 doz Chairs	0	03	0
2 Chists	0	09	0
1 Square table	0	06	0
2 Iron Grates	0	7	0
one Cupboard	0	6	0
	16	5	00

A true Copy of the Prisment
of the above mentioned Goods
as witness our Hands

Geo: (Reard)
James Hall
Henry Haydock

BULLOUGH HENRY 1734**Ref. Borthwick Will vol. 83 fol. 395 mic.1003 & Inventory original**

In the Name of God Amen I Henry Bullough of Settle in the County of York Carpenter being Sick in Body but of Sound and disposing mind and memory praised be God for the Same do this present fourth day of September in the year of our Lord God one thousand Seven hundred and thirty four make publish and Declare this my last will and Testament and First and principally I recomend my Soul into the hands of almighty God my Creator hoping through the Death of Jesus Christ my redeemer my sins will be forgiven mee and as for my Body I Comit the Same to the Earth there to Expect the Resurrection of the Righteous and as for my worldly Estate which it hath pleased God to bestow upon me after payment of my Just Debts and Funeral Expences I Give devise and Bequeath the Same unto my welbeloved Daughter Elizabeth Bullough that is all these my Goods Chattles and personall Estate whatsoever upon payment of the severall Legacys or Sums of money hereafter mentioned Imprimis I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Catherine Clapham the Sume of Twenty shillings also I Give unto my son (nicholas) Bullough the Sume of Twenty Shillings and to my Grand children Henry and James Bullough each of them Twenty Shillings also I Give unto my Daughter Ann Allison the Sume of Twenty Shillings and to my Grand children william Henry Elizabeth and margaret allison the Sume of Twenty Shillings Each also I Give unto my Daughter Jane Bryer the Sume of Twenty Shillings all which Said Legacyes or Sumes of money I will and require that my Daughter Elizabeth Bullough being Executrix of this my last will and Testament doo pay unto the persons above mentioned or their assignes within twelve months after my Decease Nevertheless it is my will and pleasure that in Case any one of my Said Grand children William Henry Elizabeth and margaret Allison do happen to dye before his her or their Legacyes become due and payable that the Survivour or Survivours of them Share it amongst them that is Share and Share alike also it is my will and pleasure that in Case Either of my Grand children Henry or James Bullough doe happen to dye before their respective Legacy or Legacys become due and payable that the Survivour of them Shall have the Said Twenty Shillings In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Said fourth day of September anno Domini 1734 Henry Bullough his mark Sealed Signed published and Declared by the Testator to be his last will and Testament in the presence of us Rd. Chamberlain Allan Carr This Will passed the Seal the 25th of September 1734

September the 9th 1734 Then An Inventory taken of the Goods of Henry Bullough de Settle late deceased by us

Imprimis Purse and Apparell	10	15	0
Household Goods	2	10	0
Working Tools Relateing his business	1	11	0
	<u>14</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>0</u>

N: Chamberlain
Allan Carr