

In the name of God Amen

The Fowreteenth day of march

in the Two and Fortith yeare of the raigne of our soveraigne Ladie Elizabeth by the grace of God Queene of England Franncce and Ireland defendor of the faith &c. I Honor Wayte of Chidham in the countie of Sussex widow being at this present in good and perfect health of bodie and of sounde myde and remembrance I thanke god allmightie the auctor and giver of all goodnes most hartelie therefore doe make ordaine and declare this my last will and Testament in mannor and form following. And I doe hereby revoake renounce and make voyde all former willes before by me made. And therefore in the first beginnyng of this my present will before I enter into the disposing of my worldlie goodes I bequeath commend and comitt my soule unto allmightie god my onely maker savior and redeemer by whome and by whose pretious death and bloudshedding onely and by noe other meanes merritts or works I a miserable and wretched sinner assuredlie trust to have everlasting salvation and my bodie I commend unto the earth from whence it came to be seemlie and decentlie buried in the channcell or church of Wimmeringe in the countie of Southampton neere my father and mother. And touching the disposing of my wordlie goodes which god of his greate goodness hath bestowed upon me my will is as followeth. Item I geve and bequeath unto the cathedral church of Chichester towards the reparacons thereof six shillings and eighte pence. Item I geve and bequeathe unto the reparacons of the parishe church of Chidham Tenne shillings. Item I doe geve and bequeath unto the reparacons of the parishe church of Wimmeringe in the countie of South' Tenne shillings. Item I geve and bequeath to the poore people of the cittie of Chichester Twenty shillings to be distributed amongst them by the discretion of the Maier of the same cittie which for the tyme shalbe. Item I doe geve and bequeath unto Honor Poundes my Goddaughter Tenne shillings. Item I doe geve and bequeath unto Marie Uvedall my goddaughter a ringe of gould of the value of Fortie shillings or Fortie shillings to make her a gould ringe. Item I will and bequeath unto George Morris my godsonne ffyve shillings. And to William Wayte the sonne of Wayte of Portesmouth my godsonne Fortie shillings. Item I geve and bequeath towards the amendment of wakelane in the parishe of Wimmeringe in the county of Southampton Twenty shillings. Item I will and bequeath unto misteris Avice Erewsie in the countie of Cornwall widdowe if she be living One portague of gould and a silver boule or cup guilded with my name graven thereupon worth Three poundes Six shillings Eighte pence Or elce Three poundes six shillings and Eight pence to buy her such a One. Item if the said Avis Erewsie shalbe deade at my decease Or before living her daughter Julia Erewsey Then my will is the saide Julia shall have the same Legacies before given unto her mother to be paid unto One of them within half a yeare after my decease. Item I doe geve and bequeath unto my cosen Richard Norton Esquier One cupp of silver percell guilte. Item I geve unto my very loving cosen master Richard Eruley Esquier my best silver salte guilded. Item I geve and bequeath unto my brother in lawe Willyam Willascott esquire Thirtie shillings in gould to make him a ringe. And if he shalbe deade at my decease then I will the same Thirtie shillings for that purpose unto my nephew Roger Willascott. Item I will and bequeath unto my nephew Will'm Willascott gentleman One flatt bole of silver percell guilte. Item I geve unto my very good father and loving frend master John Whitt esquire a ringe of gould worth Fortie shillings or ellce Fortie shillings in gould to make him a ringe. Item I geve and bequeath unto misteris Francis Whitt the wife of the said master John Whitt one portague of gould. Item I geve and bequeath unto Bridgett Whitt daughter of the said master John Whitt and my goddaughter one cup of silver percell guilte. Item I will and bequeath unto the poore people that shalbe present at my funeral to relieve and comfort them Three poundes Six shillings Eighte pence to be distributed unto them by the discretion of my overseers viz to every of them Fowre pence a peece yf it will rise soe or ellce to be disposed as neere to that proportion as it will reach unto. Item my very will and mynde is that Fowre poundes of good and lawfull money shalbe bestowed upon a dynner or banckett upon my frendes the day of my funeral. Item I geve unto my cosen master Thomas Worsley of Appledorecombe in the Isle of Wyghte in the countie of Southampton esquire one gould ringe. Item I geve and bequeath unto John Skinner my old servant Tenne poundes of good and lawfull money of England to be paid unto him within Six monethes next after my decease. Item I geve and bequeath unto Elizabeth Horner my now mayd if she shalbe dwelling with me at the tyme of my decease the some of Fyve poundes of lawfull money of England. Item I will and bequeath unto John Binstead One of my tenanntes at Denmeade of my benevolence towards him in regard I encreased his rent the some of Fyve poundes of

