

*The Last Will and Testament of
Matthew Coles
of Bradford on Avon
Will proved 3rd February 1846*



Probate Court of London

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Testator:	Coles	Matthew	Of Bradford
Executors:			
Bellamy	Elizabeth	Sole Executrix	Daughter of Deceased

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
	Sarah	Fiancée	Surname name not recorded
Bellamy	Elizabeth	Daughter	Wife of George Bellamy
Bellamy	George	Grandson	Son of Elizabeth Bellamy (nee Coles)
Bellamy	John	Grandson	Son of Elizabeth Bellamy (nee Coles)
WITNESSES			
Martin	George	Gent of Bradford on Avon	Witness to both will and codicil
Martin	J.	Of Bradford on Avon	Witness to will
Pinchin	George		Witness to Codicil
OTHER NAMES			
Bellamy	George	Son in law	

This is the last Will and Testament of me Matthew Coles of Bradford in the County of Wilts whereby I revoke all other Wills and testamentary dispositions by me at any time heretofore made and declare this to be my only last will I direct that all my just debts and funeral and testamentary expences shall be paid by my Executrix hereinafter named as soon as conveniently can be after my decease out of my residuary estate and effects I give and bequeath to my Grandson John Bellamy son of my daughter Elizabeth Bellamy the Engine turned double cased Silver Watch now in my possession and I also give and bequeath unto the said John Bellamy the sum of twenty pounds I give and bequeath to my Grandson George Bellamy son of the said Elizabeth Bellamy the single cased Silver Watch now in my possession and I also give and bequeath unto the said George Bellamy the sum of Twenty Pounds and I hereby direct that if either of my said Grandsons should be under the age of twenty one years at the time of my decease that my said Executrix shall place the

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sum of money given to him out at interest on some good security in the name of such child and on his attaining the age of twenty one years such child shall be entitled to the Principal sum and accumulations thereon and in case my said Grandsons or either of them should die under the age of twenty one years or during my life time then the portions of such children or child so dying shall form a part of my residuary estate and effects I give and bequeath unto my intended wife Sarah the sum of Ten Pounds and I hereby direct that the aforesaid legacies shall be paid or placed out as the case may require within six Calendar months after my decease by my Executrix I give and bequeath all the Rest Residue and Remainder of the property I shall be possessed of or entitled unto at the time of my decease of every kind and description unto my daughter Elizabeth Bellamy Wife of George Bellamy of Trowbridge To hold to her my said daughter according to the tenure thereof her heirs executors administrators and assigns To the only proper use and behoof of my said daughter her heirs executors administrators and assigns for her sole and separate use and without being subject to the debts control and engagements of her present or any future husband And I hereby appoint the said Elizabeth Bellamy sole Executrix of this my Will In Witness whereof I the said Testator have to this my last Will and Testament set my hand and Seal the Eighth day of July one thousand eight hundred and forty one _ *Matthew Coles*

(Attestation Clause)

Geo: Martin of Bradford Wilts Gent _ *J Martin* of the same place

I the said Matthew Coles having since the date and execution of the said Will comprised on the other side been married do hereby revive the said Will and testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my hand this thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty three *Matthew Cole*

(Attestation Clause)

Geo: Martin _ *George Pinchin*

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