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like Item I give and bequeath to my loving Mother Elizabeth Fuller the sum
 of Twelve shillings of Lawfull money of England to buy her a Ring Item I give
 and bequeath unto my loving Brother John Fuller the sum of Twenty shillings
 to buy him a Ring Item I give and bequeath to my loving brother in Law Edmund
 Fuller; And to Anne his wife the each of them Twenty shillings of this Money to buy
 each of them a Ring, And further for my sale of William Marlett, my Will is that
 the profits thereof shall be Equally divided between my loving wife and my
 Sonne George Fuller Duringe the Terme of the sale yett to come, And further
 I give and bequeath unto my loving Son John Ffith of London Doctor the sum
 of Twenty shillings to buy him a Ring And of this my last Will and Testament
 I make nominate, and Ordaine, my loving wife Mary Fuller, and my loving
 brother in Law Edmund Fuller, and my loving Son John Ffith, together with
 my loving Sonne George Fuller my full and Lawfull Executors of this my last
 Will and Testament, In hope they will performe all things to Gods glory and
 better his fidelitie, and for theore paynde hereon I give and bequeath to my loving
 brother Edmund Fuller and John Ffith the sum of ffortie shillings a peere,
 And to this my last Will and Testament I have sett my hand and Seale this Twelv
 and Twentieth Day of October last In the year of our Lord God One thousand
 Six hundred and Eighty, And in the Twelveth year of the Reigne of our Sovereign
 Lord King Charles the first. / Geo. Fuller. / Sealed Signed and Delivered
 this my last Will and Testament Revocable all other In the presence
 of us Edward Bolnost, Henry French, Robert Bathurst Thomas Fortme
 William Goodridge, John Dextine. /

Probatum fuit Testamentum Supra Descriptum apud Londoniam coram
 Honorabili et Egregio Viri Eustachio Manlye Legum Doctore Curie Cantuarie et
 Antuarionis Magistro Custode suo Comitate Regimine Constituto et in fine Capite
 et Mensio. Et testibus Thoma Domini Millesimo Secretaria Sepagismo Juramentis
 Maria Fuller relicta dicti defuncti, Edmundi Fuller et Johannis Ffith Executorum in
 hujusmodi Testamento Nominat. Quibus concessa fuit Administratio Annua et Singulari
 bonorum Juris et Creditum dicti defuncti de bono et fideliter Administrandis eadem ad sta
 dos Evangelia in debita forma Jurat. / Reservata potestate firmam Curiam
 Franciscus Georgio Fuller filio dicti def. et Alen Executorum in eodem Testamento Nominat
 tum denerit eandem potestatem. /

Thomas French

In the name of God Amen

I Thomas French of Huntington in the County of Warwickes Gent beinge into
 and weake in body but of good and perfect mynde and Memorye thanke be Given to
 Almightye God therefore doe make and Ordaine this my last Will and Testament
 in manner and forme followinge First I bequeath my Soule into the handes of Al
 mightye God my maker and Creator Trustinge and Truste fastlye believinge through
 the death and passion of my Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ my sinnes are freely
 Remitted and forgiven mee, And as for my body my Will is that it shall be buried
 in the Church of Huntington aforesaid in the Common burying place belonginge to
 the house wherem I doe now live, And as for such worldlye Goods wherewith the Lord
 in Mercy hath blessed mee I give and bequeath in manner and forme followinge
 First I bequeath I doo a Lease of the Messuages wherem I nowe live, and two oth
 er tenements and two closse with the Appurtenances thereto belonginge, And by
 the same Lease the Dale for the Terme of Nynety Nynety yeares to comen and from
 the Dale hereof, And remayne in my selfe and my brother in Law John Buxy our

Equitè & Administratè & Affluè, que p' hanc in State throughe
 hanc for doo, And wilinge the Remainder in good shoulde bee sett
 for doo of his Comy Affigè & sabbony, All my Estes in the said County of
 remainder of the said Terme into the said John Dwyer, my Executor, Administratè & Affluè
 in trust for the use of mee my Executors, Administratè & Affluè, And my Will is that
 the said Lease during the remainder of the said Terme may bee kept unlet and unrent
 with Nathaniell Eden of Blunington, my sonne, & my wife Mary French for the
 use benefitt and behoofe of my said wife, the childen to be borne of her
 and Edward and Thomas French my sonnes, and the childen which my wife now beareth
 in her wombe to bee Equally divided amongst them, share and share alike, And I doe
 whosoever I have a Mortgage of a house and shop in Blunington in the County of Hereford
 from one Thomas Rode of Worington in the said County of Hereford, woman for
 foit to mee I will devise give and bequeath the same unto the said Nathaniell
 Eden and the said Mary French my wife, and all my Estes right and interest in the
 same for the use benefitt and behoofe of the aforesaid Mary French my wife, the childen
 Sarah, Edward and Thomas French my children, and the childen which my wife beareth
 in her wombe, to bee Equally divided amongst them share and share alike, And if
 it shall happen that eyther or any of them shall depart this life before they shall come
 to the age of one and twenty yeares, then my Will is that his, her, or their
 portion good things to bee Equally divided amongst the survivors of them, And I doe
 give and bequeath to my Lovinge Mother Elizabeth Ballard some shillinges
 a yeare to bee paid to her quarterly for the space of tenne yeares (if shee shall
 soe longe live) the first payment to begin the next full quarter day next after
 my decease Thus I will I make, bidde and constitute and appoint Nathaniell Eden
 and the said Mary French my said French joint Executors of this my last Will
 and Testament, Revocations (like former Will by mee made) to quash my said
 Executors to performe this my Will, and the Trust in them imposed, And for
 the payme thereon I give unto the said Nathaniell Eden two hundred shillinges
 in which whosoever to both the parts of this my Will I have put my hand
 my Seale to the day hereof, the first day of March in the yeare of our
 Lord thousand six hundred fiftie and seven, the second day of
 Seales published and declared by the said Thomas French as his last Will
 and Testament in the presence of us, Wm. Bishopp, the matter of Thomas
 Reddit, the marks of William Shaver, Edm. Poynter.

