A025 047 1704 Fish to Whitfield

This Memorial was Registred the first day of March 1704 at two in the afternoon

An Indenture bearing date the Tenth day of January in the third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lady Anne by the grace of God Queen of England Scotland France and Ireland Defender of the faith et. Annoque Domini One Thousand Seven Hundred and Four made Between Stephen Fish of Hollinghall in the parish of Gigleswick in the County of York gentleman of the one part and William Whitfield the younger on Westside houses on Malham Moor in the said County of York Yeoman of the other part Of all that Mansion or dwellinghouse scituate and being at Cowside in the said parish of Gigleswick and County of York And also all those two Closes of meadow ground lyeing near the said Mansion House called Litle Banking and the Parrock by estimacion three Acres be they more or less And also all those two Closes formerly in one Close of meadow and pasture ground as the same is now by Severall Walls and Fences divided and there comonly called the Brown Bank alias Myers by estimacion Ten Acres be they more or less all which said premisses are scituate lyeing and being within the Townshipp of Langcliffe in the said parish of Gigleswick and County of York and heretofore in the possession of one Timothy Peacock late of Cowside aforesaid deceased his Tenant or Tenants with all Houses Edifices Barns Buildings Yards Backsides Orchards Garths Gardens Tofts Crofts Commons Common of pasture and Turbary Moors Mosses Wastes Wast Grounds ways paths passages woods Underwoods Hedges Ditches Walls Fences Waters watercourses watering places Libertys easements profitts priviledges and appurtenances whatsoever to the said premisses or any part or parcell thereof belonging or in any wise appertaining which said Indenture is witnessed by William Dawson of Settle gentleman William Foster of Stainforth under Bargh yeoman and Christopher Weatherhead of Knt. Stainforth gentleman. This Memorial was Signed and Sealed by the William Whitfield above named William Whitfield in the presence W^m. Foster Jur of. Tho: Pearson

A032 057 1704 Clapham to Whitfield senr. Registred the Fifth day of Aprill 1705 at Ten in the Morning

An Indenture bearing date the Thirtieth day of January in the Year of our Lord God according to the Computation of the Church of England One Thousand seven Hundred and Four made Between Richard Clapham of Winscale in the County of York yeoman of the one part and William Whitfield senr. of West=side Houses in the said County of York Yeoman on the other part Of and Concerning all those Closes or parcells of Inclosed pasture ground called by the Names of the New Intack and the Litle Calfe Closes containing by estimacion five acres or thereabouts be the same more or less adjoyning to the highway at Cowside on the Northside and to one Close called Brown Bank on the east side and formerly belonging to Tenement at Cowside within the Township of blank Langcliffe and County of York aforesaid Together with all ways paths passages Wells Wellsprings Watering Places Walls Fences Ditches Libertys Easements profitts priviledges Hereditaments and appurtences whatsoever to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining and all his the said Richard Clapham's full and whole Estate property Claim and demand of and in the same To have and to hold the said pasture Closes called the New Intack and Calfe Closes and all and every the above mencioned to be Assigned premisses with their appurtences unto the said William Whitfield his Executors Administrators and Assignes from the day of the date of the said Indenture for and during the rest residue and remainder of the Term of five Hundred years under three pence Rent and other dues and duties due and to become due for the same Which said Indenture is witnessed by Thomas Carr of Settle in the said County of York Butcher William Carr of the said Settle Junr. mercer

This Memorial was signed and Sealed

by the above named Richard Clapham in the presence of. Tho: Carr Ri: Atkinson W^m. Carr Junr. Jur

D135 244 1705 Ellershaw last will Reg^d. the fourth of July 1711 at three in the afternoon

A Will bearing date the Thirty first day of December in the year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred and five made by John Ellershaw of Stony gate in Nether Bentham in the County of York yeoman deceased whereby the Testator doth dispose of his Temporall Estate as followeth I Do give and Devise unto my Beloved wife Agnes Ellershaw her Heirs and Assignes for ever All that parcell of ground lying within the Townfields of Over Bentham called Stubb mire Item I give and Devise unto my said wife and her Assignes during her naturall life my now Dwelling house and other the Houses buildings Orchards Gardens and backsides thereunto belonging and one Close called Ayre with the appurtnenaces lying within Bentham Mewith and the third part of my Freehold and Customary Estate I shall be Seized of at the time of my death And after her death I give all the said Messuage Farm Tenement and premisses and the said Close called Ayre and my Ancient Freehold Estate and Customary lying and being within the several Towns and precincts of Nether Bentham and Over Bentham unto my Son John Ellershaw his Heirs and Assignes for ever Item I give unto my Son William Ellershaw his Heirs and Assignes for ever All those Closes or parcells of Land with their Appurtenances lying within Nether Bentham called Bracken Wray Miller Ing Parrock John's Close Oake Stile And Eight Cattlegates in Ingleton Fell of the Ancient yearly rent of Two Shillings and one penny upon Condicion that he his Heirs or Assignes do pay unto my Son Richard Ellershaw and to my Daughters Mary Brown Agnes Taylor and Isabell Ellershaw their severall Executors Administrators or Assignes the several Summs of seven pounds Ten shillings a peice within Twelve Months next after my decease Item I give and Devise unto my Son Richard Ellershaw Clerk his Executors Administrators and Assignes Six Cattlegates in Upper henside within the Township of Langcliffe Item I give unto my wife Agnes and my said Son Richard Ellershaw and to the Survivor of them his or her Assignes for ever two Closes called Ellergills with the appurtenances to be sold by my Executors or the Survivor of them and the money rasied upon Sale thereof one third part to my wife and the remainder unto my said Son Richard and Daughters Mary Agnes and Isabell and their Severall Executors and Administrators to be equally Divided amongst them Item I give unto my said wife Agnes and my said Son Richard and the Survivor of them his and her Heirs for ever All that Messuage Farm or Tenement by me Purchased of John Wearing in Over Bentham to be sold by my Executors or the Survivor of them and the Moneys raised by Sale thereof one third part to be given to my said wife and the remainder to be equally divided amongst my said Children Richard Mary Agnes and Isabell or their several Executors or Administrators And I do appoint my said wife Agnes and Son Richard Sole Executors Which said Will is witnessed by William Bradley of Gigleswick yeoman Mathew Watkinson of Gigleswick Blacksmith and William Preston of **Gigleswick Shoemaker** Sealed and Signed by Richard

Ellershaw one of the Executors of the said Will in the presence of us

William Bradley William Preston Jur G Lawson **Richard Ellershaw**