

This is the last Will and Testament of me **William Moulding** of **Aldbourn** in the County of Wilts Mason Whereby I nominate constitute & appoint my Brother **John Moulding** of **Wanborough** in the county of Wilts Shoemaker and my Niece **Ann Long** of the same place Spinster *Executor and Executrix* for carrying into effect the several devises bequests and directions hereinafter contained In the first place I direct them to pay and discharge my just debts funeral and testamentary expences I give and devise unto my son **Richard Moulding** of **Aldbourn** aforesaid Mason All those my six freehold messuages tenements or Cottages with the Gardens Premises and appurtenances thereunto belonging situate lying and being in a certain Street within[?] **Aldbourn** aforesaid called West Street To hold to him my said Son **Richard** his heirs and assigns for ever all which said Cottages were purchased by me of **Richard Hill** and others Also I give and bequeath unto my said son **Richard Moulding** all my working tools Stock in trade and all my wearing apparel and in addition thereto a legacy of fifty pounds Sterling I give and devise unto my Grandson **William Moulding** of **Aldbourn** aforesaid Mason All those my four freehold Messuages Cottages or Tenements with the Gardens and Appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining situate lying and being in a Street called Baydon Street in **Aldbourn** aforesaid which said several Cottages and Premises are now in the respective occupations of **Thomas Palmer Senior** **Thomas Palmer Junior** **Joseph Merritt** and **William Palmer** to hold to him my said Grandson **William Moulding** his heirs and assigns for ever Also I give and bequeath unto my said Grandson **William Moulding** a legacy of Fifty pounds and my Silver Watch I give and devise unto my Granddaughter **Jane** now the wife of **William Sheppard** of **Aldbourn** aforesaid Baker All those three freehold Cottages and Premises with the Appurtenances near adjoining the said lastly devised cottages and Premises and commonly called or known by the name of Palmers To hold to her the said **Jane Moulding** her heirs and assigns for ever also I give and bequeath unto the said **Jane Moulding** a legacy of fifty pounds I give & devise unto my Granddaughter **Mary Ann Moulding** of **Aldbourn** aforesaid Spinster All those three freehold messuages Tenements or Cottages with the Gardens premises and Appurts which I purchased of **Charles Long** situate in Baydon Street in **Aldbourn** aforesaid To hold the same unto the said **Mary Ann Moulding** her heirs and assigns for ever Also I give and bequeath unto her the said **Mary Ann Moulding** a legacy of Fifty pounds I give and devise unto my granddaughter **Elizabeth Moulding** of **Aldbourn** aforesaid Spinster all those three freehold Cottages or tenements gardens and Premises with their appurtenances situate in Baydon Street in **Aldbourn** aforesaid two of which Cottages I purchased of Mr **Gould** and the other of **Baydon** Parish To hold the same unto the said **Elizabeth Moulding** her heirs and assigns for ever I also give and bequeath to her the said **Elizabeth Moulding** a legacy of fifty pounds I give and devise unto my Granddaughter **Sarah Moulding** all those four Freehold Cottages or Tenements Gardens and Premises together with their appurtenances which I purchased of **John Cook** To hold the same unto the said **Sarah Moulding** her heirs and assigns for ever Also I give and bequeath unto her the said **Sarah Moulding** a legacy of fifty pounds I give and devise unto my Son in Law **Joseph Palmer** All those two Cottages or Tenements with the Gardens and Appurts thereto belonging one of which I purchased of **Henry Wherrill** and the other of **Benjamin Kimber** To hold to him the said **William Palmer**¹ his heirs and assigns for ever I give and devise unto **Ann** Wife of **Joseph Palmer** of **Aldbourn** aforesaid Cordwainer All that freehold dwelling house in which I now reside with the Buildings and appurtenances to the same belonging And ^{also} All those three messuages tenements or Cottages with the Gardens and appurtenances two of which I purchased of **Charles** and the other of **Richard Buns** To hold to her the said **Ann Palmer** her heirs and assigns for ever and I give and bequeath unto the said **Ann Palmer** a legacy of Fifty pounds sterling and all my household stores goods and furniture to and for her own absolute use and benefit And as to all the *rest residue and remainder* of my Estate and Effects I give devise and bequeath the same unto between and among the several

¹ This is odd the name does not match what it ought to – either Joseph was wrong or this should be Joseph

legatees in this my Will named to be equally divided between them share and share alike as tenants in common And I declare that such of my Legatees as are not of age at the time of my decease shall not take a vested interest in his or her legacy until he or she shall attain the age of twenty one years But nevertheless I direct my Trustees to pay or apply the rents or Interest of his or her legacy to or for his her or their benefit in the mean time I give and bequeath unto my said Brother **John Moulding** & ?? **Ann Long** a legacy of ten pounds each as a ???ing remuneration to them for the trouble they may have in the execution of the trusts of this my Will and I declare that it shall be lawfull for my said trustees and the Survivor of them and the Executors Administrators and Assigns of such Survivor to reimburse themselves and himself out of the first monies which shall come to their or his or her hands by virtue of the trusts aforesaid all costs charges damages and expences which they he or she shall or may pay sustain expend or be put into in or about the execution of the same trusts or any of them and that they he or she shall not be answerable for any more monies than shall come to their his or her hands respectively nor for the acts deeds or defaults of each other and I also declare that the receipts of my said Trustees and the Survivor of them and the executors and assigns of such survivor shall be good and sufficient discharges for all monies which in such receipts shall be expressed or acknowledged to be received & that the person or persons paying any money to them her or him and taking such receipt shall not afterwards be obliged to see to the application of the same money nor be answerable for the nonapplication thereof And hereby revoking all former and other Wills by me at any time heretofore made I do declare this only to be my last Will and Testament In Wirness whereof I have to the two preceding sheets set my hand and to this third and last sheet my hand and seal this fourth day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven. *William Moulding* [Seal] Signed Sealed

published and declared by the said **William Moulding** the Testator and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses the interlineations of fifteen words in the first sheet having been first made *W^m Rowland Sol^r Ramsbury S. Neate Cha Culverhouse* his clerks

Proved at London 8th Feb^y 1839 before the Judge by the Oaths of John Moulding the Brother and Ann Long Spinster the ??? the Executors to whom Admon was granted having been first sworn by Common duly to Administer.