

**The Last Will and Testament
of
Mary Crowch
of Tytherington
Will proved 10th October 1804**



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Testator:	Crowch	Mary	Widow of Tytherington
Executors:	Everett	John Gale	Heytesbury, clothier

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Given Name	Surname		
Everett	Mary	Great Niece	Spinster
Everett	Mary	Niece in Law	Widow
Everett	William	Great Nephew	
Everett	Thomas	Great Nephew	
Everett	Martha	Great Niece	
Everett	Sarah	Great Niece	
Everett	John Gale		Heytesbury, Clothier
WITNESSES			
Reddrop	Joseph		
Hearn	J		

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I **Mary Crouch** of Tytherington in the county of Wilts Widow do make ordain publish declare my last Will and Testament in manner and form following (that is to say) I do by virtue of all and every purpose[?] and purposes[?] authority and authorities in being or vested or in any [*unknown*] enabling? the [*unknown*] and in exercise[?] execution[?] thereof respectively limit direct and appoint give and devise unto my Great Niece **Mary Everett** Spinster all that my several Messuages or Dwelling houses situate lying and being in Marsh Street in the Parish of St Stephen or elsewhere in the City of Bristol with their and every of their Rights Members and Appurtenances And all my Estate Right Title and Interest of in to or out of the same Premises or any part thereof to have and to hold the same and every Part and Parcel thereof with their and every of their Rights Members and Appurtenances unto the said Great Niece **Mary Everett** her Heirs and Assigns [*]

*[*inserted in RH margin]forever to the only proper use and behoof of the said Mary **Everett** her Heirs and and [sic] Assigns for evermore*

forevermore Also I give and bequeath unto my said Great Niece **Mary Everett** all that my Messuage or Dwellinghouse with the Rights Members and Appurtenances thereunto belonging situate lying and being in the Newport[?] and Parish of Saint John the Baptist within

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the Borough of Devizes in the said County of Wilts which I hold by Lease under the Mayor and Burghers of be Borough of Devizes aforesaid for Term of fourscore and nineteen years determined[?] on Lives and all my Estate Rights Title and Interest therein and thereto To have and to hold the same and every Part and Parcel thereof with the Rights Members and Appurtenances unto the said **Mary Everett** her Executors Administrators and Assigns

for and during all my Estate Right and Interest which shall be therein to come at the Time of my Decease also I give and bequeath unto my Niece in Law **Mary Everett** Widow and my Great Nephews And Nieces **William Everett Thomas Everett Martha Everett** and **Sarah Everett** the sum of Ten Pounds each of lawful Money of Great Britain to buy each of them are a Piece of Plate Also I give and bequeath unto **John Gale Everett** of Heytesbury in the said County of Wilts Clothier the sum of three Guineas to buy him a Mourning Ring and also all the Rest Residue and Remainder of my Monies and Securities for Money Real and Personal Estate and Effects whatsoever and wheresoever and of what nature or kind soever (after payment of all my just Debts Legacies hereinbefore by me given Funeral Expenses and the Costs and Charges of Proving this my Will and executing the Trusts thereof)

I give devise and bequeath the same and every part thereof with their and every of their appurtenances unto my said Great Niece **Mary Everett** her Executors Administrators and Assigns Absolutely as her and their own for ever And I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint the said **John Gale Everett** Sole Executor in Trust of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me at any Time or Times heretofore made provided and it is my [*unknown*] and I do declare that the said **John Gale Everett** his Heirs Executors and Administrators shall not be answerable or accountable for any more of my Estate and Effects than what shall fairly and actually come to his or their Hands nor for the Defect or Insufficiency of any Security or Securities whereon[?] the said Trust

Monies or any part thereof are or shall or may be placed happening without his or their Wilful Neglect or Default nor for the Defect or Insufficiency of any Tenant or Tenants nor be liable to make good any casual or involuntary Loss happening to the said Trust Estate Monies and Premises or any part thereof and that it shall and may be lawful to and for the said **John Gale Everett** his Heirs Executors and Administrators from Time to Time by and out of the said Trust [folio 163r]

Estate Monies and Premises which shall come to he is or their Hands to deduct and retain to and reimburse himself and themselves all such costs charges and Expenses as he or they shall or may pay bear suffer sustain expend or be put unto in and about the Execution or Defence of this my Will or any matter of thing herein contained or relating thereto and shall from Time to Time by and out of the said Trust Estate Monies and Premises be well and Sufficiently saved harmless and kept indemnified of from and against the same In Witness thereof I have to this my last Will and Testament contained in two sheets of Paper affixed together to the first sheet thereof Set my hand and to the second and last set my hand and seal this Seventh Day of May in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred and ninety six

[signed] **Mary Crouch** (LS)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by the said **Mary Crouch** the Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the Presence of us who in her Presence at her request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our Names as Witnesses

[signed] **Joseph Reddrop**

[signed] **J Hearn**

This Will was Proved at London on the Tenth Day of October in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and four or before the Right Honourable Sir William Wynne Knight Doctor of Laws Master Keeper or Commissary of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury lawfully constituted by the Oath of **John Gale Everett** the Sole Executor named in the said Will to whom Administration was granted of all and Singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of the deceased having been Sworn by Commission duly to administer

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