

In the name of God Amen the xxiiij day of January in the fortieth year of the reign of our most gracious lady Elizabeth by the grace of God Queen of England France and Ireland defender of the faith etc. anno dom 1597 I Thomas Carr of Rawthmell within the county of York yeoman sick in bodie but of perfect mind and remembrance praised be Almighty God do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following. First I give and bequeath my soul to Jesus Christ my saviour and redeemer and my body to be buried in the churchyard of Giggleswick being my parish church and for my mortuary and other church dues I give and bequeath all that right will Item my will is that my debts be paid out of my whole goods and for the residue of my goods when my debts be paid my will is that my wife shall have the third part of the same and for the other two parts I will that they be equally distributed amongst my two youngest sons and my three youngest daughters Item my will is that my daughter Anne shall have all that parcel of ground or close called Cattleside carre (?) or Loughwhait close which I purchased or bought of Mr Oliver Haleghton late of Rawthmell aforesaid which said close I have assured and confirmed unto my said daughter Anne by one deed made in Latin bearing date the xxij th day of this instant January together with all writings thereunto belonging in full satisfaction of her child's part or filial portion of my goods Item I give and bequeath to my two sons Roger and Henry the one moetic and half of my tenement in Rawthmell whereupon I now dwell except one close called brakan Hill to have and to hold the same half tenement and every the appurtenances thereunto belonging to my said sons Henry and Roger for and during the space and term of two hundred and fourscore years as appears more plainly by one indenture of lease and covenant made between me Thomas Carre on the one part and my sons Roger and Henry on the other part and bearing date the last day of March last they my two sons paying such sums of money to their sisters as is limited and expressed in the said indenture and if default be made of any payment of money by the said Roger and Henry to their sisters named in the same indenture my will is that the benefit of the said indenture shall redound unto their said sisters in manner and form as is expressed in the said indenture Item my will is that my wife notwithstanding shall have all my said tenements being of the yearly rent of xxij shillings for the space and term of 12 whole years next after my decease and fully to be complete and ended to and for the bringing up and better preferment of my five youngest children which said tenement I purchased of the right Hon the Earl of Cumberland to have and to hold the said tenement to my said wife in manner and form as appears by an indenture made between me Thomas Carre on the one part and Alan Wharfe and Richard Carre on the other part being made to the said Alan and Richard upon trust to and for the use and behoof of my wife and five youngest children the said indenture bearing date the xxij th day of this instant January as by and in the same it there more plainly do and may appear Item I give and bequeath to my son Alan and to his heirs the ---- of my said tenement after the expiration of the said lease of two hundred and fourscore years And after the end and expiration of the lease of 12 years (except the one half or moetic of a close belonging to the said tenement called brakan hill) to have and to hold the said tenement after the expiration of the said two leases unto the said Alan his heirs and assigns for ever Item I give and bequeathto my sons Roger and Henry the one half of the Brakan Hill before excepted to have and to hold the same tenement unto them the said Roger

and Henry their heirs and assigns for ever from and after the end and expiration of the said indenture of and for twelve years before mentioned yielding and paying to the said Alan his heirs and assigns yearly the annual rent of one penny at the feast of Pentecost being lawfully demanded or within xx days after the said Feast Item my will is that my son Alan if he so please to take it shall have such meat drink and apparel at my now dwelling house with my wife for these twelve years after my decease as my wife does or shall bestow upon the rest of my children the said Alan being dutiful and obedient to his mother Item I make my son Henry sole executor of this my last will and testament and Alan Clarke of Rathmell John Carre of Brayshay Richard Frankland and Giles Houghton of Rawthmell husbandmen supervisors of the same In witness whereof I the said Thomas Carre to this my last will and testament have set my hand and seal the day and year above written Sealed and signed in the presence ofviz. Anthony Foster John Foster and Thomas Bronne and James Armistead

