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and the other Executor named in the said will whom  
we shall apply for the same in

William  
Doyle

# This is the last Will

and Testament of me William Doyle late of Sheffield  
in the County of York but now of Kingston in the  
parish of Aston in the said County of Nottingham  
made this thirteenth day of January in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six.  
in manner following that is to say I do give  
and devise unto my son William Doyle and  
my friend Thomas Ward the younger of  
the County of York Esquire of Beaudesmore in  
the said County of York Esquire their heirs  
and assigns for ever all and every my messuages  
messuages lands tenements sitings and  
appurtenances situate and being at Boston in  
the said County of Nottingham in the parish of  
William Doyle and Thomas Ward their heirs and  
assigns for ever in trust without less as to the  
estate of the said Thomas Ward and his assigns  
to and for the use and behoof of my said son  
William Doyle his heirs and assigns for ever  
also I do give and devise unto my son John  
Doyle and the said Thomas Ward the younger  
their heirs and assigns for ever all my messuages  
messuages and lands sitings sitings and  
appurtenances situate and being within  
the Township of Sheffield aforesaid late in the  
occupation of myself Mr George Weston  
John Dobson and John Hemmings and also  
the Cross and lands there lately purchased by  
me of the trustees of his Grace the Duke of  
Grosvenor with their and every of their appurtenances  
and also all the lands and ground in the  
Sheffield aforesaid which I purchased of  
William Waller with all the buildings now  
situated thereon and all the rights and  
incidents payable out of the same now set out  
to the said John and Thomas Ward their heirs and  
assigns and also that part of the lands  
which I purchased of Samuel Glossop with  
all the houses and buildings which have been  
made thereon and also all that messuage or  
dwelling house with the workshops buildings  
barren ground and appurtenances thereon

Healthy in the  
County of York and  
also my copyhold  
close or parcel of  
land situate and  
being within the  
parish of Beaudesmore  
in the County of



belonging to the said John in  
 Sheffield aforesaid lately rented and held  
 of me by Sir George Osbourn and his  
 copartners but now in the occupation of  
 Sir John Osbourn who holds to them the said  
 John Osbourn and his copartners their heirs  
 and assigns for ever the same as a  
 part of the Estate of the said Thomas was his  
 share or assigns to and for the use and behoof  
 of my said son John Osbourn his heirs and  
 assigns for ever also I do give and bequeath  
 to my said son John Osbourn his Executors or  
 administrators my two beds in the Church or  
 Chapel of Saint James in Sheffield for me  
 my heirs and assigns forever also I do give  
 and bequeath to my said son William  
 Osbourn and John Osbourn their Executors and  
 administrators the sum of seven thousand pounds in  
 Capital Stock now vested in me in the three  
 per Cent Consolidated Annuities purchased  
 at the Bank of England which produce I  
 divide yearly half yearly to the amount  
 of two hundred pounds per annum in trust  
 to receive the said Dividends from time to time  
 and they shall become due and to pay one  
 moiety or half part of them into the hands  
 of my Daughter Barbara the wife of ~~Thomas~~<sup>James</sup>  
 Osbourn for and during the term of her natural  
 life for her own sole and separate use not  
 subject to the Control or ~~regulation~~<sup>direction</sup> of her  
 husband nor liable to the payment of any  
 of his debts or engagements and her receipt  
 alone notwithstanding her Coverture shall be  
 a good discharge for the same and from and  
 after her death to sell and dispose of one  
 moiety or half part of the said Stock (viz.)  
 three thousand five hundred pounds thereof  
 and divide the moiety arising therefrom  
 amongst all the Children of my said Daughter  
 Barbara who shall be then living share and  
 share alike provided such Children shall  
 have attained the age of twenty one year  
 but if not of that age then in trust to pay  
 and apply the Dividends of the said moiety  
 or to make sale of so much of the said  
 moiety of Stock as from my said son or  
 the survivor of them his Executors or administrators  
 shall think fit and apply the money thereby  
 arising in and about the maintenance  
 education and putting out apprentices or in  
 otherwise for the benefit of the said Children  
 and all the residue of the said moiety to arise  
 from the sale of the remainder of the said



