

WILL OF WILLIAM WOOLGAR OF BRAMBER, YEOMAN

MADE : 08 AUGUST 1830

PROBATE : 11 SEPTEMBER 1843

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William Woolgar of
Bramber, my eldest
son
Edmund English of
New Shoreham, my
son-in-law
Cavendish Place,
Brighton
Elizabeth Woolgar, my
wife

This is the last Will and Testament of me William Woolgar of the Parish of Bramber in the County of Sussex Yeoman being of sound and disposing mind memory and discretion. First I desire that all my just debts be paid, my Funeral expenses and the proving this my last Will and Testament. Also I give and devise to my eldest son William Woolgar of the Parish of Bramber in the County of Sussex and to my son in law Edmund English of the Parish of New Shoreham in the County of Sussex whom I hereby nominate constitute and appoint Executors of this my last Will and Testament my two Freehold Houses situated and being in Cavendish Place in the Parish of Brighthelmston in the County of Sussex In Trust to pay over the Rents and Profits arising therefrom and as they shall severally become due to my dear Wife Elizabeth Woolgar for and during the term of her natural life or so long as she shall continue to remain my Widow. I further direct my before named Executors to place out all monies that I may die possessed of upon Government or other real Securities and to receive and pay over the Interest arising therefrom in like manner to my said Wife Elizabeth Woolgar during the term of her natural life or so long as she shall continue to remain my Widow. I give and bequeath to the use of my said Wife all my Household Furniture, Plate and Linen so long as she may live or continue to remain my Widow But should my said Wife Elizabeth Woolgar marry again then and in such case all her Interest in any part or the whole of my property under this my last Will shall cease and determine. And immediately after the decease or second marriage of my said Wife Elizabeth Woolgar (which shall first happen) I direct my before mentioned Executors to sell my two freehold houses in Cavendish Place before named by public or private sale as they may deem most eligible in like manner sell my Household Furniture, Plate and Linen call in all money that may be placed out at Interest whether on Government or other Security or Securities as well as all monies that may be due and owing to my Estate and divide the same equally amongst my sons William Woolgar (one of the Executors of this my Will) Thomas Woolgar Richard Woolgar and Samuel Woolgar And my Daughters Elizabeth English wife of Edmund English (the other Executor of this my Will) and Hannah Young wife of George Young share and share alike not as joint Tenants but as Tenants in Common.

Thomas, Richard &
Samuel Woolgar my
sons
Elizabeth wife of
Edmund English and
Hannah wife of

George Young my
daurs

My grandchildren Ellis,
Sarah, Eliza &
Elizabeth children of
my son Stephen
Woolgar, dec'd

Nevertheless I direct my said Executors to retain one seventh part of the produce arising from the sale of my two freehold Houses the sale of my Household Furniture Plate and Linen and my monies or security or securities for money for the use of my five grandchildren, Ellis Woolgar (son of my deceased son Stephen Woolgar) and Sarah Woolgar, Eliza Woolgar and Elizabeth Woolgar daughters of my deceased son Stephen Woolgar to be paid to them as they shall severally attain the respective ages of twenty one years share and share alike not as joint tenants but as Tenants in Common But should either of my said Sons William Woolgar Thomas Woolgar Richard {The Mark of X William Woolgar} Woolgar and Samuel Woolgar or either of my said Daughters Elizabeth English and Hannah Young happen to die before the decease or second marriage of my said wife Elizabeth Woolgar leaving any issue lawfully begotten then such issue is to take the Parents share and receive such sum of money as the Parent of such child or children would have been entitled to and in like manner. And should any or either of my before mentioned children die without issue lawfully begotten before the decease or second marriage of my said wife then such child or children's share shall be equally divided amongst the survivors share and share alike not as joint tenants but as tenants in common. And any before named Grand children shall be entitled to the same proportion their Father Stephen Woolgar would have been share and share alike not as joint Tenants but as Tenants in Common. And in like manner of either of my before mentioned Grandchildren should die without issue lawfully begotten before they became entitled to any share under this my Will then the survivor or survivors shall inherit such child's or children's part share and share alike not as joint tenants but as tenants in common. And I authorise and empower my said Executors and the survivor of them and the Executors and Administrators of such survivor to invest and place out at Interest in and upon any of the Public Stocks or Funds or upon any real Security or securities all such sum or sums of money as shall come into their hands under or by virtue of this my Will and from time to time after they shall have so placed out any such monies to call in and reinvest or replace the same at Interest aforesaid. And I declare that my Executors herein before named or the Heirs Executors or Administrators of any of them or any person or persons who shall become my Executors or Administrators shall not be accountable for the Acts Deeds or Defaults of each other the joining in receipts for conformity notwithstanding nor for any money which shall not come into their respective hands nor for any loss that may happen by the failure of any securities unless the same shall happen through wilful fault or neglect. And I further authorise and empower my said Executors and

each of them to retain out of my said Estate all such Costs and charges as they may pay and sustain in the performance or execution of this my Will or in anything concerning the same. And lastly I revoke all former Wills by me made. In Testimony whereof I the said William Woolgar have set my mark to the first sheet of this my last Will and Testament contained in two sheets of paper and my mark and seal to this the second and last sheet thereof the eighth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty. The mark of X William Woolgar (SS) Signed sealed published and declared by the above named William Woolgar as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our Names as Witnesses Daniel King Wm Walter Elizth Dumbrell

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PROBATE dated 11 September 1843

This Will was proved on the 11th day of Sept 1843 before The Revd Wm W Holland Clerk Surrogate by the Oaths of William Woolgar and Edmund English the Executors named therein To whom a day was given for exhibiting an Inventory.

Effects sworn under £600

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