

Will of William Mead

Proved 1829



The last Will and Testament of William Mead of Wyly in the County of Wilts Shopkeeper do hereby give bequeath & devise the following Legacies & Sums of Money to the under mentioned persons that is to say I give & bequeath to my brother James Mead the sum of fifty pounds I also give & bequeath to my brother John Mead the sum of fifty pounds together with all my clothes and Wearing Apparel of every kind I do likewise give and bequeath to my Nephew William Mead Son of my brother James & Frances Mead the sum of fifty pounds I likewise give and bequeath to my Niece Susanah daughter of my brother James & Frances Mead the sum of twenty pounds I do also give & bequeath to my Nephew Thomas New Mead Son of my brother John & Jane Mead the sum of fifty pounds I do also give & bequeath to my Nephew Henry Mead Son of my brother John & Jane Mead the sum of fifty pounds I do also give & bequeath the sum of two hundred pounds the Interest of which sum my brother John Mead to receive during his life and after his death then the said sum of two hundred pounds to be divided equally between Jane Mead Wife of my brother John Mead & all my Nieces daughters of my brother John & Jane Mead should either of my two Nephews Thomas New Mead or Henry Mead Sons of my brother John & Jane Mead die before they attain the Age of twenty one Years then the said sum of fifty pounds of him so deceased be equally divided between the survivor & his Sisters daughters of my brother John & Jane Mead I do hereby nominate constitute & appoint my brother Henry Mead to be my sole Executor & trustee for carrying this my last Will into execution & after my funeral expences & all just & lawful Debts are paid then the remainder of my Property that is Money Plate house goods & chattels of every description is to be the sole Property of my brother Henry Mead my Executor & Trustee

(Affidavit of due Execution sworn by Christopher Brandis farmer and John Scammill Cordwainer both of Wyllye on 24 November 1829)

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