Will of James Condon of Sileby, 1763

In the Name of God Amen I James Condon of Sileby in the County of Leicester being weak in Body but of perfect mind and Memory thanks be given to Almighty God for the same but Calling to mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die I ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following and first of all I Bequeath my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God that gave it and I Bequeath my body to the earth to be decently Buried at the discretion of my Executor hereafter Named and as touching such worldly Goods which the Lord hath lent me in this life I Give and bequeath and dispose of as following Imp[rimi]s I Give and Bequeath unto my beloved daughter Mary Condon the Sum of fifty Pounds to be paid her by my Executer hereafter Named in one year after my decease but if my Executor refuse to pay her the Sum of fiftey pounds then in the room of it I give my aforesaid daughter Mary Condon that House and all that belongs to it being in Silbey Now in the tennery of Ann Duffin likewise I give my said daughter all the Goods in my little parler where I now dwell and half the Housould goods and one Cow which she shall Chuse and my best Chest Item I doe make and appoint my beloved son John Condon Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament and do give him my other house in Silbey and my house in Barrow and my allottment in Silbey field I likewise him all the rest of my Goods Corn Cattle and Chattels for the pay ment of all my Debts Legices and funerall Charg this is my last will and testament In Wittness whereof I have hereunto Sett my Hand and Seal this first day of march 1763

the mark of James X Condon [seal]

Signed Sealed publish and declared by the said James Condon as his last will and Tastement in the presence of us witnesses

The *X* mark of Thos Barradell *Will*^m *Hubbard* the mark of Theooffilis *X* Ferriman

The 12th day of May 1763 John Condon the Son, and the Sole Executor within named was sworn Before Us *Ri Grey*

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