lawfull money to be paid unto him within Six monethes next after my decease. Item I will and bequeath unto John Lenny one of my tenantes at Cossham of my benevolence towards him towards the building of a howse percell of his cobby hould he houldeth of me in Cossham Fyftie shillings to be paid unto him with half a yeare next after my decease if the howse be builded or ellce the same lagacie to be paid unto him within half a yeare after the howse shalbe builded. Item I geve and bequeath unto my nephew Henry Norton gentleman Twenty poundes to be paid unto him within half a yeare next after my decease. Item I will and bequeathe unto Anne Parkins my neece the wife of master Bolney Twenty poundes to be paid unto her within Six monethes next after my decease. Item I will and bequeath unto my nephew Roger Walliscott Tenne poundes to be paid unto him within Six monethes next after my decease. Item I geve and bequeath unto Robert Addames one of the Aldermen of Chichester Fyve poundes in money to buy him a silver boule withal to be paid unto him within six monethes next after my decease. Item I geve and bequeath unto my neece Marye Moory the wife of John Morie of Chidham the younger the some of Fyve poundes if she be alive at my decease and to be paid unto her within six monethes next after my decease. Item I geve and bequeath unto my nephew master Richard Brewning esquire one ring of gould and my crucifix of gould. Item I geve unto my very good frende master George Cotton of Warblington esquire one Ringe of gould. Item my very will and mynde is that there be bestowed upon Clarkes to furnishe my sonne and daughter each of them a gowne and hoode, misteris Francis whit and my cosen misteris Marie Uvedall the wife of master Willyam Uvedall esquire master John whit esquire master Richard Ernley esquire my cosen Richard Brewning esquire and Robert Adams one of the Aldermen of Chichester to every of them a cloake. And also for two gownes for two of my maid servants two coates for my two men servants, for Clarke for the hearse and pulpit and for Tenne gownes for Tenne poore woemen all to be present on the day of my funeral. The whole some to be bestowed upon the said Clarkes to be Fortie Thre poundes, the cloth of the gownes cloakes and hoodes for tenne of the best sort of sixteene shillings the yarde, the cloth for my servants the hearse and the pulpit to be of Tenne shillings the yarde and every gowne of the said tenne poore woemen to be worth sixteene shillings. And my mynde is the Fowre of the poore woemen shalbe of my Allmeswoemen at Cossham and two other poore woemen dwelling within the parish of Wimmeringe and the other to be fowre poore woemen of the parish of Chidham. Item I geve unto Adrian Staughton my godsonne the sonne of master Adrian Stawghton esquier One silver spoone with a guilte Knopp. Item I geve unto Roger Mitchell my godsonne the sonne of Roger Mitchell gentleman one silver spoone with a knopp. Item I geve and bequeath unto my very good frend and loving sonne master Franncis Nevill esquier Fyve poundes in gould to make him a Jewell and One silver boule doble guilded worth Fyve poundes. Item I will unto my cosen master Willyam Uvedall esquier gould to make him a ringe worth Fortie shillings. And I geve also misteris Marie Uvedall my cosen a ringe of gould worth Fortie shillings. And my will is that all theis my legacies guiftes and bequestes above in and by this my will given and bequeathed shalbe levied and paid out of such bondes bills money plate Jewells and goodes and cattells which doe remayne now in my custodie and I constitue and appoynte the said master Francis Nevill my cosen master Willm Uvedall and my cosen master Richard Browning esquiers overseers of this my last will and testament And my very will and mynde is that my said overseers shall have the full and whole execution of this my last will & testament aswell to receyve my debtes and make sale of my goodes for the true and faythfull dischargde of all my legacies guiftes and bequests above by me willed given and bequeathed And also for the dischargde of my funeral chardges and other duties and pyments whatsoever in as full large and ample manner asthough I had named them Executors of this my will most haretely desiring them as I repose a special trust in them so they will have a frendlie care withal the convenient spead that may be to se this my will and testament in all thinges trulie performed which thing being by them accomplished my very will mynde and intente is that all the residue of my goodes which shall remayne after my debtes legacies and all funeral chardges and other chardges in and aboute the due and true execution of this my last will and Testament shalbe by them paid dischargde borne and performed shall wholie and entyrelie remayne unto my loving daughter Christian Brunen the wife of Stephen Brunen gentleman. And I most hartely desire my said Overseers to stand good frendes unto my said daughter that the remainder of my goodes may be trulie restored unto her as my turst is they will. Provided allwayes and my very will mynde and intente is that Stephen Brunen my sonne in Lawe Christia' my daughter nor anie of them shall not intermeddle with anie of my goodes Cattells chattels debtes or moveables whatsoever until all my legacies funeral chardges and other