WILL of Richard Frankland of Rathmell 1698

In the name of God Amen the 27th day of September in the year of our Lord God 1698 I Richard Frankland of Rathmell in the parish of Giggleswick and county of York Master of Arts being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following renouncing and making void all other wills and testaments at any time by me made in word or writing and this only to be taken for my last will and testament. And first comitting my whole self spirit soul and body to the gracious acceptance of the great and blessed God through the merits of my Redeemer. And my body in special to decent internment according to the judgment of my friends and executors hereafter named. And as touching my temporal estate in this world whether in lands or goods I give and bequeath the same in manner following. And first my will is that out of my whole estate all my just debts and funeral expenses be truly paid in convenient time after my decease. Item I do discharge and acquit my brother in law Mr Robert Bankes and Margaret his wife from all claims and demands which I might require as custom for tabling the said Margaret my sister for about seven or eight years or so many years as are last past. And I do likewise acquit and discharge my nephew Mr Joseph Banks of Sheffield in reference to my said sister's tabling though he freely offered to satisfy me for it provided he freely grant release and confirm to me all my executors all such goods as lately belonged to my said brother Bankes and which were sold and granted by my said brother to him the said Joseph towards the maintenance and livelihood of my said sister Margaret Bankes and for which I have already given full payment and satisfaction to my said sister as she very well knows save only for two joined beds one cupboard and a joined form with some few other small things. And my will is that such grant release and confirmation of the said goods being first made by my said nephew Mr Joseph Banks to my executors within six months next after my decease and then and after such grant as aforesaid the sum of 20 shillings be well and truly paid by my executors to my said brother Mr Robert Bankes as a legacy and the sum of four pounds more to my said sister Mrs Margaret Bankes his wife and to my said nephew Mr Joseph Banks his wife and two children to each of them the sum of two shillings. But if the said Mr Joseph Banks shall refuse to give such grant or releases to my executors as aforesaid according to the true meaning of this my last will and testament that then the said several bequests to him his wife and children and also to the said Mr Robert Bankes and his wife shall clearly cease and void as if the same had never been given or made. Item I give and bequeath unto my nephew Mr Robert Bankes of Hull and his children to each of them ten shillings. Item my will and mind is and I do hereby give unto Anne Jacks wife of Richard Jacks of Langcliffe and daughter of William Browne of Rathmell deceased the sum of 20 shillings and to each of her sons viz. Richard and Mathew the sums of six shillings and 8d. Item I give to Mary Browne of Rathmell daughter of the said William Browne the sum of three pounds. And to Jane her daughter the sum of six shillings and eightpence. Item my will is that such debts as shall be due to any of my servants with all other just debts be fully satisfied and paid in convenient time after my death except £20 which I am owing to one Richard Shaw of Blackehouse which is not due till Martinmass next as will appear by and given him under my hand for payment thereof and which said sum I then will to be justly paid him according to the tenor thereof. Item I give and bequeath amongst my servants as follows. Imprimis to John Waddilove the sum of three pounds. To William Singlehurst three pounds. To John Singlehurst 20 shillings. To Richard Anderson 30 shillings. To Jane Curren 30 shillings. To Francis

