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Jenet Croshay of Ashenhurst, 1597

Will: 28th November 1595 ***Probate: June 1597***

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In the name of god amen the xxviijth day of November Anno Domini 1595 I Jenet Croshay of Ashenhurst in the parishe of Heptonstall and County of yorke widowe beinge somethinge sicke in my body but yet of good and perfect memorie god bee praysed do make constitute and ordeyne, this my last will and testament in manner and forme hereafter followinge First I commende my soule into the handes of almightie god my onely maker and redeemer and my body to bee buried in the parish Church of Heptonstall as neere my husbande as Possiblie may bee now as concerninge my worldly goodes I willingely give and bequeath them over in manner and forme followinge First I give and bequeath to Simon Crossley iij^{s} iiij^{d} Item to Levite Crosley iij^{s} iiij^{d} Item to Jane Sladen ij^{s} vj^{d} Item to Jennet Stansfeld my mayde xl^{s} Item to Richarde Crosley vj^{s} viij^{d} Also I do make constitute and ordayne my welbeloved friendes in Christe Thomas Stansfeld and William Crossley my trewe and lawefull executors of all my worldly goodes to execute and fulfill this my last will and testament accordinge to the true intente and meaninge hereof as they will answere before god at the dreadefull day of judgement In witnes whereof to this my last will and testament I have sett my hande and seale the Nineteenth day of November in the xxxviijth yeare of the raigne of our Soveraigne Lady Elizabeth by the grace of god Queene of Englande France and Ireland defendor of the fayth &c In the presence of Richarde Crossley Richarde Estwood and Abraham Crossley with others Et eisdem die et anno dictus decanus certificavit de probacione huiusmodi testamenti per Ricardum Crossley et Abrahamum Crossley testes in eodem testamento nominatos iuratos etc Comissaque fuit administracio bonorum eiusdem Thome Stansfeld et Willelmo Crossley executoribus in dicto testamento nominatis iuratis etc Salvo iure cuiuscumque etc

And on the same day and in the same year the said dean certified the proving of this woman's will by the witnesses Richard Crossley and Abraham Crossley, named in the same will and sworn etc. And administration of the goods of the same was granted to Thomas Stansfeld and William Crossley, executors named in the said will and sworn etc., saving the right of whomsoever etc.