chardges laid out by my trustie frendes master Francis Nevill my cosen Will'm Uvedall and my cosen Richard Brewning esquiers in and aboute the performance of this my last Will and Testament shalbe contented satisfied and paid according to the entente and true meaninge hereof but that the said master Francis Nevill master Willyam Uvedall and master Richard Brewning shall have the full and whole execution ordering and performance of this my will. And I doe most hartelie desire them to take the paines for me herein as my trust is they will After which legacies and all other thinges being by them paid and dischardged as is aforesaid my mynde is that my said daughter Christian shall have all such goodes money and debts which shall remayne. This to the last will of me Honor Wayte widdowe made and declared the day and yeare before menconed touching the devise disposition and settling of all my mannors messuages Landes tenements rents Revertions services and Hereditaments whatsoever within the Realme of England in manner and forme following. First I geve and devise unto the poore people of the parishe of Wimmeringe in the countie of Southampton the some of Twenty shillinges yearely to be paid out of my mannor of Denmeade in the said countie of Southampton for ever unto the hands of the church wardens and overseers of the poore people of the same parishe yearely at the Two feastes by equall porcons that is to say Eight and Twenty dayes next after the feaste of Sainte Michell and Eighte and Twenty dayes next after the feaste of the annuciacon of the blessed vergin marie in every yeare viz. Tenne shillinges every half yearely payment. And my very will mynde and intente is that the said Churchwardens and overseers of the poore of the same parishe have aspecial care that the same half yearelie relief by me in forme aforesaid given be distributed and disposed unto the aged impotent needie and sicke poore people that are of honest conversacion and behaviour, and not the relief of anie bastardes or such as are lewde livers in anie case. And that the first payment shall begin at the next half yeare feaste next after my decease. Item I will and devise unto the like poore people of the parishe of Chidham in the countie of Sussex to the parish of Southweeke in the county of Southampton and to the parishe of Weekham in the said county to eyther of them the like some of Twenty shillinges yearely for ever to be paid out of my said mannor of Denmeade in the county of Southampton unto the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of the same severall parishes yearely at the two feastes aforesaid or within Eighte and Twentie dayes after eyther of the said Feastes by equall porcons in such manner and forme to all intents as the same is appointed to be disposed and distributed unto the poore of the parishe of Wimmering aforesaid and with like due regard to be had by the said churchwardens and overseers of every of the same parishes that it be given unto such as are of good and honest conversation and behaviour and that have neede to be releved and not to releyve or maynetayne bastardes or anie of lewde behaviour and my very will mynde and intente is that it shall and my be lawfull to my heires or to such person or personnes as shall hereafter enjoy the said mannor of Denmeade after my decease from tyme to tyme at their pleasures to call the churchwardens and overseers of the same severall parishes to accompte to understand and knowe whether the same severall porcones by me given unto every of the said parishes be distributed and disposed to the releife of such well disposed poore people as have neede according to the true meaning of me the said Honor in and by this my last will and Testament willed and appointed and if they shall finde anie abuse in the distribution thereof Then to geve the said churchwardens and overseers of every of the said parishes admonition and warning to have better regarde to distribute and dispose the same in such good sorte as it is by me trulie ment and intended. Item I will bequeath & devise unto the Fowre poore woemen that now are by me appointed to dwell in my allmesse howse at Cossham in the countie of Southampton and to such other Fowre poore people of honest and verteous conversation as shall from tyme to tyme succede them in the same almesse howse the some of Six poundes of good and lawfull money of England yearely for ever that is to say to every of them Thirtie shillinges yearelie for ever to be paid unto them out of my mannor Landes and messuages Rentes services and hereditaments of Denmeade in the county of South' at Two usuall feastes or tearmes of the yeare that is to say at the feaste of Sainte Michaell the arke angle, and the annunciacon of our blessed ladie Sainte mary the vergin or within Eighte and Twentie dayes after eyther of the said feastes by even and equall porcons by the order and direction in that behalf to be trulie observed and performed of such person or persones as I the said Honor Wayte shall nominate and appoynte in by my deede for that purpose to be made under my hand and seale wherein I mynde and intend god willing to declare my mynde at Large. as touching such orders as I purpose to have duelie observed by the said poore people as also what further truste I will comitt unto those personnes whome I mynd to repose a truste unto touching the reformation of

