

*The Last Will and Testament of
Edward Frowd Seagram
of Bratton
Will proved 3rd March 1846*



Probate Court of London
Original reference

Testator:	Seagram	Edward Frowd	Bratton
Executors:			
Seagram	Thomas		
Seagram	William Ballard		

Beneficiaries		Relationship to testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
Millard	Sarah	Servant	
Seagram	Elizabeth	Wife	
Seagram	Julia	Daughter	
Seagram	Karan Happuch	Daughter	
Seagram	Thomas	Son	
Seagram	William Ballard	Son	
Witnesses			
Barry	H.		Witness to First Codicil
Bath	J. O.		Witness to Will
Chamberlayne	H.		Witness to First Codicil
Clark	A		Witness to Will
Penniger	Henry		Witness to Second Codicil
Seagram	Thomas		Witness to Second Codicil
Withers	John M		Witness to Will
Other Names			
Audale?	B...?	Tennant	
Bath	Marquis of Bath		
Blatch	Henry		
Blatch	Philip		
King	M.	Solicitor	Of Bath
Packer	James	Probate Court Officer	Of London
Rogers	(Mr.)		

This is the last Will and Testament of me Edward Frowd Seagram of Bratton in the Parish of Westbury in the County of Wilts M.D.

First I..... that all my first debts funeral and testamentary expenses shall be paid by my dear Wife Elizabeth by and out of my personal estate hereinafter by this my Will given and bequeathed to her I give and bequeath to my said dear Wife Elizabeth to and for her own absolute use and benefit all my household furniture farming stock monies and titles for money mortgages and estates in mortgage to me and all other my personal estate and effects of what nature or save and except leasehold estates I give devise and bequeath to my Daughter Julia Seagram her heirs and assigns for ever to and for her and their own use and benefit all that my freehold estates and lands situate lying and being in the Parish of Kingston Deverill in the County of Wilts and now in the ... [Boyers - ?] my tenant I giveand bequeath unto my said dear Wife Elizabeth for and during the term of her natural life to and for her own use and benefit all the residue and remainder of my freehold estates and also all my leasehold and copyhold estates and all wheresoever situate whether in the several Parishes of Kingston Deverill Bratton Westbury Leigh Westbury and West Ashton in the County of Wilts or elsewhere in Great Britain And from and after the decease of my said dear Wife Elizabeth then I give devise and bequeath unto my son Thomas Seagram his heirs and assigns for ever to and for his and their own use and benefit absolutely all that portion [.....] and so much of my property in Parish of Westbury aforesaid which I bought and purchased of and from Philip and Henry Blatch And also from and after the death of my said dear Wife Elizabeth I give devise and bequeath unto my said son Thomas Seagram his heirs and assigns for ever all those my two estates and lands called Ballard's and both situate being and lying in the Parish of Westbury aforesaid and held by me under lease from the Most Noble the Marquis of Bath And from and after the decease of my said dear Wife I give devise and bequeath unto my two daughters Karan Happuch Seagram and Julia Seagram and my son Thomas Seagram their heirs and assigns forever as tenants in common and not as joint tenants all that my freehold estate and lands situate lying and being in the Parish of West Ashton aforesaid and called [..... Down] now in the occupation of my tenant [B... Audale ?] all the remaining portion of my estate and lands held by me as aforesaid by lease under the said Most Noble Marquis of Bath And also from and after the decease of my said dear Wife I give devise and bequeath unto my son William Ballard Seagram his heirs and assigns for ever to and for his and their own use and benefit the house wherein I now reside with the gardens plantations and land held therewith situate at Bratton aforesaid in the Parish of Westbury aforesaid And also all such my property estate and lands situate lying and being in the Parish of Westbury aforesaid as was and is included in the settlements made on my marriage with my first Wife now deceased And also from and after the death of my said dear Wife I give devise and bequeath unto my said daughter Julia Seagram her heirs and assigns for ever to and for her and their own use and benefit absolutely all that my freehold estate and lands known as Browns situate in Bratton in the Parish of Westbury aforesaid and now in my own occupation and my other tenants And also from and after the death of my said dear Wife I give devise and bequeath all such and so much of my freehold copyhold and leasehold property not herein before by me devises and bequeathed unto my three children namely Julia Seagram Karan Happuch Seagram and Thomas Seagram their heirs executors administrators and assigns absolutely equally to be divided between them as tenants in common and not as joint tenants And I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my said dear Wife Elizabeth the sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament And I do hereby waste and make void all former and other Wills by me at any time heretofore made and do declare this to be my last Will and Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifth day of February in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One

[Signed – E.F. Seagram]

Signed and sealed by the said Edward Frowd Seagram the Testator as and for this last Will and Testament in the presence of us present at the same time who in his presence and at his request do attest the same as witnesses the words of Mr. Rogers my having been first in the first side [Signed A Clark. J O Bath. John M Withers . his Clerk] each signed their own names.

This Is A Codicil to the last Will and Testament of me Edward Frowd Seagram of Bratton in the County of Wilts bearing date the fifth day of February 1841 whereas by my said Will I appoint my dear Wife Elizabeth sole Executrix thereof but she is since deceased now I hereby appoint my sons William Ballard Seagram and Thomas Seagram Executors of my said Will with the same powers and authorities as therein given to my said dear Wife And I give and bequeath to my servant Sarah Millard the sum of four hundred pounds free of legacy duty as a testimony of her good conduct and faithful service whether residing with me or not at the time of my decease In all other respects I

..... my said Will in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this third day of June 1844 [Signed E.F.

Seagram] Signed by the said Edward Frowd Seagram as and for a Codicil to his last Will and Testament in the presence of us present at the same time who at his request in his presence and the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses [H. Chamberlayne H Barry– Clerks to M. King Sols. Bath] – Each signed their names

This Is A Second Codicil to the last Will and Testament of me Edward Frowd Seagram of Bratton in the County of Wilts bearing the date the 5 day of February 1841 whereas in and by a codicil to my said Will dated the third day of June 1844 I

have given and bequeathed unto my servant Sarah Millard the sum of four hundred pounds to be paid as therein mentioneddo hereby revoke and make void the said bequest to the said Sarah Millard and I do hereby give and bequeath unto her the said Sarah Millard the sum of two hundred pounds only in lieu thereof In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13 day of September 1845 [*Signed E.F. Seagram*] Signed sealed and delivered by the said Edward Frowd Seagram to and for a codicil to the last Will and Testament of his Edward Frowd Seagram in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses [*Thomas Seagram*
Henr. Penniger] both signed their names

Proved at London with two Codicil's 3rd March 1846 before the Right Worshipful James Packer Doctor of Laws and Surrogate by the Oaths of William Ballard Seagram and Thomas Seagram Ext. the Executors named in the first Codicil to whomwas granted havingfirst sworn only to administer