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Edward Sutcliffe 1723

Will: 10th August 1723 *Bond: 5th November 1723*

Inventory: 14th October 1723 *Probate: 16th November 1723*

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Will

10th August 1723

In the name of God Amen the Tenth day of August In the year of our Lord God One Thousand seven Hundred Twenty three I Edward Sutcliffe of High Coate in Stansfield in the County of Yorke Yeoman being weakly in my Body but of sound and perfect minde and memory (Praised be Almighty God for the same) Doe make and Ordaine this my Last Will and Testament in manner and forme following First And Principally I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God my heavenly Creator and Maker having through the most meritorious death and Passion of Jesus Christ my onely Saviour and Redeemer to receive full and free pardon and forgivenesse of all my sinns and to Inheritt Everlasting Life And my Body I Committ to the Earth from whence it came to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named and as touching the disposition of such worldly Estate as Almighty God hath been pleased to bestow upon mee I Give and dispose of the same as followeth (that is to say) I hereby Give Devise and bequeath All that Cottage House or Tenement commonly called the New House scituate and being near High Coat in Stansfield aforesaid with all the Appurtenances to the same belonging now in the tenure or occupation of John Lee or his Assignes unto my sister Susan Mitchell and her Assignes for and during the Terme of her naturall life and after her decease I Give and Devise the said Cottage with the Appurtenances unto Edward Sutcliffe and John Sutcliffe Sons of my brother John Sutcliffe deceased and to William Holland and Nicholas Holland sons of my sister Isabell deceased equally to be divided amongst them and their Heires and Assignes for ever Item I hereby Give and Devise all that Messuage or Tenement with th'appurtenances where I now dwell called High Coat in Stansfield aforesaid and one other Cottage (besides that other Cottage above disposed off) to the same belonging and alsoe all Houses Outhouses Barnes buildings Closes Lands Meadows Feedings pastures Woods and Underwoods Wells Waters Watercourses Liberties easements and Hereditaments whatsoever to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining now in the severall tenures or occupacions of [… ...] William Holland and William Sladin --- --- --- […] or their Assignees or Assignes unto my said Nephews Edward Sutcliffe and John Sutcliffe sons of my said Brother John Sutcliffe deceased and to my said Nephews William Holland and Nicholas Holland sons of my said sister Isabell deceased equally to be divided amongst them and their severall Heires and Assignes for ever Item I hereby Give Devise and Bequeath unto my said Nephews Edward Sutcliffe John Sutcliffe William Holland and Nicholas Holland and their Heires Executors Administrators and Assignes all my Right Title Interest claime and demand of in and unto the summe of one Hundred pounds lawfull moneys charged upon the said Messuage Lands and Tenements called High Coat in Stansfield aforesaid and alsoe all my right Title Interest claim and demand of in and unto the like summe of one Hundred pounds like moneys charged upon certaine Lands and Tenements called East Lee and Bent

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head scituate and being in Stansfield by a Marriage Setlement formerly made between Edward Sutcliffe of Stansfield in the County abovesaid and deceased Isabell his wife as by the said deeds of settlments relacion being thereunto had will more plainly and att large appear And all my right and Title to the said Lands and Tenements called High Coat East Lee and Bent head for non payment of the same Item I Give and bequeath unto the abovesaid Susan Mitchell my Sister the summe of Four pounds of lawfull Moneys of Great Brittaine Item I Give and bequeath unto Isabell forrest daughter of my Sister Mary deceased the like summe of Four pounds of like moneys Item I Give and bequeath to the abovesaid Edward Sutcliffe my Nephew the summe of Twenty shillings of like moneys Item I Give and bequeath to Hannah Holland Daughter of William Holland Twenty shillings of like moneys Item I give and bequeath unto John Sutcliffe son of Job Sutcliffe deceased the summe of One shilling I alsoe Give and bequeath unto William Mitchell and Henry Mitchell and Elizabeth Redman Sons and Daughter of my said Sister Susan to every one of them One shilling all which said Legacyes I Will and desire shall be paid by my Executors hereafter named within three Months next after my decease And all the Rest residue and clear Remainder of all my Goods Chattells and Catle and personall Estate whatsoever I hereby Give and bequeath unto my abovesaid nephews Edward Sutcliffe John Sutcliffe William Holland and Nicholas Holland equally to be divided amongst them And it is my Will and Minde that if the said Edward Sutcliffe John Sutcliffe William Holland or Nicholas Holland or any of them shall happen to dye before their respective Legacy or Lagacys hereby above Given to them shall fall to them that it shall be divided amongst as many of the Children of him or them soe dyeing as shall be then living And I doe hereby nominate Constitute and appoint my said Nephews Edward Sutcliffe John Sutcliffe William Holland and Nicholas Holland Joynt Executors of this my Last Will and Testament hereby revokeing and making void all former Wills and Testaments by mee heretofore made In Witnesse whereof I the said Testator Edward Sutcliffe have hereunto sett my hand and seal the day and year first above written

