The Will of Wm. Harraway the Elder 1767



This will was proved at Sarum Jany 27th 1767 before the Revd Richd Keble (?) Bachlor in Divty lawful Surrogate of the Revd worshipful Willm Whitcombe (?) of Acts Archdeacon of the Archdnry of Sarum And by him Action of the goods xx of the Testator was granted to William Harraway Sole Executor named therein being first Sworn to the truth of the sd will to perform the Same & to exhibit an invtry & Acc when thereto lawfully required

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In the Name of God Amen I William Harraway the Elder of Lyedway in the parish of Urchfont in the County of Wilts Virtualler being infirm in Body but of Sound mind memory and understanding (blessed be God) and calling to mind the certainty of Death and the uncertainty of the time of its call do hereby revoke and make void all and every Will and Wills Testament and Testaments by me at anytime heretofore made and do make and declare this only to be and contain my last Will and Testament in manner following (that is to say) First I Give Devise and Bequeath unto my loving Wife Mary the Sole use and usage of All that my Messuage or Tenement wherein I now Dwell with the Malthouse Outhouses Edifices Buildings Garden Orchard Ground and premises thereunto belonging (Except Twelve Lugg of Ground part thereof already otherwise Disposed of unto my Son James) And all other my personal Estate whatsoever and wheresoever to Hold to her my said loving Wife and her assigns for and during the term of her natural Life and no longer and from and imediately after her decease I Give Devise and bequeath my said Messuage or Tenement Malthouse outhouses Edifes or Buildings Orchard Garden Ground and premises aforesaid (except as aforesaid) unto my Eldest Son William to Hold to him his Executors Administrators and Assigns for and during all the residue and remainder of the term and estate which shall be therein then to come and unexpired by Virtue of a Lease to me thereof granted Subject nevertheless to the payment of All incumbrances charged and to be charged thereon Also I give and bequeath unto my Son Stephen the Sum of Ten pounds of lawfull money of Great Britain to be paid to him immediately after the decease of my said Wife Also I give and bequeath unto my Son Robert the Sum of Twenty One pounds of like money to be paid to him (as aforesaid) Also I give and bequeath unto my Son John and unto my Daughter Betty one Shilling a piece they having been already by me sufficiently provided for Also I give and bequeath unto my said three Children Stephen Robert and Betty (or to such of them as shall live sole and unmarried whilst they remain (so and no longer) the free use and usage of a dwelling place in and about my said Messuage or Tenement for their necessary purposes only) All the rest residue and remainder of my Goods Chattels and personal Estate whatsoever and wheresoever I give devise and bequeath unto my said son William his Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever (my Debts Legacies and ffuneral Expenses being first paid outthereof) And I do hereby charge and Subject all my personal Estate whatsoever with the payment therof accordingly) And I do hereby make nominate constitute and appoint my said Son William Sole Executor of this my last Will and testament In Witness whereof I the said William Harraway the Elder (the Testator) have to this my last Will and Testament Set my hand and Seal the fourth vii vii Day of September in the Sixth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third by the grace of God of Great Britain ffrance and Ireland King Defender of the ffaith and so forth and in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Sixty Six

The Mark of William W Harraway (Seal)
The Elder

Signed Sealed published and declared by the said Testator William Harraway (the Elder) as and for his last Will and testament in the presence of us who immediately afterwards in presence of the said Testator and of each other Subscribed our names as Witnesses hereto The mark of

William X Want Jno Hope

At Sarum Jany 27th 1767 by the Extr was duly Sworn before us

Richd Keble Svr