Beckett 40 shillings. To Easter Laden(?) 10 shillings. To William Simpson Jane Ogden and Ellin Richardson each of them two shillings and sixpence. Item I give the sum of £10 to the overseers of the poor then being for Rathmell and Giggleswick to be put forth secured and managed by them as a stock and that the interest thereof be yearly paid by them and their successors overseers for the said two towns to and for the use of the poor of the said towns for ever. Item my will and mind is that there be made after my decease on the first Lord's day in May yearly and every year for ever two sermons of wise sober and virtuous learned men such as my friends and executors hereafter named or the major part of them and their heirs shall think fit to nominate for that purpose that is to say one at Stainton Kendall or Crooke and the other at Attercliffe or Rathmell if that meeting aile(?) the same to be preached at pasture house or to that congregation now under Mr Kirshaw or whereas my friends and executors or the major part of them and their heirs shall think most convenient and the preacher to have given him at every sermon the sum of six shillings and 8d to be paid him by my executors and their heirs. Item I give to my dear and loving wife Elizabeth my watch a gold ring now on my hand one good bedstead with bedding suitable thereto and convenient furniture for one room and five such books as shall choose out of my whole library. Item I give unto my said wife in full recompense and satisfaction of all her dower right title interest and demand whatsoever which she may have or claim of in or out of any my goods and chattels lands tenements rents or hereditaments or any part thereof the annual or yearly rent of £30 to be paid her for and during the term of her natural life by my three daughters Elizabeth Mary and Margaret their heirs and assigns and part like at two days of payment in each year viz. At Pentecost day and Martinmass by equal portions and if the said annuity or yearly rent of £30 or any part thereof shall be behind and unpaid by the space of eight and 20 days next after either of the said feasts or days of payment on which the same ought to be paid as aforesaid being first lawfully demanded at my messuage house in Rathmell where I now dwell that then and from thenceforth so long as my said daughters shall continue to have a joint estate in my said messuages lands and premises in Rathmell and Giggleswick aforesaid and that the same shall remain undivided amongst them it shall and may be lawful to and for my said wife and her assigns to enter and distrain upon all or any part of the said premises and the distresses there found to take drive lead and carry away impound and sell according to the late act of Parliament made for that purpose until she or they be of the annuity or yearly payment of £30 and the arrears thereof if any be fully satisfied contented and paid but if my said daughters after my decease shall happen to make partition and division amongst them of my estate that then and from thenceforth so often as any default shall happen in payment of the said annuity to my wife as aforesaid it shall and may be lawful to and for her and her assigns to enter and distrain only upon such part of the said premises as after such division shall then belong to such of my said daughters as shall neglect or refuse to pay her or their part any proportion of the said annuity as aforesaid according to the true intent and meaning of this my last will and testament and not otherwise. Item I give unto my daughter Elizabeth in respect that she is my eldest daughter the sum of £10 over and above what I give unto my other two daughters to be paid in one year after my decease. And after all my just debts legacies and funeral expenses be well and truly paid and discharged out of my whole estate as aforesaid and this my last will and testament in every thing performed I give and bequeath the whole residue and remainder thereof whether freehold or leasehold real or personal with all my goods cattles and chattels and all my estate right title and interest therein and thereto unto my three daughters Elizabeth Mary and Margaret their heirs executors and

administrators equally amongst them part and part like in as full and ample manner as I have power to give and grant the same yet nevertheless but upon condition that my said daughters or such of them as shall fortune to marry after my decease do it with the consent and good liking and approbation of my friends hereafter named supervisors of this my last will and testament that is to say of John Hay of pasture house in the county of York yeoman Henry Strickland of Stainton in the county of Westmorland yeoman William Thornton of Birks in the county of Lancaster yeoman and Richard Walmsley of Rathmell in the said county of York yeoman or the major part of them then living but if any of my said daughters do fortune to marry and that contrary to the consent and approbation of my said friends or the major part of them as aforesaid and then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said John Hay Henry Strickland William Thornton and Richard Walmsley to deduct out of her or their part and proportion of my said estate so marrying contrary to their good liking and approbation as aforesaid any sum or sums of money not exceeding the sum of 40 marks and to give and dispose the same to such daughter or daughters as shall marry with their good liking and approbation any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding. And lastly I do make and ordain my three daughters Elizabeth Mary and Margaret joint and whole executors of this my last will and testament hoping they will in every thing well and truly perform the same according as my trust is in them. And I do make and ordain the said John Hay Henry Strickland William Thornton and Richard Wellesley being all my special friends to overseers or supervisors thereof and to whom I give 10 shillings apiece for their pains and care to be taken herein hoping they will see the same performed accordingly. And in testimony that this is my last will I have hereunto subscribed my name with my own hand and thereunto put my seal the day and year first above written.

Richard Frankland

Sealed subscribed published and declared after the interlineation of these words 'ten pounds to be paid in one year after my decease' in the presence of John Owen Peter
Mr Weatherherd

