

This is the last Will and Testament of me John Hudson of Howsham in the County of York Gentleman made the twentieth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight \_ I give my son John one large Silver cup marked IH a mahogany dining table, Mahogany Tea Table eight Mahogany Chairs and Looking Glass also two plated candlesticks and snuffers. I give my son William a small silver cup, oak dining table six oak chairs and looking glass \_\_\_\_ I give my son Robert two silver salts and spoons with a set of plated casters glasses silver mustard spoon and two table spoons I give my Daughter Philadelphia my best china tea board silver tea pot and stand six tea spoons Tea urn and chest of Oak Drawers inlaid with mahogany I give my Daughter Ann a silver cream jug six best silver tea spoons coffee Urn six painted chairs and wash stand in my best chamber and two chests of Drawers in little Chamber where I sleep I give my son Thomas two large silver spoons and silver punch laddle \_ I give my son George two large silver spoons and two silver salt spoons \_ I give my son Charles two large silver spoons \_ I give my Daughter Mary my new Mahogany Drawers and seeing Glass in the best chamber and all my silver spoons that are not hereinbefore before disposed of. I give all my linen to Mary Ruston of the City of York, my sister Ann White of Painsthorpe and my sister in law Mary Ruston of Crambe to be disposed of by them or the survivor of them equally between and amongst all my children\_ And I also give each of my four children John, William, Philadelphia and Ann one Bed Bedstead and Bedding complete except Linen in the discretion of the said Mary Ruston, Ann White and Mary Ruston and Mary Ruston of Crambe or the survivor of them the Girls to have the best and I direct that the furniture by me given to my sons John and William shall be delivered to them immediately after my decease and the Furniture given to my other children shall be delivered to them upon their respectively achieving the age of twenty one years and that the same shall be taken care of in the mean time by William Weldon and Richard Potter my Executors hereinafter named. I give my children Thomas George Mary and Charles the sum of twenty pounds each in addition to other proportions hereinafter bequeathed in consideration of their not having any Furniture left them \_ I give devise and bequeath all and singular my messuages dwelling houses lands tenements and hereditaments whatsoever and wheresoever situated and use all and every my ready money securities or money stock in trade book debts cattle chattels personal estate and effects (not hereinbefore disposed of) which I

may be possessed of or intitled to at the time of my decease or over which I have a disposing power unto my friends William Wildon of Howsham aforesaid and Richard Potter of Westow in the said County Gentlemen and the survivor of them and the heirs executors and administrators of such survivor after the trusts and to and for the uses intents and purposes hereinafter declared of and concerning the same that is to say upon trust to pay and discharge all my just debts funeral expenses and the costs and charges of proving and executing this my Will and to permit my said son John to have and enjoy the free and intire use of such of my household Goods Plate Linen and Furniture in the Dwelling house of the Farm which shall be in my possession at the time of my decease as are not by me hereinbefore disposed of and also of such and sufficient Cattle Chattels and utensils as will in their or his judgement reasonably stock the same farm for during and until my said son John Hudson shall attain twenty one years of age and upon further trust that they the said William Wildon and Richard Potter or the survivor of them or the Executors or administrators of such survivor do and shall with all convenient speed after my decease Sell dispose of and convey all and singular my real estates with appurtenances either together or in parcels by public auction or private contract as to them or him shall seem best unto any person or persons who shall be willing to become or be the purchaser or purchasers thereof or of any part thereof for the most money that can be had or gotten for the same and to make and execute all such deeds conveyances and assurances in the law as shall be necessary or proper for perfecting the sale or sales thereof and also do and shall make sale and convert into money all such part and parts of the remainder of my personal estate as shall not consist of money and call in and compel payment for such part or parts thereof as shall consist of money upon security at interest or otherwise and also collect and get in and all book and other debts owing to me at my decease in such manner as they shall think expedient and for this purpose it shall be lawful and I hereby authorize and empower my said Trustees and the survivor of them his executors and administrators to compromise or compound any debt sum or sums of money which may be owing to me at the time of my decease and to give or allow such reasonable time by way of indulgence for the payment of the same or any part thereof and in the meantime to take and accept such security for the payment as they or he in their or his discretion shall think fit and the receipt or receipts of them or him for all monies paid or securities given or accepted under or by virtue of this my Will shall in all cases be a sufficient and effectual discharge and