matters amisse which shall happen amongst the poore people of the same howse from tyme to tyme as ovation shall serve for ever. And my mynde and very will is that if the saide yearelie payments of Twentie shillinges or anie of them by me given and bequeathed unto poore people of the said parrishes of Wimmering Chidham Southweeke and Weekham or anie of them or anie part or percell of the same severall somes of Twenty shillinges shalbe behind and unpaid unto the churchwardens and Overseers of the poore of the same severall parishes to the use of the poore people of the same parishes after anie feaste of the feastes of payment in which the same oughte and by theis presents is lymited and appointed to be paid by the space of Eighte and twentie dayes. Or if the said yearelie payments of Six poundes or anie parte or percell thereof shalbe behind and unpaid in anie yeare unto the parte of my allmeshowse at Cossham after anie feaste of the feastes of payment in which the same ought and by this presents is limited and appoynted to be paid according to the entent and true meaning of this my will by the space of Eighte and twentie dayes. That then and at alltymes after it shalbe lawfull unto the churchwardens and overseers of the poore of every of the said parishes or to anie one churchwarden or Overseer of the poore of the same parishes or anie one of the parishes which shalbe unpaid and to the pore people of the said allmeshowse at Cossham or anie one of them or anie one for them and to and for such person or persons or anie one of them as I shall put in trust in and by me said deede for the oversights of my said poore howse and pore people therein into all my said mannor Landes messuages Tenements Rentes services and hereditaments of Denmeade or De'meade aforesaid and into every or anie parte or percell thereof to enter and distraine and the distresse and distresses there so had and founde to leade beare drive and carry awaie and the same in their and either of there owne custodie and possession to with houlde detayne and keepe Irreplegiabie until the same severall porcons eyther of the said somes of Twenty shillinges due unto the poore or some of Six poundes given unto the poore people of my said howse of Cossham or somuch thereof as at anie tyme shall happen to be behynde and unpaid and every parte percell of every of the same porcons with the arrerages thereof if anie shall happen to be together with all costs chardges and damagedes in that behalf sustained be unto them and every of them fully satisfied and contented dischardged and trulie paide. Moreover touching the disposition of all my mannors messuages Landes Tenements rentes reversions services and hereditaments whatsoever. I the foresaid Honor Wayte doe by this my last will give bequeath will and devise all my said mannors messuages Lands Tenements Rentes Revertions services and hereditaments with their and every of their appurtenances whatsoever aswell in ye county of Sussex as Southampton as ells where within the Realme of England unto Christian Brunen my daughter now the wife of Steven Brunen gent under codicon notwithstandinge here after in and by this my last will and Testament specially menconed expressed and specified and not otherwise. To have and to houlde the same and every part and percell thereof under the condicon aforesaid unto the said Christian Brunen my daughter for and during her natural life without impeachment or punishment for anie waste by her to be donne or committed at anie tyme and after the decease of my said daughter Christian Then I geve and bequeath and devise all my said mannors messuages Landes Tenements Rents Revertions services and hereditaments whatsoever with all and singular their and every appurtenances under the condicon also hereafter menconed and not otherwise unto the heires of the bodie of the said Xp'ian my daughter lawfully to be begotten. And if it shall happen that the said Christian my daughter doe dye without heires of her bodie lawfully to be begotten. Then I will bequeath give and devise all my said mannors messuages Landes Tenements Rents Revercons services and hereditaments above menconed with their and every of their appurtenances whatsoever under the condicon likewise hereafter menconed and not otherwise unto my nephew Willyam Uvedall esquier and to Marie his wife my neece for by and during their natural lives and the longer liver of them successivelie And after the decease of the said Willm Uvedall and Marie his wife. Then I will bequeath give devise under the condicon also hereafter menconed All my said mannors messuages Landes Tenements Rentes Revercons services and hereditaments with all and every their appurtenances whatsoever unto my cosene Mary Uvedall my goddaughter the daughter of the said Will'm Uvedall and Marie his wief and to the heires males of the bodie of the said Marie Uvedall the daughter lawfully to be begotten. And for defaulte of such issue of the bodie of the said Marie lawfully to be begotten Then my very will and meaning is that all my said mannors messuages Landes tenements Rents Revertions services and hereditaments with their and every of their appurtenances whatsoever shall remayne revertre discend and come wholie unto the right heires of me the said Honor Wayte for ever. Provided allwayes and my very minde will and intent ys that my said sone in Lawe Stephen Brunen and Christian his wief or the said Christian my