to pay to such of the said Children  
 as shall live to attain the said age but in  
 case all the said Children shall happen to  
 die before they attain the said age then &  
 direct my said Sons to retain and keep the  
 residue of the said ~~stock~~ <sup>property of the said</sup> to their own use and  
 in further trust that they my said Sonstheir  
 Executors or Assigns do and shall pay the  
 other moiety or what part of the said  
 Dividends of the said seven thousand pounds  
 Capital stock into the hands of my Daughter  
 Hannah the wife of John Bullcock for and  
 during the term of her natural life for her  
 own sole and separate use and not subject to  
 the control or direction of her husband nor  
 liable to ~~pay~~ <sup>the payment</sup> of his Debts or Engagements and  
 her Discharge notwithstanding her Coverture  
 shall be a sufficient discharge for the same and  
 from and after the receipt of my said  
 Daughter's Receipt to sell and dispose of the  
 said other moiety or what part of the said  
 stock and divide the money arising therefrom  
 among all the Children of my said Daughter  
 Hannah which shall be then living share  
 and share alike provided such Children shall  
 have attained the age of twenty one years  
 but if not at that age then in trust to pay  
 and apply the Dividends of the said last  
 mentioned moiety of the said stock as and  
 my said Sons or the Survivor of them his  
 Executors or Assigns shall think fit and apply  
 the money thereby arising in and about the  
 maintenance and education and putting out in  
 apprenticeship or otherwise for the benefit of the  
 said Children and all the residue of the same  
 money to arise from the sale of the same  
 remainder of the said moiety to pay to such  
 of the said Children as shall live to attain  
 the said age but in case all the said Children  
 shall happen to die before they attain the  
 said age then & direct my said Sons to retain  
 and keep the residue of the said moiety of  
 the said stock to their own use and so will  
 and direct that no part of the said moiety of  
 the said Dividends of the said stock shall be paid  
 to my said Daughter Hannah or her Children  
 until her husband the said John Bullcock  
 shall have accounted with and paid to my  
 Executor or given him satisfactory security for  
 the sum of one thousand pounds now owing

for to make sale of  
 the moneys of the said  
 moiety

from the said John Shuttle to me and his heirs and  
 assigns and our heirs and assigns of all the interest in the same  
 and our heirs and assigns and I do authorize and direct  
 my said wife and their Executors and Administrators to  
 sell and convey out of the money arising from the  
 sale of the said store and the dividends thereof  
 all such costs charges and expenses as may be  
 incurred by them from time to time to be put to  
 in or about the execution of the trust hereby  
 expressed in this or in any will hereinafter made  
 and that they shall not be answerable for the  
 same nor for any loss or losses without their wilful default  
 and whereas on or about the fourth day of February  
 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
 two I married my wife to John Sarah Cotton and  
 of Angleton aforesaid 20.50 and progenies to our  
 marriage I did settle a messuage and lands by a  
 indent duly witnessed and attested by a  
 the use of myself for life then to be paid to  
 for life for her dower and in lieu of dower out of  
 all my estate with remainder to my right heirs and  
 she did also settle and convey a messuage and  
 lands and all her estate in Angleton aforesaid to  
 to the use of me for my life then to be paid to  
 with remainder to my right heirs and she did also  
 transfer to me and my heirs two of the one hundred  
 and fifty shares in the undertaking of the River  
 about and below Bristol for the use of me and my  
 heirs in trust for the use of the said river and my  
 marriage and from and after the solemnization of our  
 marriage I did convey the use of me and my  
 heirs for ever and my said wife's consent and agree that  
 in case she should die my said wife's Executors and  
 assigns should pay and also to her during her  
 natural life all the dividends and profits which  
 after my decease should arise from the said two  
 shares and I did also agree that I or my  
 Executors should pay such sum or sums of money  
 not exceeding in the whole the sum of five hundred  
 pounds unto such person and persons and in such  
 parts shares and proportions as she should by her  
 will direct appoint give or bequeath the same to  
 be paid at the end of six months next after my  
 decease provided that my said wife should live in  
 my life time and I the said William Doyle do  
 hereby confirm the settlement so made on my  
 said wife and I do give and bequeath to her  
 my said wife the sum of one hundred pounds to  
 be paid to her within one month after my decease  
 also we both warrant and the shares or dividends  
 of her person and all the wine and other liquors  
 in my house at Angleton at the time of my  
 decease and I do give and bequeath to my said