WILL of Robert Peel of Green, Rathmell 1773

Borthwick

In the name of God Amen I Robert Peele of Green in the township of Rathmell in the parish of Giggleswick and county of York yeoman do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say first I give and devise unto William Buck of Green aforesaid yeoman and Roger Preston of Hanlith in the parish of Kirkby Malhamdale in the said county yeoman all my messuage lands and tenements with the appurtenances situate and being at Cowber in the parish of Long Preston in the county of York To hold the whole or such part or parts thereof as is or are of freehold tenure unto the said William Buck and Roger Preston their heirs and assigns for ever as tenants in common subject nevertheless to and I hereby charge the same with the payment of the annuity and legacies or sums of money by me hereinafter specifically bequeathed. And to hold so much and such part or parts thereof as is or are of leasehold tenure (subject and chargeable as aforesaid) unto the said William Buck and Roger Preston their executors administrators and assigns as tenants in common for and during all and every such term and terms number and numbers of years as shall be therein or in any part thereof to come and unexpired at the time of my decease. And I do hereby give and bequeath unto Richard Carr of Rathmell aforesaid yeoman the sum of £40 and to Margaret the wife of the said Richard Carr the annual or yearly sum of three pounds to be paid to her out of the rents and profits of my said estate yearly and every year during the term of her natural life for her own separate use first payment to begin and be made at the end of 12 months next after my decease. And I do order and direct that the said annuity or yearly sum of three pounds so as aforesaid given and bequeathed to the said Margaret the wife of the said Richard Carr shall not be subject to the debtsor disposition of her said husband notwithstanding her coverture(?). And I do hereby also give and bequeath unto the children of the said Richard Carr by the said Margaret his wife who shall be living at the time of the decease of the said Margaret the sum of £60 to be paid equally amongst them share and share alike within one month next after the decease of her the said Margaret. And lastly I give and bequeath all my personal estate whatsoever and wheresoever unto the said William Buck and Roger Preston equally between them and share and share alike. And I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint the said William Buck and Roger Preston joint executors of this my will hereby revoking all former wills by me made and declaring this to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have to the first sheet of this my will set my hand and to the second being the last sheet thereof my hand and seal the 26th day of October in the year of our Lord 1773

Robert Peele his mark

Signed sealed published and declared by the said testator as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who in his presence and at his request and also in the presence of each other have hereto set our hands as witnesses attesting the due execution thereof

Richard Clapham John Preston Nicholas Geldard

Obligation in Latin and English

No source

Modern English

Will 9 July 1706 Thomas Stackhouse of Rathmell
Quitclaim 4 June 1707 Ann Stackhouse of Rathmell

To all true Christian people to whom these presents shall come Ann Stackhouse of Rathmell in the County of York widow sendeth Greetings and whereas Thomas Stackhouse of Rathmell in the said County of York shoemaker late deceased by his last will and testament bearing date the ninth day of July in the yeare of our Lord God One Thousand Seven hundred and Six amongst other things did Devise and bequeath unto Ellen his daughter forty pounds to be paid by his executors out of his personal estate and made Ann his wife and John Stackhouse his brother joint executors of his said will And whereas Henry Browne of Newhall in the county of York yeoman did become bound unto the said Thomas Stackhouse in one bond or obligation of the penalty of forty pounds conditioned for the payment of twenty pounds at some certain day then next coming which said bond being lost, mislaid, or by some undue means conveyed out of the custody of the said Ann Stackhouse since the death of her husband And whereas the said Henry Browne hath given new security to the said Ann Stackhouse by bond bearing date the day next before the date of these presents for the payment of twenty pounds the same being in consideration and satisfaction of the mislaid bond and for the proper use of Ellen the daughter of the said Thomas Stackhouse according to the true intent and meaning of the said Will. Now know ye that I the said Ann Stackhouse one of the Executors of the said Will and Guardian to the said Ellen my daughter for and in consideration of the new security given to me by ...said Henry Browne as aforesaid Have remised released and for ever quit claimed and by these p..... do remise release and for ever quit claim unto the said Henry Browne his heirs executors and administrators and dothem all and all manner of action and actions cause and causes of actions penaltys sum and sums of money which I the said Ann Stackhouse my heirs executors or administrators or any of us all any time hereafter can shall or might pretend to have challenge or claim against them the said Henry Browne his heirs executors or administrators or any of them of, for, upon by reason or means of the abovementioned lost or mislaid bond or any penalty sum or sums of money and upon or by virtue of the same And I the said Ann Stackhouse for myself my heirs executors and administrators and every of us did further covenant promise and agree to and with the said Henry Browne his heirs executors and administrators and every of them that I the said Ann Stackhouse my heirs executors and administrators and every of us shall and will at all times hereafter save and keep harmless and lossless and indemnified him the said Henry Browne his heirs executors and administrators and every of them of and from all and all manner of action and actions at law or in equity sum and sums of money penalties payments suits troubles expenses and incumbrances whatsoever which at any time hereafter shall or may arise accrue happen commenced or brought against him the said Henry Browne his heirs executors or administrators or any of them touching or in any wise concerning the above mentioned lost or mislaid bond or any penalty sum or sums of money thereupon due As witness my hand and seal this fourth day of June Anno R R Anna Magna Brittan etc Sexto Ano Dom 1707

