

Will of Thomas Harrison of Lower Paley Green 1675

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Thomas Harrison Yeoman

To be buried within the parish church of Giggleswick. Debts and funeral expenses of my whole goods.

To John Harrison son of Robert Harrison late of Pythornes and his heirs all my cottage lands tenements leases house barns and appurtenances at Lower Paley Green; all houses and grounds in Tipperthwaite in township of Giggleswick and all woods belonging being formerly part of Roger Wilson tenement which I purchased of John Aireton; all closes called Stackhouse Close and Holme and Kiln Close part of Mr Shutts tenements formerly with all woods and underwoods thereon; two closes called Brayshay closes purchased of Richard Brayshare the elder of Giggleswick; a close called Crommerrigge one part improved and one part not improved purchased of William Brayshay; a parcel of common and turbary on Lawkeland More and the same to be had and taken there amongst the rest of the tenements after the rate of three shillings rent, John Harrison paying to the Chief Lord thereof the annual rent; all goods cattles chattels and personnel estate and debts. He is to pay the following legacies.

To Edward Harrison son of William Harrison four pounds which he owes me by bond and the bond to be delivered up to him. To Stephen Harrison eight pounds. To Thomas Watkinson six pounds. To Edward Harrison son of Robert Harrison one pound and to Isabel Harrison his sister one pound. To John Harrison son of William Harrison six shillings together with the £4-13s-4d he owes me. To John Harrison son of John Harrison 10 shillings. To Hugh Stackhouse of the Hartehead two pounds. To Susanna Renoldson my servant eight pounds if she is still my servant at the time of my death; if she is no longer my servant then seven pounds. To Margaret Stackhouse my servant if she is still with me at the time of my death one pound four shillings. To Thomas Carr of Roomehouse six pounds. To Jane wife of Richard Carr of Longrigge one pound. To Ann Bentham of Horton 16 shillings. To Augustine Wray of Long Preston five shillings. To Margaret Wray daughter of Augustine Wray one coverlet which was last made, one blanket one pair of sheets and one bolster of the middle sort. To Isabel Wray her sister one red petticoat. To Ann Wray their sister the cloak which was my wife's. To Margaret Meadslay of Long Preston 20 shillings. All legacies are to be paid within 12 months -- if any will not give full discharge to my nephew and executor then their part and portion is utterly void. Residue to my nephew John Harrison son of Robert Harrison -- he executor
witnesses Hugh Stackhouse William Banks Thomas Carr Thomas Watkinson

THOMAS CARR OF PALEY GREEN

INVENTORY 1712

Borthwick

An inventory of all the goods and Cattells belonging to Thomas Carr of peale Greene deceased vallued and prased by us whose names ar below subscribed August the sixteenth day in 1712

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Imprimis his purse and his aparill	05	00	0
Itam his hors and furnitory	05	00	0
Itam six kine	22	00	0
Itam two stears and two hefers	02	00	0
Itam two young hefers	03	10	0
Itam two young hefers	05	10	0
Itam one stere	02	00	0
Itam two Callfes	04	00	0
Itam one mere and one fole	06	00	0
Itam one maire	03	10	0
Itam one filly	02	10	0
Itam in sheepe	09	00	0
Itam one hog	00	10	0
Itam Carts and wheels	02	00	0
Itam plow and ploowgeare	01	00	0
Itam alle othere husbanry geare	01	05	0
Itam meall and malte	02	00	0
Itam bedstockes and beding	03	05	0
Itam Arkes and Chists (tables	02	10	0
Itam one Cubarde one long setle two ^	01	10	0
Itam bras and peadar	02	10	0
Itam alle other huslement	01	10	0
Itam Deptes owing by the deceased	40	10	0
Itam funerall expences	05	00	0
Itam Lease Lands	one hundred pounds	00	0

Robert Carr his marke
Henry Broone

John Ackinson John Browne

John Duckett of High Paley Green 1845

This is the last Will and Testament of me John Duckett of High Paley Green in the Parish of Giggleswick in the County of York Yeoman made and published this tenth day of November one thousand eight hundred and fifty five. First I order and direct that all my just debts funeral and Testamentary expences and the expences of proving this my Will be paid out of my personal Estate Then I give and bequeath unto my Son William Duckett of Blackburn Whites..... the Sum of one hundred and twenty pounds and also an oak Chest now in my House at Paley Green aforesaid. I also give and bequeath unto my son John Duckett of Carnforth in the County of Lancaster Husbandman the sum of the hundred and twenty Pounds. I also give and bequeath unto John the son of the said John Duckett an Oak Chest of Drawers in my house at Paley Green aforesaid. I also give and bequeath unto my Daughter Ann Duckett of Liverpool the Sum of one hundred and twenty pounds and also my large family Bible and four silver tea spoons. I also give and bequeath unto my son Thomas Duckett the Sum of one hundred and twenty Pounds. Provided and I hereby direct and it is my Will and mind that the said Mentioned Sum of one hundred and twenty Pounds so given and bequeathed unto my said Son Thomas Duckett shall be placed out at Interest in Some Bank in the Names of my Trustees and Executors hereafter named till such time as my said Son Thomas Duckett shall arrive in England and call upon my said trustees for payment thereof Provided also and I hereby order and direct that in case my said Son Thomas Duckett shall not be heard off nor call in my said trustees for the next fourteen years then I give and bequeath the said Sum of one hundred and twenty Pounds and all interest and accumulations of Interest threon unto and equally amongst the Sons and daughters of my said two Sons William and John share and share alike the same to be divided equally amongst them at the expiration of the said fourteen years. I also give and bequeath unto my housekeeper Mary Butler the Sum of twenty Pounds along with all the residue and remainder of all my Household Goods and furniture Plate linen and China and all and every thing now in my House at High Paley Green aforesaid With the exception of the Oak Chest Chest of Drawers Bible and Tea Spoons so given and bequeathed to my Sons and Daughter William Duckett John Duckett and Ann Duckett. And I hereby also order and direct that the legacies hereuntofore given and bequeathed to my sons William and John and to my daughter Ann shall be paid at the expiration of twelve months after my decease. I also give and bequeath unto my housekeeper Mary Butler now living with me my two Cows One calf and all other Stock Fodder and Implements of Husbandry which may be on the land in my occupation at the time of my decease. I give my Son William my great Top Coat and the remainder of my wearing apparel I give unto my said Son John Duckett. And I appoint William Brennand of Settle Relieving Officer and Robert Grime of Lane End Farmer Executors in trust of this my Will. In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my hand this tenth day of November one thousand and eight hundred and forty five.

John Duckett

Signed by the said John Duckett as and for his last Will and Testament in the joint presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses This tenth day of November one Thousand eight hundred and forty five.

John Settle

Thomas Bateson Settle

I hereby certify that on the twentieth day of February in the year of our Lord 1846 William Brennand of Settle in the Parish of Giggleswick in the County of York, relieving Officer in the Southern District of the Settle Union, one of the Executors named in this the last Will and Testament of John Duckett, late of High Paley Green in the Parish of Giggleswick aforesaid, Yeoman, deceased, was sworn well and truly to execute and perform the same; and that the whole of the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased within the Province of York, do not amount in value to the Sum of six hundred pounds.

Witness my hand

John Howson, Surrogate

Sworn under £600

Prerogative

Died 10th December 1845

Passed 25th April 1840 inf 600 fund