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I, William Doyle his Executors and Administrators all  
the household Goods Furniture China Plate Books  
and Book Cases in the Library Linen forming in  
Utensils Cotten and Sheep at Augaton and all the  
Corn and Hay and growing Crop upon the farm in  
their full trust to permit my said wife to have to  
the use of the same (except the China plate and  
Furniture which I brought from Sheffield and my  
Books Books and Book Cases with Dress of Colina I  
intend my said son to take immediately) for and  
during the time of her natural life if she should  
continue the possession of the house and farm at  
Augaton the growing the same of equal value at  
the time of her decease and at her decease I direct  
my said William to give and deliver to my son in  
full the Silver plate and China I brought from  
Sheffield and subject to the life Estate of my said  
wife and the Legacies charged on the said given  
to her by the will of the late Sir Christopher Doyle  
so give and deliver to my said son William Doyle  
his share and assigns for ever all and every my  
messuages lands tenements and hereditaments  
situate in Augaton and the parish of Oston in  
Leicestershire with the rents fees in the Church of  
Oston and all other the appurtenances belonging  
thereto as my said son paying the said first  
hundred pounds or so much thereof as my said  
wife shall by her will direct of six months after  
her decease and I so give and deliver to my said  
son William Doyle his share and assigns for  
ever one of the one hundred and fifty shares  
of the undertaking of the gravitation of the  
said Dan he paying the Dividends and profits  
thereof as the same shall be received to my said  
wife during her natural life and I so give and  
assign to my said son John Doyle his share  
and assigns for ever my share of the one hundred  
gravitation of the said undertaking of the  
said Dan and profits thereof as the same shall be  
received to my said wife during her natural life and  
my said son shall have and be entitled to pay the  
said Dividends within fourteen days after receiving  
the same I so empower my said wife to receive the  
same from the Treasurer of the said undertaking in  
future during her natural life and I so will and  
direct my said son William Doyle and his Executors  
or Administrators to pay to my said wife the interest  
of two thousand and eight hundred pounds owing  
to me from Mr. William Wasthouse of Northampton  
on mortgage of his estate for the term of years  
life as the same shall be received from him or

from any other security for that money if necessary to be called in and  
 not be obliged to go as far as it may in discharge thereof again and  
 of the Legation then payable by the will of the said money at  
 late Mr. Robert Calverton and that the remainder  
 be made up by my said son William out of the  
 residue of my personal Estate but in case my said  
 said wife shall not conform to and confirm this  
 my will in every respect then I do revoke the direction  
 for payment of five hundred pounds or so much more  
 thereof as she shall dispose of by her will at  
 the end of six months after her decease and also  
 the direction for payment of the interest to wit of  
 the said two thousand and eight hundred pounds  
 owing to me on Mr. Watson's Mortgage during  
 her life and so will and sign that those directions  
 shall be void null and void and my said son  
 William shall apply the said five hundred  
 pounds and the interest of the said two thousand  
 and eight hundred pounds in making good any  
 deficiency or loss my Legation or any of them  
 may sustain by or through the interest or non  
 payment of my wife or her refusal or neglect to  
 confirm my intentions also I do give and bequeath  
 to my son John Doyle the sum of one hundred  
 and fifty pounds <sup>being</sup> to be paid upon mortgage and  
 all the interest in arrears thereon and sign  
 my Executor to take all necessary steps for recovery  
 thereof and release of and ratify in right of  
 my said wife to six shares in the Deal and Dover  
 Canal Navigation and two shares in the Southampton  
 and Dorset Canal Navigation to which I have  
 paid a great deal of money towards the making  
 of the said Navigation and I do intend to  
 transfer the said shares to my said son William  
 Doyle as well to him and Executors and Administrators  
 as to me or as I shall direct but in my  
 case I should omit to make the said transfers  
 so hereby I do and sign my said wife to make  
 the same after my decease as soon as possible so in  
 that they may go as ~~soon as possible~~ <sup>possible</sup> give and  
 bequeath two shares 100 193, 194 in the said Deal  
 and Dover Canal Navigation to my said son  
 William Doyle his Executors and Administrators for his  
 own use two other shares 100 195 520 in the same  
 Canal to my said son John Doyle his Executors  
 and Administrators one share 100 520 in the same  
 Canal to my said son William Doyle his  
 Executors and Administrators I do sign for the  
 sole use and benefit of my daughter Barbara  
 and the share 100 530 in the said Canal to my  
 said son William his Executors and Administrators



