L.D.R.O. Will of Ann Garrett of Gaydon 1757.

This is the Last Will and Testament of me Ann Garret of the Hamlet of Gaydon in the Parish of Chadshunt in the County of Warwick Spinster. First it is my desire that my body be decently buried at Chadshunt aforesaid as near my Father as possible, and that my funeral expences and just debts be paid and discharged by my executor hereinafter mentioned. First I give devise and bequeath to my brother Ralph Garrett the sum of ten pounds. to Hannah the wife of Richard Garlick the sum of twenty pounds and to Ann Boddington Spinster the daughter of William Boddington the sum of twenty pounds, to Mary Purks the wife of Robert Purks the sum of twenty pounds.

Item I give to John Garrett the son of John Garrett Carpenter the sum of five pounds, and also to Samuel the son of John Garrett now of Lighthorne in the said County the sum of five pounds.

Item I give to Thomas Garretts four children Viz: Thomas Ann William and Mary, five pounds each.

Item I give to Mary Griffin the wife of William Griffin five pounds.

Item I give to Elizabeth Willshin the wife of John Willshin the sum of ten pounds. As for my linen I would have it divided between Hannah Garlick, Mary Purks and Ann Boddington, the biggest part to Hannah Garlick. One of the two feather beds at Gaydon I give to William the son of Thomas Garrett of Gaydon and the other I give to Hannah Garlick. A large looking glass I give to William the son of Thomas Garrett of Gaydon.

Item the chest of drawers I give to Ann Garrett the daughter of Thomas Garrett of Gaydon. The great chest at Gaydon I give to Hannah the wife of Richard Garlick.

Item I give to Richard Shropshire the sum of five pounds.

Item the blue bed quilt I give to Mary Purks, my silver cup I give to Ann Boddington, and as to my wearing apparel I would have divided amongst them Viz: to the three daughters of Boddington. All the rest and residue of my personal estate whatsoever I do give unto my nephew Thomas Garrett of Gaydon in the County of Warwick husbandman whom I make and ordain my sole executor of this my Last Will and Testament. It is my desire that the aforesaid legacies may not be paid till one year after my death and I do hereby revoke any former will or wills by me made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this eleventh day of December in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty six. Ann Garrett (signed)

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Ann Garrett as her last will and testament in our presence and attested by us in her presence at her request and in the presence of each other of us.

John Burford Thomas Stockley Ann Doyly

Bishop's Itchington 21st April 1757. Let a probate of this will be granted to Thomas Garrett sole Executor named therein, He being first sworn before me. Thomas Smalbroke.