

**John Hacke senior of Dummer, yeoman 1676**

**Ref: Hants. RO 1676A/46**

**In the name of God Amen** the twelfth day of July AD 1675 and in the seven and twentieth year in the reign of our Sovereign Lord Charles the Second by the grace of God King of England, Scotland, France and Ireland, Defender of the Faith I John Hacke of Dummer in the county of Southampton yeoman being of good and perfect memory, I thank my God, do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following. **First** I commend my soul into the hands of God my Maker hoping through the merits of Jesus Christ my Redeemer to enjoy eternity hereafter, and my body to the earth whereof it was made to be decently buried as my executors hereafter named shall think fit. **And as** concerning my temporal estate whereof my God has indued me **I give** and bequeath the same as follows. **First** I will and desire that all my just debts may be paid in convenient time after my decease, and I give unto the poor of the parish of Dummer aforesaid five shillings to be paid within one month after my decease. **Item** I give and bequeath all that my messuage or tenement and lands with the appurtenances in Dummer aforesaid containing one half yardland or thereabouts which I hold by lease on and for Mr Terry for ninety and nine years if the three lives in the said lease named or any of them shall so longer live to Margaret my daughter, the wife of Phillip Soper, for the term of her natural life. **And after** her decease I give and bequeath the said messuage or tenement and lands and premises with the lease hereof to Mary my daughter, the wife of Richard Hunt, to have and to hold to her heirs, executors and assigns during all the rest and residue of the term of years as shall be then to come and unexpired of and as the same. **Item** I give and bequeath unto my grandchild John Hacke after that he shall attain unto and be of the age of thirty years all that my messuage or tenement and lands with the appurtenances in Southrope in the parish of Herriard in the said county being my freehold lands and tenements to have and to hold to him during the term of his natural life (he my said grandchild not doing or committing nor suffering to be done or committed any wilful waste or spoil in or upon the premises or any part hereof). **And after** his decease I give and bequeath the same to the heirs of the body of my said grandchild lawfully to be begotten and for default of any issue to the right heirs of me the said John Hacke forever. **And my** will and meaning is and I do hereby so ordain and devise that during and until my said grandchild shall accomplish his said age of thirty years my executors hereafter named shall hold and enjoy the said messuage or tenement lands and premises and receive and take the rents and profits hereof to their own proper use and behoof paying only to my said grandchild upon his demand hereof of my said executors from his age of fourteen yeras to his said age of thirty years yearly and every year twenty shillings a year of current English money at the Feast Days of St Michael the Archangel and the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary in every year by equal portions. **And I** give and bequeath to him my said grandchild, the sum of forty shillings of current English money to be laid forth and disbursed by my said executors within a month after my decease by apparel in apparelling and clothing my said grandchild. **Item** I give and bequeath to my grandchild Phillip Soper the sum of forty shillings of current English money to be paid unto him when and so soon as he shall accomplish his age of one and twenty years. **And to** my grandchild Mary Soper I give and bequeath the sum of twenty pounds of current English money and my best bed with the furniture and appurtenances thereto belonging. **And to** my grandchild Martha Soper I give and

bequeath the sum of eighteen pounds of current English money which said legacies by me given to my said grandchildren Mary and Martha shall be paid unto them when they each accomplish their several and respective ages of twenty years. **And my** will is that if any of my said grandchildren namely Phillip, Mary or Martha shall die or depart this life before that his or her portion shall be due by this my said will then I will that the part or portion of him, her or them so dying shall be equally paid and divided unto and among the survivor or survivors of them share and share alike. **Item** I give and bequeath to my grandchild John Hunt the sum of four pounds of current English money. **To my** grandchild Elizabeth Hunt the sum of four pounds of like money and to my grandchild Ellen Hunt the sum of ten pounds of like money and my best brass kettle, all which said legacies I will shall be paid to them, my said grandchildren, when and so soon as they shall accomplish their several and respective ages of twenty years. **And that** if any of them shall fortune to die before that his, her or their portions shall be due by this my will then I will that the part or portions of him, her or them so dying shall be equally parted and divided unto and amongst the survivor and survivors of them share and share alike. **Item** I give and bequeath to my sister Johane Shipman ten shillings of current English money to be paid unto her within one month next after my decease. **And all** the rest and residue of my goods and chattels not herein before by me disposed I wholly give and bequeath to my said daughters Margaret and Mary whom I make and ordain to be the full and sole executrices of this my last will and testament, and overseers of this my will I do make my well beloved friends Mr Nathaniell [Ho...] the younger and Mr Richard Guidott gentlemen desiring them to be aiding and assisting to my said executrices to see this my said will performed unto each of them of which for their pains to be taken in assisting my said executrices I give and bequeath ten shillings apiece of current English money. **And I** do hereby revoke and disannul all former wills by me made. **In witness** whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written.

John Hackt

Sealed, published and declared to be  
the last will and testament of the said  
John Hacke

In the presence of Barnard Allen, Edward Dredg, John Borne Snr.

**An inventory** of the goods and chattels of John Hack late of Dummer deceased valued by those whose names are underwritten March the 25th 1676.

	£	s	d
<b>Imprimis</b> his wearing apparel	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> two brasses kettles	0	2	6
<b>Item</b> two mattocks	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> two brass skilletts	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> one iron bar	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> four sacks	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> 3 board bedsteads	0	6	0
<b>Item</b> 1 bucket	0	0	6

<b>Item</b> 1 bed and 1 chest	0	9	0
<b>Item</b> three coffers	0	7	0
<b>Item</b> 1 long kiver and 2 barrels	0	6	0
<b>Item</b> 1 spade, 2 tables, 1 frame and 1 form	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> 1 tub and 2 cupboards	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> 1 iron pot	0	2	6
<b>Item</b> 3 chairs, 1 box table	0	4	0
<b>Item</b> 1 silting trow	0	3	6
<b>Item</b> 1 piece of wainscot	0	1	6
<b>Item</b> 2 bolsters	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> 4 pieces of pewter	0	4	0
<b>Item</b> for boards and shelves	0	2	6
<b>Item</b> 1 brass and 1 wire candlestick	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> 16 acres of corn upon the ground	8	0	0
<b>Item</b> for wood	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> due upon bonds	56	0	0
<b>Item</b> 2 cotterells	0	1	4
<b>Item</b> chattel lease for 2 lives	10	0	0
Sum total	79	12	4

John Smith     }  
James Bignall } appraisers