Trust for the use and benefit of my daughter  
Barbara the profits to be paid them respectively  
for life and the shares at their several deaths  
as they shall by their respective wills direct and the  
said shares in the Stamford and Greenwich Canal.  
And one share of £64 shall be vested in my  
said son William du Crest for my grandson  
William du Crest his Executors and assigns to be  
transferred to him when of age and the other  
share of £64 shall be vested in my said son  
William du Crest for my grandson John Swan  
du Crest his Executors and assigns to be transferred  
to him when of age also I do give and devise in  
witness and direct and assign for ever all my  
part and share of the Manor of Buissey in the  
County of York and all my Messuages Lands  
and Hereditaments there situate with their and  
any of their Appurtenances to hold to my  
said Sister her heirs and assigns for ever not  
withstanding that in the disposal thereof she will pay  
regard and attention to my daughter late Mary  
Hidder was the wife of Matthew Greenwood also  
I do give and bequeath to my daughter Barbara  
and Barbara the sum of twenty pounds for their  
own sole and separate use to be paid into their  
hands by my Executors within one month after  
my decease and their own receipts shall be a  
good discharge for the same also I do give and  
bequeath to the children of my daughter  
Barbara except Samuel to whom I have given  
a share of the Stamford and Greenwich Canal the  
sum of fifty pounds each when and as they shall  
severally attain their respective ages of twenty one  
years and to the children of my daughter Samuel  
except John Swan the eldest to whom I have  
given also a share of the Stamford and  
Greenwich Canal the sum of fifty pounds each  
when and as they shall severally attain their  
respective ages of twenty one years that in case  
any of the said children shall happen to die  
before he or she shall attain the said age of  
twenty one that the share of him or her so  
dying shall merge in the estate of him or her so  
dying and not be paid into my personal  
estate and my said daughter also I do give and  
bequeath to my late wife's sister Elizabeth and  
daughter and her daughter Mary and  
Barbara the sum of twenty pounds each to be

paid



paid within twelve months after my decease also I do give to my friends  
 the younger two summes for a  
 Ring Gold I do give and bequeath To the Trustees  
 of the General Infirmary in Sheffield the sum of  
 ten pounds to the Trustees of the Charity School  
 for poor Boys in Sheffield the bonds and the  
 like sum of ten pounds to the Trustees of the  
 Charity School for poor Girls in Sheffield to be  
 paid to the respective <sup>Trustees</sup> for the benefit of  
 the said several Charities. All the Dist residue  
 and Remainder of my Goods Chattels I leave  
 out at Interest and all other my personal  
 Estate and Efforts whatsoever and whatsoever  
 after payment of my Just Debt Legacies and  
 funeral Expenses and the Expence of proving  
 and executing this my will I do give and  
 bequeath to my Son William Doyle his Executors  
 and assigns for his and their own use and so  
 hereby make him constitute and appoint  
 him my said Son William Doyle sole Executor  
 of this my will hereby revoking all former  
 Wills by me made On witness whereof I the  
 said William Doyle the Testator have to  
 this day with him in seven sheets of paper  
 set my hand and seal (that is to say) my  
 hand to the bottom of the first six sheets  
 thereof and my hand and seal to the seventh  
 or last sheet thereof the day and year first  
 within written - to Doyle (S) - signed sealed  
 published and Delivered by the said William  
 Doyle the Testator as and for his last will  
 and Testament in the presence of us who  
 have hereunto subscribed our names as  
 witnesses at his request in his presence and  
 in the presence of each other - Henry Watkins  
 Geo. Wignat - John Denny junr

**This Will** was proved at London the  
 second day of October in the year of our Lord  
 our thousand eight hundred and seven before the  
 Right Honourable Sir William Rogers Knight  
 Doctor of Laws Master of the Bench or Commissioner of  
 the prerogative Court of Canterbury lawfully  
 constituted by the Oath of William Doyle the  
 Son of the testator and the sole Executor named  
 in the said will to whom administration  
 of all and singular the Goods Chattels and  
 Credits of the said testator was granted  
 having first sworn (by Commission) duly  
 to administer