Sealed and delivered in the presence of us
the same being first written upon
double 6d stamped paper

her mark

A
Ann Stackhouse

Rob: Clarke
T Lawson

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Will of Thomas Brown 1657

In the name of God Amen the third day of September in the year of our Lord according to the computation of the church of England 1557 I Thomas Browne the elder of Aikewith in the Lordship of Rathmell and county of York being infirm impotent and sickly in body, but of good and perfect remembrance praised be God do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following. First I do commit and willingly resign my soul into the merciful hands of Almighty God my maker and creator, trusting through the mercy and by the merits of Jesus Christ my only Redeemer to be saved and to have pardon and remission of all my sins, and my body to the earth whereof it was made to be buried at my parish church at Giggleswick at the discretion of my friends. And for my worldly and temporal goods and estate I do give demise and dispose of the same as follows. First it is my will and mind that my debts and funeral expenses and charges shall be paid out of my whole goods credits cattells and chattels whatsoever [*information appears to be missing*] to have and enjoy the same during the term of her natural life. Also my will and mind is and I do give unto Thomas Foster my son in law and to Alice his wife the sum of £10 to be paid to them at or shortly after the death of my said wife and for all the residue and remainder of all the goods and estate whatsoever whereof my said wife Thomasin shall be possessed at the time of her death, my will and mind is, that my said son in law Thomas Foster and Alice his wife, and John Foster Thomas Foster and Elizabeth Foster my grandchildren, shall have the same after the death of my said wife, and that my said wife, shall give and divide the same amongst them according to her discretion and as she shall think fit. And I do make my said wife my sole executrix. In witness whereof I have hereto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written.
Thomas Browne his mark

Witnesses hereof Henry Robinson his mark, Thomas Foster his mark, Thomas Browne younger his mark, Brian Cookeson

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Alan Carr of Rathmell 1616

Modern English

In the name of God Amen upon the fifth day of February Anno dm 1616 I Alan Carre of Rawthmell in the county of York Yeoman sick in my body but of good and perfect remembrance I praise God for the same do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following. First I commend my soul into the merciful hands of Almighty God trusting assuredly through the precious blood shedding of Jesus Christ my only Saviour to be saved and my body to be buried in the churchyard in Giggleswick. Item I will that my debts and funeral expenses be paid of my whole goods Item I give and bequeath for Margarett Carr my wife the one half of all my messuages Lands and Tenements in Rawthmell whatsoever only during her natural life. Item I give and bequeath to William Armetstead son of John Armetstead of Capplesyde All my messages Lands and Tenements in Rawthmell as well that in----- after the death and decease of the said Margarett my wife as also that in present possession not bequeathed to my said wife and to his heirs for ever. And for lack and in default of the heirs of the said William then to the right heirs of the said John Armetstead for ever. Item I give and bequeath to the said Margarett my wife the one half of all my goods Chattels Credits and debts movable and immovable. Item I give and bequeath to the said John Armetstead of Caplpesyde my brother in law £16 which he owes me. Item I give to Richard Houghton my brother in law Twenty pounds Item I give to Roger Carr my brother five pounds Item I give to my brother Henry Carr five pounds Item I give to my cousin Thomas Carr of Settle Ten pounds Item I give to my uncle Anthony Carr twenty shillings Item I give to my uncle James Armetstead twenty shillings Item I give to my uncle Roger Armetstead twenty shillings Item I give to John Clarke forty shillings to be abated of £22 which he owes me. Item I give to my Aunt Isabel Clarke twenty shillings. Item I give to Ann King my maid servant ten shillings over and besides her wages Item I give to the poor people of this Lordship of Rawthmell twenty shillings which I will be distributed at the discretion of my well beloved friend Mr William Nowell of Capplesyde And I will that all the foresaid legacies be paid forth of my part of the goods if it will extend thereto. And if it will not extend then my will and mind is that the said legacies shall be made forth of the Lands which is given (?) to William Armetstead of the first yearly profits thereof Provided and nevertheless it is my will and mind that if Margaret my wife be with child or children at the time of my decease that how such said children living shall inherit all my said messages Lands and Tenements in Rawthmell for ever and gifts above mentioned to the contrary notwithstanding and I appoint and ordain Margarett my said wife and the said John Armetstead my brother in law Joint executors of this my last will and testament These being witnesses Francis Foster James Armetstead Richard Houghton and Anthony Bainbridge (?)

