### Borthwick volume 83 Folio 256 Will of Mary Fish of Holling Hall parish of Giggleswick 1733 spinster

Whereas my brother Robert Fish is by bond indebted to me in the sum of £50 with arrears of interest for which my brother John Fish stands bound I give the same to my brother Robert and as a legacy. To my brother John my 1/5 part of that messuage and farm called Cappenhow alias Cappenhall in the parish of Kirkby Malhamdale now in the possession of Will Procter for all such time as shall be to come from the death of my mother Martha Fish. To William Bankes of Green junior £10 within 12 months. Whereas Adam Carr is indebted to me about 12 shillings or 13 shillings I forgive him the same and as a legacy I give him 20 shillings. To Elizabeth Dickson my servant 42 shillings. To Ann Fish my sister in law £10. To Margaret daughter of John Hammerton 20 shillings. To the poor of Rathmell 40 shillings and the poor of Giggleswick 20 shillings within two weeks. Residue to my mother Martha Fish sole executrix.

Witnesses Ellinor Fish Ann Atkinson Thomas Airton

### **Modern English**

## Will of Elizabeth Fish of Cappanhall parish of Kirkby Malhamdale widow February the 7th 1681

To two children of Jennet daughter of Thomas Briggs of Stainton £20

to George and James Sedgwicke my nephews £20

to Elizabeth Briggs daughter of Thomas Briggs aforesaid £10

to Elizabeth daughter of John Briggs £10

to Anne Sedgwicke my niece £5

to Anne, Mary, Martha and Ellen daughters of Thomas Knipe my brother in law £20 equally divided

to John son of John Bond of Brockthorne £5 and to Jaine Bond and his daughter 50 shillings

to Anne Fish my niece £5 and my widow bed with all furniture belonging

to Elizabeth and Ellin Fish my nieces £5 between them and a chest each

to my nephew Mr William Rawson Minister at Bayldon £5

to Roger the son of Roger Sidgweeke of Manchester £10

to Matthew, Christopher and Roger sons of Matthew Falthrop of Giggleswick £30 equally between them -- £18 of the same was owing to my husband and I desire my executors to set it forward for the childrens' use

to Stephen Fish my nephew 40 shillings

Roger Sedgweeke of Manchester and John Briggs of Pendleton in Lancs to be my joint executors

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witnesses: -- Jeffrey Fish, Stephen Fish, John Bond

### Re- infecta will 1682 July (not proven for some reason)

# Jeoffrey Fish gentleman of Cappanhall, parish of Kirkby Malhamdale Will made 7th of July 1682

Gent well stricken in years.

To Stephen Fish my son and his heirs for ever all my messuages lands and tenements at Cappanhall and at Trainhouse and Stackdill or elsewhere in Malham, Malhammore and the several parishes of Kirkby and Giggleswick and all deeds and writings belonging; and all lease at Cappanhall and Trainhouse within Golbecke, Henside or elsewhere provided Stephen pays out of the same the following legacies; To Alice my eldest daughter now wife of John Bond gent three score pounds at the end of one year after my death.

To Anne my next daughter three score pounds at the end of two years.

To Elizabeth my third daughter three score pounds at the end of three years.

To Ellen my youngest daughter three score pounds at the end of four years.

If the legacies are not paid my daughters may enter the property until they are paid with the interest that has accrued.

Debts and funeral expenses of my whole personal estate. Whereas I have already paid my daughter Alice wife of John Bond £100 I do give to my other daughters Anne, Elizabeth and Ellen £100 in lieu of filial portion to make them equal

To my son Stephen my best horse or mare together with all my saddles and other furniture for horses, all husbandry gear, my clock, mault mill, one bed of clothes, all arks, chests, chairs, tables, forms, cupboards, bedstocks and fire ranges and all standing goods at Cappanhall, Trainhouse and Stackdill.

To Mr William Rawson Minister of Baildon £10 at the end of one year.

To my son-in-law John Bond £20 to the use of John and Jane his children equally, within 12 months.

Residue to Alice, Anne, Elizabeth and Ellen my daughters equally.

Executor -- my son Stephen.

Supervisors; my son-in-law John Bond and William Rawson.

Witnesses; R.Wilkinson, Matthew Tailer?, Thomas Procter