

*The Last Will and Testament  
Of Elizabeth Togwell  
of Steeple Ashton  
Will Proved  
13th March 1822*



Probate Court of Sarum (Salisbury)  
Original reference P2/1822/12  
Will Dated – 22nd February 1810  
Codicil Dated -  
Buried at – Steeple Ashton on 23rd October 1822 (Ref: Burials 1813-1900 Entry No. 212)

<b>Testator:</b>	Togwell	Elizabeth	Spinster
<b>Executors:</b>			
Togwell	William	Steeple Ashton	Sole (died 1820)
Togwell	George	Yeoman, Steeple Ashton	Actual Executor
<b>Overseers:</b>			
<b>Trustees:</b>			

Beneficiaries		Relationship to Testator	Other Information
Surname	Given Names		
Togwell	Emma	Cousin	Daughter of nephew John Togwell
Togwell	Emma	Niece	Daughter of brother William Togwell
Togwell	George	Nephew	Son of brother William Togwell
Togwell	Jane	Niece	Daughter of brother William Togwell
Togwell	Mary	Niece	Daughter of brother William Togwell
Togwell	William	Brother	William died in 1820 before Elizabeth
<b>Witnesses</b>			
Blatchley	John		
Shepherd	Matthew		
Sims	Daniel		
<b>Other Names</b>			
Adams	John	Tenant	Occupying property owned by Elizabeth Togwell
Harvey	John	Gentleman	Deceased former owner of above property. From Bridgwater, Somerset
Togwell	John	Nephew	Unsure of exact connection to Elizabeth

This is the last Will and Testament of me Elizabeth Togwell of Steeple Ashton in the County of Wilts Spinster. Whereas I am entitled for the term of Ten thousand years or for some other Estate and Interest in and to one yearly sum of Two Pounds payable out of certain Closes Lands and Premises and situate lying and being in the Parish of Steeple Ashton aforesaid and now in the occupation of John Adams or his undertenant or undertenants late the Estate of John Harvey of Bridgwater in the County of Somerset Gentleman deceased Now I hereby give devise bequeath and dispose of the said yearly sum of Two Pounds in manner following (that is to say) Unto my Brother William Togwell of Steeple Ashton aforesaid Yeoman and his assigns for and during the term of his natural Life And from and immediately after his Decease I give devise and bequeath and dispose of the said Yearly Sum of Two Pounds unto my Nephew George Togwell (Son of my said brother William Togwell) to hold to him his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns for all my Estate and Interest therein and thereto Together with such powers of Distress and Entry as may appertain and belong thereto for the Recovery of the said Yearly Sum of Two Pounds in case the same shall at any time or times be in arrear and unpaid I give unto my said Brother William Togwell all my Silver Plate Also I give to my niece Jane Togwell Daughter of my said Brother William Togwell two Gold Rings Also I give to my niece Emma Togwell another Daughter of my said Brother William Togwell two Gold Rings Also I give unto my Niece Mary Togwell another Daughter of my said Brother William Togwell two Gold Rings, a Chest of Drawers, the whole of my Beds and Bedding And all my wearing apparel (Except one Gown) Also I give unto my Cousin Emma (Togwell

The Mark of X Elizabeth Togwell

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Togwell (Daughter of my Nephew John Togwell) such one of my Gowns as she shall make choice of To be delivered unto them my said Brother, Nieces and Cousin respectively immediately after my Death All the Rest Residue and Remainder of my Goods Chattels Monies and Securities for Money and all other my personal Estate and Effects whatsoever and wheresoever I give and bequeath unto my said Brother William Togwell to and for his own use and benefit and I appoint him the said William Togwell sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made In Testimony whereof I the said Elizabeth Togwell have to this my last Will and Testament contained in or written on two Sheets of Paper to the first Sheet thereof set my Hand and to this second and last sheet my Name and Seal the Twenty Second day of February in the Year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Ten

The Mark X of Elizabeth Togwell SEAL

Signed Sealed Published and Declared by the said Elizabeth Togwell the Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our Names as Witnesses

*Matthew Shepherd*  
*Daniel Sims*  
*John Blatchley*

Effects sworn under £200

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**OPC Notes:**

Connections to other wills: Granddaughter of Emme Togwell (will of 1726) and John Togwell (will of 1704), niece of John Togwell (will of 1724) and Mary Ballard (nee Togwell, will of 1761), and sister of Emm Lancaster (nee Togwell, will of 1797) and William Togwell (will of 1820)

Elizabeth's brother William, the named sole executor, died in 1820 before Elizabeth. William's son George Togwell was granted Letters of Administration for Elizabeth's estate "... unto George Togwell the lawful Nephew of the deceased and one of the Legatees in her said will named. William Togwell the sole Executor therein named having died in the lifetime of the deceased."

According to the Bank of England Inflation Calculator:  
Value of effects: £200 in 1822 = £21,229 in 2024  
Rental income: £2 in 1822 = £212 in 2024