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In the Name of God Amen

Henry Alchin

I Henry Alchin of Plaatoft in the Parishes of St. Andrew & St. Dunstons in the County of Kent & Dover considering the uncertainty of this mortal life and being of sound mind memory and understanding do make publish and declare this to be my last will and Testament in manner and form following (that is to say first and principally) I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body I commit to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor herein after named And as touching my personal Estate I give a devise and bequeath the same in manner following as follows I give unto my Daughter Anna Alchin the Sum of eighty pounds I do also give and bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Alchin the Sum of eighty pounds which said Money is in the Stocks and one hundred of it was a Legacy given my son Eschery Alchin by his Aunt which said Money if it is not agreeable to my son Eschery Alchin that my Daughter Anna and Elizabeth Alchin should have it then he shall take that hundred pounds given him by his Aunt and my Daughters Anna Alchin and Elizabeth Alchin shall have the other sixty pounds which is in the Stocks and all the Rent and Residue of my personal Estate which will be as hereafter mentioned and given to my son Eschery Alchin which shall be equally divided betwixt my Daughter Anna and Elizabeth Alchin and it is my will that my Daughter Anna and Elizabeth Alchin shall have their Legacy in their own possession as soon as my son Eschery Alchin shall come to the Age of twenty one years and not before Item all the Rent and Residue of my ready Money Book Debts Securities for Money and personal Estate whatsoever and of what kind or quality soever and whatsoever situate lying standing or being I give and bequeath to my son Eschery Alchin his Executors Administrators and assigns for ever And lastly I do constitute and appoint my said Eschery Alchin sole Executor of this my will and I do hereby revoke and make void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made and I do declare this to be my last will and Testament In witness whereof I have to this my will contained in one sheet of paper set my hand and seal the twenty ninth day of May and in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy five Henry Alchin. Signed sealed published and declared by the said Eschery Alchin as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence and at his request and in the presence of a Parson have subscribed our names as witnesses and witness Thomas Packham - Robt. Hubble

This Will was proved at London the fourth day of November in the year of our Lord One a thousand seven hundred and seventy seven before the most worshipful Andrew Colter Jurat Doctor of Laws Surrogate of the Right Worshipful Sir George Esay Knight Doctor of Laws Master of Requests or Commissary of the prerogative Court of Canterbury lawfully constituted by the oath of Henry Albin the son of the deceased and sole Executor named in the said Will to whom admou was granted of all and singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of the said deceased having been first sworn a duly to Administrator. /-

John
Pace
Atkins

I John Pace Atkins of London doall in the City of London Currier and Leather Seller being of sound mind memory and understanding do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say I give and bequeath unto my Cousin James Victor the Sum of twenty pounds I give and bequeath unto my Aunt Susannah Gawler the Sum of twenty pounds I give and bequeath unto my Uncle John Pace the Sum of ten pounds I give and bequeath unto my Uncle Williams Pace the Sum of five pounds I give and bequeath unto my Uncle William Atkins the Elder of Great a Daywood in the County of Stafford the Sum of a twenty pounds I give and bequeath unto my Uncle Robert Atkins the Elder of Wolverhampton in the said County the Sum of ten pounds I give and bequeath unto my Aunt Susannah Atkins of the Parish of Saint Luke Old Street in the County of Middlesex the Sum of ten pounds I give and bequeath unto my Cousin a Jonathan Astor of Bartholomew Lane in the City of London the Sum of five pounds and five Shillings I give and bequeath unto my Cousin Thomas Atkins of a Sperton in the Parish of Saint Leonard Shoreditch in the County of Middlesex the Sum of five pounds and five Shillings I give and bequeath unto Mary Blaymaster of the same place the Sum of ten pounds I give and bequeath unto my Wife Brother William Smith the Sum of five pounds and five Shillings I give and bequeath unto my Wife Brother Edward Smith the Sum of five pounds and five Shillings I give and bequeath unto my Brother John Smith the Sum of five pounds and five Shillings I give and bequeath unto my Wife Brother George Smith the Sum of five pounds and five Shillings I give and bequeath unto my Partner Robert Wyatt the Sum of twenty one pounds for Draining I give and bequeath unto my Barber Joseph Brooke of London