

Among my three daughters That is to say Emily Norton, Mary Elizabeth and
Barbara Calverton

Probatum fuit in hoc Testamento coram magistro Willmo Drenw legum doctore
 Curie prerogative Cant. domini Johis apud London peritimo nono die mensis Januarii
 Anno domini 1501 et computatoem octavo Anglicano millesimo quingentesimo septuagesimo
 quarto Inramente willm Chalsonite executoris in hoc Testamento iuravit omni iuramento
 fuit admissarius gr de bene et pfecto administrande eadem, et de pleno iuramento 30^{to} Martii
 non gr Jurat

In the name of God amen the firste day of January 1574 And in the fourteenth
year of the reign of our sovereigne ladye Elizabeth by the grace of god quene of England
France and Irelande defende of the faith etc William Will of the Borough of
Abbingdon in the Countie of Berke Murrer beinge of good and perfect mynd & remembrance
do ordeine and make this my laste will and testament in manner and forme followinge
I wille I bequethe and commaunde my soule to almyghtie god my maker and creator, and to
his onlye sonne my saviour and redeemer by whose bitter deathe and passion I
holle truste to be saved and my bodie to be buried in the church or churchyard of
Sant Adolens in Abbingdon Item I give and bequethe to the church of Sant m
Item to the vicarage of the church of Sant Adolens afore said v^o Item to the poore in
Abbingdon Item I wille give and bequethe to Thomas Will my sonne the least of my
maltmyng house, wille one other messuage hereto adioyninge and belonginge set lyinge and
beinge in Okestrate in Abbingdon Item I wille give and bequethe to my sonne Thomas
Will all that my house in Abbingdon wherof I now dwell in wille all my lande tence
and hereditamente wille all commodities and profitts herunto belonginges or apperteyninge
wille severall theyr by or by this Realme of Englande To have and to have the said
house landes and other the same before given to my sonne Thomas and to his lawfull
heire Item I give and bequethe to John Will my daughter six score poundes of lawfull
engleish money And also I give and bequethe to Maude Will my daughter six score poundes
of lawfull money And my wille is that my said daughter shall receive their legare
wille theyr full accomplishe and come to their full age of xxij yeres And if it
happen any of my said children to departe this worlde before theyr full accomplishe their
said full age of xxij yeres or my sonne Thomas before he shall be of the age of xxij yeres
then his full portion and legare so departinge and not achieved I wille shall remayne to
my other child or children then survivinge to be equallye divided amongst them Item I
give and bequethe to Maryaret Wyer my sister tenne poundes Item I do give and forgive
my brotther in lawe Edward wille the fourre poundes wille he oweth me Item I give to
certaine one of my god children y^o a part and to any one of my willed god children y^o a part
Item I do forgive of all and singular my said gooddes realtolls and dette wille realtolls
as personall my dette and legares paid and my funeralls discharged I give and bequethe
to Thomas Will my sonne to be paid and delivered to him wille he shall accomplishe
the age of xxij yeres wille also I make my sole Executor of this my last will and
testament And for that my Executor and my other children and as yet tender of age
and not able to governe and rule them selves neither their gooddes fondene wille and desire
my loving brotther in lawe Thomas Collens Register of Berke to have y^o and take
uppon him the administration and execution of all and singular my said gooddes & chattell
to the only use and behoof of my said children according to the true meaninge & intent of
this my last will and testament untill theyr full age of xxij yeres shall come to their full age of
as is afore said And also the government of their persons and legare during their minorities
Item I give to Thomas wille of Blayward my kinsman my best roate, and also my black
worshipped dublet Item I wille to any one of my sister Nobbes children of Avington y^o a part
And I do wille and bequeathe to my wife Anne y^o a weekly any weekly from the tyme of my
decease during her naturall life Item I give and forgive John Wyer the my wille he

Audito mo Iuxtillo 1579
recessa erat 2^{do} Junio
dn. dñi Eusebio Colomo Rector
quidam thoni Solano et
ad administrand bona etc.
et eundem 2^{go} dñmo plene
administrata sunt finem
et essentiam etc. or.