In the name of God Amen the x day of October Anno dm 1569 I Alan Carre of Raythmell within the parish of Giggleswick sick in body and of perfect remembrance loved be Almighty God make this my last will and testament in manner and form following First I give and bequeath my soul to Almighty God and to all the glorious company in heaven and my body to be buried in the parish church yard of Giggleswick also I give and bequeath for my mortuary all that Right will also I give and bequeath to Margaret my wife all my Title and Interest that I have in Giggleswick and farmholdings with the eighth part of the Tithe corn of Raythmell during her widowhood and she to give my children their child's portions of goods when they come to lawful age at the sight of five friends also I give the title and Tenant Right of my tenement with the licence of the Lord unto Robert Carre my son he agreeing with William Carre his brother and if William Carre have it then he to agree with Robert Carre his brother also I give to Robert Carre my son the Title and Right of the also I give to Hughe Carre my son the title and tenement Right of the eighth part of Tythe corn of Raythmell after his mother's widowhead The rest of my part of goods my debts funeral expenses and other ordinary fees paid and discharged I give and bequeath to Margaret my wife whom I make my whole executrix These witnesses Alan Carre of Raythmell younger Oliver (?)Watkinson Richard Braidley John Lupton and Robert plane (?) with others

Janet Carr of Cattleside 1585

Borthwick vol 23 fol 53 mf 934

In the name of God Amen the first of May 1585 I Janet Carr late wife of Alan Carr of Cattleside sick in body but of perfect remembrance praised be Almighty God do make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following. First I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God my heavenly Father through whose mercy by the redemption of Jesus Christ my only Redeemer I believe to be saved. Secondly I give and bequeath for my mortuary that which is right and accustomed. Item I give and bequeath to Rawlyn... (?) of my son-in-law the sum of £10 of lawful money of England to be paid to the said or to his lawful assign or assigns the first day of May which shall be in the year of our Lord God 1595. Item I give and bequeath unto Anthony Wigglesworth my son the like sum of £10 of lawful money of England to be paid to the said Anthony or to his lawful assign or assigns the first day of May which shall be in the year of our Lord God 1595. The rest of all my goods my debts and funeral expenses paid and discharged I give to my son Thomas Wigglesworth of Stackhouse whom I make executor of this my last will and testament. These being witnesses
James Stackhouse Thomas Carr Roger Clapham and William Carr with others

Latin text

Thomas Carr of Rawthmell 1591
Borthwick vol 25 fol 1128 mf 937

In the name of god Amen the 13th of November 1591 I Thomas Carr of thereene (Green?) In the Lordship of Rathmell and of the parish of Giggleswick being sick in body but of perfect memory praised be Almighty God do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following. First I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God my heavenly Father trusting through the death of his son Jesus Christ to be saved and my body to be buried in the churchyard of Giggleswick. Item for my mortuary I give what of right is due. Item I give to John Carr son of Robert Carr my son one cupboard and one long chest after the decease or widow head of my wife. Item I give to every one of (the) rest of my son Robert's children 6s 8d. Item I give every one of my son Oliver's children 6s 8d excepting Jane to whom I have already given 6s 8d before the making of this my will. Item I give to every one of the children of Richard Bradely of Rathmell 12d. Item I give to every one of the children of Henry Diconson deceased 12d. Item I give to Isabel my wife the sext (sixth) part of the tenement of 6s rent which I have by agreement and by will from my son Robert Carr and according to the intent and meaning thereof she doing all duties appertaining thereto. Item my will is that my wife and the children of my son Robert Carr shall occupy my husbandry gear together during the time of my said wife's continuing at my house and after her departure from my house my will is that the same husbandry gear shall remain at my house to the use of the said children. Also I give to every one of my god children 12d apiece. Also I constitutes my loving friends Mr Shutte Robert Carr Alan Wharfe and Christopher Bankes supervisors of this my will and testament the rest of all my goods my debts and funeral expenses paid I give to Isabel my wife whom I make executrix of this my will and Testament these being witnesses Roberty Creake (?) Alan Wharfe Christopher Bankes Adam Armitstead and others

Latin text