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one of the Executors named in the said will to whom Administration was granted of all and singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of the said deceased he having been first sworn duly to administer. Power reserved of making the like Grant to William Russ the Son of the said deceased and Mary Ann Russ Spuisher the daughter of the said deceased and the other Executors named in the said will when they or either of them shall apply for the same.

John
Russell

The Last Will and Testament
of John Russell of Wrotham, Sheriff in the parish of St. Mary le Bow in the County of Middlesex portrait painter, On the draw of the Father of the Son and of the Holy Ghost Amen, I John Russell considering the word that is gone forth out of the Lord's mouth that shortly I must return unto the dust from whence I came and being unacquainted with the time the Lord has fix'd for my dissolution to prevent confusion at my death I do make my will first of all I resign to the God that made me my Soul and Body that this I was once a Subject of Satan born in Sin and an Son of wrath yet being redeemed by the blood of Jesus Christ and converted to God by the power of the Holy Ghost I am now translated the Viceroy of Satan and brought under the mild yoke and delightful service of the dear loving Saviour of Sinners and live in the enjoyment of Gods Spirit saying Abba Father surely it is my will and fervent desire that all my lawful debts be discharged as soon after my decease as convenient shalbe that all my worldly Estate Goods and Chattels that shall remain after the discharge of my debts becometh the property of my dear and loving wife Hannah Russell which I wholly leave to her own will and disposal only desiring her to present a token of my great love to my dear Brothers and Sisters each of them a Ring this I declare to be my last will and Testament witness my hand John

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Russell Signed Surv. Acc. 6. 1740.
Revised August 24th 1801 John Russell.

It is my will should it please God to travel into
 Yorkshir on Tuesday next I have been looking
 for my will written many years ago before I had
 any children I did not find the paper alluded
 to and as it is proper for me to make some
 addition to what has written I take a fresh
 paper to instruct my dear relations should it
 please my God to take me to himself in absence
 from my dear beloved wife and family in
 addition I will leave all that I have of this
 worlds good to the disposal of my dear wife
 during her life for the use of herself and children
 so long as it may please God to spare her
 life meaning that the whole without any
 restriction may be put into her prudent hands
 to do the best with it for the good of herself
 and family what shall remain or may be
 left me I mean should be considered the same
 when it may please our gracious God to take
 her hence my will is that what remains of
 my property ^{notwithstanding that from what has been or may be in settling any of them} ~~shall~~ be divided
 among my children equally who are my dear
 to me and who equally share in my good
 wishes as well as prayers I mean married as
 well as single I mean ^{and I am now at} Samuel Russel
 Samuel Russel gone to India and Russel
 Maria Russel William Russel and Thomas
 Russel now at Leeds if God shall spare
 my life I intend to write this more shortly in
 case it shall please to call to the spiritual
 house before my beloved wife I pray this
 business may be executed in dividing my effects
 by Mr. Samuel Samuel Russel my mother
 at Childford Mr. William Gordon Mrs. Russels
 mother now at Charnig Cross Mr. Robert Gurnock
 of Stanham Surrey who is married to my
 daughter I mean and to my son William
 Russel who I now constitute by this writing
 my Executors and assigns or I am now in
 sound health of body and mind and mean to
 give my servants to sign this paper as my
 true act and deed without the knowledge of
 my family that I mean not give any painful
 sensations to my beloved and faithful wife
 witness my hand John Russell Newmarket
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August 22. 1801 - I have no time to revert. //
Wife of John Russell signed in the presence of John Davis
Sarah Willis - 22 May 1806
Elizabeth Perkins the 3rd
Aug 27 1801

Appeared Personally William Faden
of Charing Cross in the County of Middlesex = = =
Geographer and John Sawyer of Great Ouse = = =
Shire Hertford now in the same County Crutcheon
and made oath that they know and were well
acquainted with John Russell late of Newmarket = = =
Shire in the Parish of Saint Mary le Bow in = = =
the County of Middlesex Esquire Servant for = = =
several years before and to the time of his death
and have several times seen him write and = = =
write and subscribe his name whereby they have
acquired a knowledge of his manner and character
of his handwriting and subscription and having now
viewed the paper writings hereto annexed = = =
purporting to be the last will and Testament = = =
with a codicil hereto annexed of the said deceased
the said will beginning thus "the last will and
Testament of John Russell of Mortimer Street = = =
residing thus witness my hand signed the
6. 1778 and thus subscribed "John Russell" and = = =
having also the following Memorandum written
under the said will "Devised August 24. 1801 = = =
John Russell and these Deponents having also = = =
viewed and perused the following Interiminations
in the said codicil to the said deceased's will = = =
to wit the words "beginning therewith what has
been or may be printed in the settling any of = = =
them" between the eighth and ninth lines of = = =
the second page of the said codicil the words = = =
and I am now at Harleian. In County" between
the twelfth and thirteenth lines of the said = = =
second page of the said second codicil and the
words to the third between the eighth and
ninth lines of the said page. These Deponents
say that they well and in their consciences = = =
believe the whole sense and contents of the said
will and the name John Russell severally = = =
subscribed thereto as also the several Interiminations
before specified in the said codicil to have = = =
been written and subscribed by and with the = = =
proper hand of the said John Russell Servant = = =
to wit John Sawyer of same Day the said
William Faden and John Sawyer were July = = =

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sworn to the truth of this affidavit before us = on the 21st day of Jan^y 1771
D. D. Barnaby Surrogate present Jos^{ts} Glavin Not. pub^l =
Annexed of the Goods (Chattel and Credits of John Russell late of New man Street in the parish of Saint Mary le Bone in the County of Middlesex Deceased Deceased b. Hannah Russell Widow b. c. whilst living the Relict Executrix according to the Favor of the said Will and the Universal Legatee for life was granted to the said William Russell Clerk one of the ordinary and lawful Heir in and as such one of the Residuary Legatee substituted in the said Duty to adm^r The said Executrix being Intestate.

THIS WILL was proved at Dowton =
with a Codicil the twenty fourth day of May in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and six before the worshipful Samuel Parr =
parson Doctor of Laws and Surrogate of the Right
Honorable Sir William Wyndham Knight also =
Doctor of Laws Master Keeper or Commissary of
the prerogative Court of Canterbury lawfully =
constituted by the Oath of Barnabe Russell =
widow the Relict of the said Deceased and the
Executrix according to the Will to whom =
Administration was granted of all and singular
the Goods Chattels and Credits of the said Deceased
the having been first sworn duly to administer =
the said Deceased's Will

In the Name of God Amen **William Roberson**
I William Roberson of the parish of East
Overwile in the County of Kent Brittain being

thro' the abundant mercy and Goodness of God
this weak in body yet of a sound and perfect
understanding and memory do constitute this my
last Will and Testament and desire it may be
revived by all as well as most humbly beseech
my Soul to that Almighty God that gave it
hoping thro' the merits and Satisfaction of
Jesus Christ my Sins and offences may be forgiven
to the Earth I beseech my Body from
where it was taken in full assurance of
its Resurrection from thence at the last Day
as for my Burial desire it may be buried
without pomp at the discretion of my
Executors hereafter named as to my worldly
Estates I will and positively order that all
my Debts be paid Item I give and bequeath to
my Son Joseph Alexander Wall of the aforesaid
parish of Overwile in the County of Kent
particular all my real and personal property
that is to say my Household Goods and furniture
situated in the said Parish being from Church Street
in the said parish of Overwile aforesaid in
Occupation of James Brown Draper a Barber
likewise my Leasehold Estate situated in Church

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