Sealled signed published and declared by the Testator to be
His Last Will and Testament in the presence of us and
Subscribed by us as Witnesses hereunto in the presence
And at the request of the said Testator

Edward Sutcliffe

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Richard Gibson
John Eastwood
John Smith Jurat

Inventory

14th October 1723

An Inventory of all the Goods and Chattels Cattells and Creditts of E[dw] Edward Sutcliffe late of High Coat in Eastwood in Stansfeild in the County of Yorke Yeoman deceased praised

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October the fourteenth Day Anno Domini 1723 by James Gibson Luke Crosley Jonathan Lee and John Smith.

Imprimis his Apparell and money in his Purse	5	00	00
Item one Standing Cupboard one Chest one Glass Case	4	00	00
Item 5 Joyned Chairs One Glass Case and Great Bible	1	11	00
Item two Buffetts one Long Settle one Clock and Case	3	19	00
Item two little Cupboards Eight Chairs and Desk and breadfleake	0	18	00
Item two Bread Irons and frying pan brass and tin	0	11	00
Item one Gun 2 fire Irons and Implements thereunto belonging	0	11	00
Item Spitts and Rack Shelf board Chafeing Dish and Stools	0	06	6
Item one Bakestone and bakeing tools Mustard balls Lantron and Sand	0	06	00
Item one table Cupboard Form Buffett and Wood Mortar	1	11	8
Item two desks one Safe Chest of Drawers two beds and beding	6	16	0
Item one Desk one bed and beding two Chests three Arks and foot Chest	8	00	00
Item 3 Sacks two Chairs two Seeing Glasses 2 do's .[1] Cratches and tub	0	13	4
Item two beds one Chair and tub 2 Chests and Long boards two pair of loags[2]	2	8	00
Item one pinion one pair of boots hackney Sadle bridle and head stall	00	05	06
Item one harrow and boards one buffett one Long board i Gavelock	1	00	00
Item one pair of Traces [..] Three Picks and one Hamer Cleaver Sickles and Joyner Tooles	00	13	00
Item Earthen vessells i Jack i pair of Looms and Implements to the same.	00	10	08
Item wooden vessells i Dresser i Trunk 2 Chests Flearkett	1	03	06
Item wooden vessells i [….] Two Slighs workboard Sled Wheelbarrow	00	17	02
Item one Tin Soles Thamolds and other wood	4	11	00
Item Hay	2	00	00
Item two Cowes	5	00	00
Item pewter and pans potts plates and bottles	3	10	00
Item all odd hustlements	0	08	00
Inward debts owing to the Testator of Abraham Earnshaw by bond	31	10	00

[1] Possibly dozen; there is an unknown mark after what appears to be "do's"
[2] The word looks as if it begins with "l" but there is a curved line written over the top of it

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Owing of Robert Sutcliffe by bond	10	00	00
Owing by William Sutcliffe by bond	10	00	00
Owing of John Crosley	01	00	00
Total summe is	102	13	00

Bond

5th November 1823

Edward Sutcliffe clothier of Stansfield, John Sutcliffe Brewer[3] of Warley, William Holland farmer[4] of Warley, Nicholas Holland Schoolmaster[5] of Stansfield, and John Smith clothier[6] of Stansfield in the sum of £220 in the presence of Jn° Simpson and Nathan Sharpe. All signed their names except Edward Sutcliffe and William Holland who made their mark.

Intrat 16 Novembris

Probate

16th November

Intrat

Hallifax

Testamentum Edwardi Sutcliffe nuper de High Coat in Stansfield parochiæ de Halyfax defuncti Execucio Concessa fuit Edwardo Sutcliffe Johanni Sutcliffe Gulielmo Holland et Nicholao Holland Coexecutoribus in eodem

Per Sharpe 16 Novembris 1723 ultra 40 l^i^

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[3] Zythepolam in the original Latin. Zythepsary is an old English word meaning brewery.
[4] Agricolam
[5] Ludimagistrum
[6] Pannificum