discharges for such sum and sums of money or security for money as shall be therein respectively expressed or acknowledged to have been received given or accepted and the person or persons paying any debts or debts sum or sums of money as purchased money or otherwise in his her and their executors or administrators shall not afterwards be obliged to see to the application thereof or be in any manner answerable or accountable for the loss misapplication or nonapplication of the same or any part thereof and upon Trust to place out the whole of the money arising by the ways or means aforesaid at legal interest on mortgage or other good and sufficient security in their or his names or name and pay and apply the interest and produce thereof or so much thereof as they shall think needful for the maintenance education and bringing up of my said children and for their benefit until my eldest son shall attain twenty one years of age as above mentioned and Upon Trust as soon as my said eldest son shall attain that age that my said trustees or their survivor of them or the executors or administrators of such survivors do and shall thereupon impartially value or cause to be impartially valued all and singular the said Household goods plate linen and furniture in the Dwellinghouse in the said farm not hereinbefore disposed of and also such cattle chattels and utensils and crops of corn Grain Hay turnips and Herbage or produce there upon or belonging the same Farm and Transfer the whole thereof with the possession of the same Farm to my said son John upon the terms hereinafter mentioned and upon further trust the whole of the money to arise by the ways and means aforesaid including the amount in value of the said personalty so to be transferred to my said son John to pay and apply the same unto and amongst and for the benefit of my six sons John William Robert Thomas George and Charles and my three Daughters Philadelphia, Ann and Mary in the proportions following that is to say the proportion of one thousand pounds to each of my sons and of five hundred pounds to each of my daughters and so proportionally more or less as to the whole which proportions I hereby give my daughters and so proportionally more or less as to the whole which proportions thereby said sons and Daughters accordingly to be paid and payable when and as they shall respectively shall attain their ages of twenty one years and I direct that my said son John shall accept the personalty so as above mentioned to be transferred to him on his coming of age (if he shall so choose but not otherwise) as far as the same will extend for and on account of his said proportion and in the case of the same shall not amount in value to the whole of such proportion then my said Trustees or

the survivor of them or their executors or administrator shall pay them the deficiency and if such personalty so to be transferred to my said son shall exceed his said proportion. I direct that he shall pay or secure to be paid the surerplus to my said Trustee or the survivor of them or his executors or administrators to enable them or him to pay the several proportions to my other Children and upon further trust to pay and apply the Interest from time to time as the same shall become due for all the several proportions of my said other children from the time my said son John shall attain his said age of twenty one years and in such manner as they shall think best for their advantage during the minorities of my said other sons and daughters and until they shall successively become entitled to the principal money of their said proportions and upon Trust in case any of my said children shall happen to die before he she or they shall have received their said respective proportions leaving lawful issue to pay and apply each such proportion to and equally amongst the children of him her or them so dieing and if any of my said children shall happen to die without leaving lawful issue then to pay and apply each such proportion to and amongst my surviving Children in proportions first hereinbefore mentioned as to my Sons and Daughters I devise the Guardianship care and education of my said Children unto the said William Wildon and Richard Potter and the survivor of them I give and bequeath unto the said William Wildon and Richard Potter the sum of two Guineas each for mourning Rings of which I beg their acceptance in remembrance of me. I hereby nominate constitute and appoint the said William Wilden and Richard Potter joint executors of this my last Will and testament and I direct that they and the survivor of them and his executors and administrators shall and may at all times In the first reimburse and indemnify themselves and himself respectively out of the said trust premises respectively all such costs damages and expenses as they or either of them shall at any time expend lay out and be put to by reason or means of any or either of the trusts hereby in them reposed and that none of them shall be answerable for any loss which may happen to any of the said Premises unless such loss happen through their wilful neglect or default nor one for the other of them nor for more monies than shall actually come to each of their hands respectively but each and every of them for his her and their acts deeds receipts neglects and defaults only nor by any means for involuntary losses In Witness whereof I the said John Hudson have to this my Will contained in five sheets of paper sett my hand at the bottom of each of the four preceding sheets and my hand and seal to this last sheet the day and year

first in this written://: John Hudson Signed, sealed published and declared by the said testator John Hudson as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses hereto Mary Inchbald William Rider Saml Jackson

I do hereby certify that on the twenty ninth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nine William Wildon of Howsham in the County of York Gentleman and Richard Potter of Westow in the same County Yeoman the joint Executors named in this the last will and Testament of John Hudson late of Howsham aforesaid in the Parish of Scrayingham in the diocese of York gentleman deceased, were sworn well and truly to execute and perform the same And that the whole of the goods, Chattels and Credits of the said deceased within the Diocese of York do not amount in value to the sum of seven thousand five hundred Pounds\_ Witness my Hand, Richd Forrest Snr

Pass'd 13<sup>th</sup> May 1809 und £7,500

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