Decimo Tercio

Decimo Tercio die mensis Januarij Anno Dni 1806, missi et computatores entis Anglicane militum quingen^{to} septuagesimo quarto Emanavit commissio Thome Collens p^{ri}ncipalis superiorem notat in Testamento willmi Will^{li} m^{is} de Abingdon def^{uncti} Habentis p^{ro} ad e^{um} administrandi bona, immo et redita dicti defuncti iuxta tenorem Testamenti p^{ro}ut duxerit minor etate Thome Will filij et executoris Testamenti dicti def^{uncti} de bene p^{ro} jurat Decimo septimo die mensis Augusti 1886 commissi sunt ad de bonis e^{ius} p^{ro}curat^{orem} Thoma Collens et Edm^{undus} Collens non administrat ut ex dictis liquet

Am 1. März
Starkregen

In the name of God Amen Mary Brackenbury the late wife of Richard Brackenbury made her last will the 27th of July in manner and form followinge, firste I give my soule to my lordes my god, And I give all my goodes to my husbande, and lest the government of my Daughters, And I give to the poore father Henry Fullmaje to my tres lane ffawnty Fullmaje And to poore James my neyghbour a twentieth Fullmaje And I give to my poore ryghte Lancel Fullmaje

Vicesimo

Vicesimo die mensis Januarij Anno Dni fcm mmo et complurimum Carle & Anglice millesimo quingentesimo septuagesimo quarto Emanuel Dominus Fridericus Brakenburg pater suus Amstelam in oriente generosus maritus Mariae Brakenburg Desmure Habentibus per Admistrande eor metra tenorem et offerit Emmod sui Testamenti De bene eor Jurat

Georgij
vrijf.

Vicesimo die Decembris

Vicesimo die Decembris Anno Dni 1574 To be the better prepared
for the vntertainement of death I do declare my last will as followeth, ffirst remitting
my soule vnto my saviour Iesus, I will that all my moveables shalbe at the free disposicion
of my wife Margarett Shombard resydinge since small leage, as I shall appointe to be
distributed by her will. And that she duringe her naturall life shall enioy my forme
of the Sommerset of Kilbury with the appoyntment spirituall and temporall and after
to remayne to the corporation of, walterforde to be employed to the competent feedinge of
George, Anne, and Ellene Charles meat drinke and clothe, and the rest of y^e profitte
if any shall remayne to be employed to the maintenance of theire Hospitall. Althowas
provided whosoever hathe it to mainteine a good smatte to attende the parish. And that
she duringe her naturall life shall enioy my ffarm of the ffew of walterforde and
the myll called Colebert myll, And after to the said corporation Althowas my sister
Anne Core ffomth shallinge a yere, and to be employed to the maintenance of a pri-
stole, and for the relief of poore prisoners. And that my foster brother Johⁿ Cope shall
enioy his ffarme of Crookedon in my starlet gowne hopinge one day he shall be able to re-
weare it. I bequeeth vnto my next neer kinsfull rother Hermayne D^r Johⁿ Plummet of
Donsoyger my belovet gowne, my ringe with the rose Enbre, and my ringe with the
Coddstone. Item I give to master Anthony the Sommerset some my ringe in the talas Enbre
and my signet withall. I give vnto my rother master Thomas with ffomth shallinge to make him
a signet in remembrance of his frende. And to my rother, his brother ffomth shallinge a yere &
duringe his beinge in any prison. I leave the thre thome of my ffarme of the Crooke vnto
my last brother Nicholas with George's man in as ample manner as Johⁿ Rownde hath the
same together with the reversion of Crookedon, mainteyninge a good smatte to see yod
I shall desire my wife in recompence toward god of the troubles that have passed betwene her