And further By way of Codicill To my
 Will, I make the Addition hereof Thus my Will and Will further is
 that if Elizabeth, Sarah, Edward, Thomas, or Margaret French my said children, in
 my Will aforesaid mentioned, or any of them, shall marry or consent to marry without
 the full consente, consent, and well liking of my said Executors before named, that
 then in such case my Will and Meaning is that the portions and legacies to be
 in this my Will bequeathed shall bee determined and become utterly void any thing
 in this my Will to the contrary notwithstanding, Witness my hand and Seale this
 first day of August the first day of June in the yeare of our Lord thousand six hundred
 and fiftie eight, the first day of June, witness Nathaniell Eden.

Probatum Sicut Testamentum legitime et legitimum esse Codicillum
 amicum apud Londoniam coram venerabilibus Doctoribus Johanne Crickholme, Magistro Regium
 Doctoribus Curie, et rogato Cantuariensi Magistro Cantuariensi Comitis Regium
 Constituto Curie deplino die Mensis Junii Anno Domini Millesimo Sexcentis quinquagesimo
 septimo.

*Juramento Nathanieli Don et Mariae Francisce diti defuncti executorum in hujusmodi
 Testamentis Nominat. Quibus Commissa fuit Administratio Omnium et singularum bonorum suorum
 et Creditorum diti defuncti de bono et fideliter Administrand. eadem ad Sta. de Evangelia
 vigore Commissio: Jurat.*

William Francis

In the name of God Amen:

William Francis of Bridge North in the County of Salop do make
 this my last Will and Testament beinge sane in body but in perfect Memory, praise be to god
 in manner followinge. I Commit my Soule and spirit into the handes of Almightye God that
 gave it mee in sure and certain hope by the merittes of my Lord and Saviour Jesus
 Christ to enjoy Evernall life. And my bodye to bee buriede in some Church or Church
 yard, And as for my worldly goodes to bee bestowed in manner followinge, I have my
 Lovinge wife Anne Francis my Sole Excutrice of this my last Will and Testament
 and I give and bequeath to Thomas Goodwin, and William Goodwin, and Matthew
 Goodwin my Kinsmen Twelve pound a peece, And I give and bequeath to Margarett
 Yaloe the wife of Richard Yaloe for the good of her children Twentie Shillings. Also
 I give and bequeath to Francis Sawerton the wife of Richard Sawerton five pounde
 Also I give and bequeath to Richard Bowon and Margarett Bowon Tenne shillings
 a peece Also I give and bequeath to John Threewood the Sonne of Thomas Andrew
 five pounde Also I give and bequeath to my Kinsman Richard Goodwin after
 my decess halfe my New barge thorow out with my wife Anne Francis as long as
 shee doth live, And after her decess to be whollie his the said Richard Goodwin
 Also I give and bequeath to the said Richard Goodwin my best suite of apparell
 Apparell and the New hatt and Stattinges, the best Westcoat and best shoes
 also howe whollie to him whollie Also I give and bequeath to him the said
 Goodwin halfe the Goodes in my house after the decess of his Aunt my wife Anne
 Francis throughout. And I doe further desire my Kinsman Edward Broadfoild
 and John Malpas to bee over seer of this my Will and Testament, And if any
 Controversie should arise betwene my wife Anne Francis, And the said Richard
 Goodwin that the said Overseers shall have power to order it as they shall thinke fit.
 Also I give towards the puttinge up of the Colles of the Church of St. Mary Maddalen
 Twentie shillings if they bee sett up within a yeare after my decess, Also I
 give to five Good children five Shillings a peece that is to Edward the Sonne
 of Edward Broadfoild, and Katherine the daughter of John Malpas, And to five
 the Sonne of Francis Yaloe, and to Elmer the daughter of Richard Goodwin
 And to William Andrew the Sonne of Thomas Andrew Twelve pound in the
 month of September the next ensuinge. And thousand three hundred Shillings
 And the moneys of William Francis. Witnesse Richard Lyng, and
 John Malpas, Edward Broadfoild.

Probatum fuit Testamentum supra scriptum apud London
 coram & honorabili et discreto viro Thoma Mente Legum Doctore Curie
 Prærogativa Cantuariensis Magistro Custode suo Commissario legitime Constituto
 Anno Domini Millesimo Sexcentesimo Sexagesimo
 Juramento Anne Francisce diti defuncti et Executorum in hujusmodi
 Testamentis Nominat. Quibus Commissa fuit Administratio Omnium et singu-
 larum bonorum suorum et Creditorum diti defuncti de bono et fideliter ad-
 eadem ad Sta. de Evangelia vigore Commissio: Jurat.