

*The Last Will and Testament  
Of Martha Jerome Dyke  
of Winterbourne Dauntsey  
Will Proved  
15th May 1818*



Probate Court of London  
Original reference PCC Prob11/1604  
Will Dated 31st March 1815

<b>Testator:</b>	Dyke	Martha Jerome	Spinster of Winterbourne Dauntsey
<b>Executors:</b>			
Dyke	Mary	Sister	Sole Executrix
<b>Trustees:</b>			
Whitmarsh	William Dyke		Gentleman of Salisbury (New Sarum)

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
Clarke	Mary	Niece	Wife of .... Clarke of London & daughter of Sarah
Dyke	Elizabeth	Niece	Wife of Thomas Webb Dyke, Clothier of Salisbury, (New Sarum) & Daughter of Sarah Skinner
Dyke	Mary	Sister	
Dyke	Thomas Webb	Brother	Also a Trustee of the will
Skinner	Dyke	Nephew	Son of Sarah Skinner
Skinner	John	Nephew	Son of Sarah Skinner
Skinner	Mary Ann	Niece	Daughter of Sarah Skinner
Skinner	Sarah	Niece	Daughter of Sarah Skinner
<b>Witnesses</b>			
Bailey	Jane		Servant to Mrs. Dyke and made her mark
Cross	Mary		Servant to Mrs. Dyke
Gilbert	Thomas Webb		Servant to Mrs. Dyke
<b>Other Names</b>			
Clarke		Nephew in Law	Surgeon of London
Skinner	Susannah	Sister	Deceased

This is the last Will and Testament of me Martha Jerome Dyke of Winterbourne Dauntsey in the County of Wilts Spinster made and publish this thirty first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifteen in manner following (that is to say) I give and devise my freehold Cottage or Tenement Garden Hereditaments and Premises thereunto belonging situate lying and being at Winterbourne Dauntsey aforesaid unto my Brother Thomas Webb Dyke his heirs and assigns for ever I Give and bequeath to my Nephews and Nieces John Skinner Dyke Skinner Mary Ann Skinner Mary the Wife of Clarke of the City of London Surgeon Elizabeth the Wife of Thomas Webb Dyke of the City of New Sarum Clothier and Sarah Skinner the sons and daughters of my late Sister Susannah Skinner deceased the sum of twenty pounds each for a Ring I Give and bequeath my part share or interest in the Carriage belonging to me jointly with my Sister Mary Dyke and also all my Wearing Apparel of every sort Jewels and trinkets together with all my Books unto my said Sister Mary Dyke to and for her own proper use and benefit Also I give and bequeath to my said Sister the use and enjoyment of all my part share and proportion of my Household Goods furniture and implements of Household and household Linen and also all my Plate and China during her life and immediately after her decease I give and bequeath the same and every part thereof unto my said Brother Thomas Webb Dyke to and for his own proper use and benefit And as to all my stock in the public funds Monies due and owing to me on Mortgages Bonds or other Securities and whether standing in my own name or in the name or names of any other person or persons In Trust for me together with all securities for the same and all other my Personal Estate and Effects whatsoever and wheresoever (subject to the payment of all my just Debts funeral and Testamentary charges and the legacies hereinbefore given as also to any other Legacy or Legacies that I may hereafter by any Codicil or Codicils give and bequeath to any person or persons whomsoever) I give and bequeath the same and every part thereof unto William Dyke Whitmarsh of the City of New Sarum Gentleman and the said Thomas Webb Dyke Upon Trust to pay and apply the Interest dividends and annual proceeds arising therefrom unto my said Sister Mary Dyke or permit her to receive and take the same to and for her own proper use and benefit during the term of her natural life and from and immediately after her decease then Upon Trust to pay over assign and transfer the said principal monies and all securities for the same together with all interest that may be then due thereon unto my said Brother Thomas Webb Dyke to and for his own proper use and benefit And lastly I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my said Sister Mary Dyke sole Executrix of this my Will Provided always and I do hereby will and direct that it shall and may be lawful for the said William Dyke Whitmarsh and Thomas Webb Dyke reimburse themselves all such Costs and Charges as they shall be put to in the execution of the trusts thereby in them reposed out of the trusts hereinbefore given them And that neither of them shall be accountable for more thereof than shall come to their hands respectively but each of them for his own or receipt only In Witness whereof I the said Martha Jerome Dyke the Testatrix have to this my last Will and Testament contained in two sheets of Paper have set my hand and seal to wit my hand to the first sheet and my hand and seal to this second and last sheet the day and ear first above written *M J Dyke*

(Attestation Clause)

*Thos Webb Gilbert \_ Mary Cross* \_ The mark of Jane Bailey } Servants to Mrs Dyke

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