daughter if she happen to overlive her said husband or anie of them or the heires of the bodie of the said Christian lawfully to be begotten after the decease of the said christian or anie of them Or the said Willyam Uvedall Mary his wief or eyther of them or the said Marie Uvedall the daughter unto whome the above menconed mannors Landes Messuages Tenementes Rentes Revertions services and hereditaments shall discend and come after the decease of the said Christian my daughter Willm Uvedall and Marie Uvedall the ffather and mother of the said Marie the daughter if the said Christian shall happen to dye without heires of her bodie lawfully begotten or the heires males of the bodie of the said Mary Uvedall the daughter after her decease or anie of them or anie person or persones unto whome by this my will I have willed and devised the said Mannors Messuages Landes Tenements Rentes Revertions services and hereditaments and unto whome the same shall by force and vertue of this my Testament remayne revert descend and come or the heires of their bodies lawfully to be begotten or anie of them shall and doe at anie tyme hereafter contrarie to the true intente and meaninge of this my will after my decease directlie or indirectlie purpose intende practice or goe aboute by anie ways or meanes whatsoever to geve alien bargaine sell her his their or anie of their severall estates rightes and interestes of the said Mannors Messuages Landes Tenements Rentes Revertions services & hereditaments or anie parte or percell thereof or shall and doe intende purpose practize or goe aboute to make anie allienacon feofement or levye anie fine or suffer anie recoverie or recoveries or make anie discontinuance or otherwise allter channge or goe aboute to make voyde anie estate thereof or of anie parte thereof by me in and by this my will settled and appoynted contrary to the true meaning of this my last will and Testament that then and ymediallie from thenceforth after anie such intention purpose practize or goeing aboute to make anie alienation bargaine sale or conveyance of the premises or of anie part or percell thereof at it is aforesaid The estate of every such personne Or levie anie fine or suffer anie recovery or recoveries or to make anie discontinuance or to allter or change anie estate or estates of in or to the premises or of in or to anie parte or percell thereof as is aforesaid. The estate of every such persone or persones so intending purposing practizing or in anie sorte going aboute to bargayn sell alien or convay away his her their or anie of their estates unto them or anie of them devised given and disposed and in and by this my will contrarie the purpose effecte intente and true meaninge of the same. And all the right tytle and interest which he they or anie of them shall have pretende to have, claime challenge or demande in and to the premises or in to every or and to every or anie parte or percell thereof with their and every of their appurtenances shall wholie sease and be mearely and absolutely Frustrate voyde and clearly determined forfeited and avoided to all intents constructions and purposes and that it shall and may be lawfully by force and vertue of this my will to and for every such person or persons to whome the same Mannors Messuages Landes Tenements Rentes Revertions services and hereditaments should have remained Reverted descended and come to enter and enjoy the premises and every part and percell thereof with their and every appurtenances in as Large ample and beneficiall manner to all intents as if every such person or persones so intending purposing practizinge or going aboute to alien, bargaine sell and convay the premises or anie parte or percell thereof contrarie to the true meaning of this my will were naturally deade. And that by force and vertue of this my will every person which shall have right to enter by reason of anie offence done and forfeiture made by the partie or parties in forme above menconed shall stand and be seised of and in all my said Mannors Messuages Landes Tenements and Hereditaments and every parte and percell thence with their and every of their appurtenances as fully wholie and amplie as by anie Lawe meanes devise conveyance or assurance can be made devised or in anie wise intended anie limitacon of estate devise guift or other matter or thinge in this my last will above menconed specified limited appoynted or devised to the contrary in anie wise notwithstanding. In witness whereof I the said Honor Wayte to this my present last will and testament contained in sixteene sheetes of paper being all filed together and with my name wrytten with my owne hand being subscribed to every sheete of the same sixteene sheetes with my seale also affixed to the same sixteene sheetes in the top of the same sheetes with a labell being all sealed fast together doe the day and yeare above wrytten acknowledge the same to be my very true last will in the presence of theis whose names are under wrytten . Honor Wayte, Roberte Addams, Anthonie Hobson his marke, Elizabeth Horner her marke.

The will was proved at the Prerogative Court of Canterbury before the Venerable John Gibson, Doctor of Law on 2nd December 1600