

## 1854 Will of Richard Jackman

No 24. For the Stamp Office (9<sup>th</sup> February 1854)

Copy of the Will of Richard Jackman late of Fursdon in the Parish of Bratton Clovelly in the County of Devon Yeoman deceased

One of the Executors John Jackman of the Parish of Bratton Clovelly aforesaid Yeoman

Proved in the Archdeacon's Court of Totnes the 31<sup>st</sup> day of January 1854.

Effects Sworn under £300.

Geo. Farwell Dy Regr

No. 1. For Executors.

Appeared personally John Jackman of Bratton Clovelly in the County of Devon and Archdeaconry of Totnes Yeoman One of the Executors named in the last Will and Testament of Richard Jackman late of Fursdon in the Parish of Bratton Clovelly aforesaid Yeoman deceased who died on the Twelfth Day of July 1853 and made Oath that he has made diligent search and due enquiry after, and in respect of the Personal Estate and Effects of the said deceased, in order to ascertain the full amount and value thereof; and that to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief, the whole of the Goods, Chattels, and Credits, of which the said deceased died possessed within the Archdeaconry of Totnes, in the Province of Canterbury, (exclusive of what the deceased may have been possessed of, or entitled to as a Trustee for any other Person or Persons, and not beneficially, but including the Leasehold Estates for years of the deceased, whether absolute or determinable on Lives, and without deducting any thing on account of the Debts due and owing from the deceased,) are under the value of Three hundred Pounds, to the best of this Deponents knowledge, information, and belief. [signed] John Jackman

Sworn on the Thirty first Day of January 1854 before me [signed] Samuel Fedd[?] Surrogate

This is the last Will and Testament of me Richard Jackman of Fursdon in the Parish of Bratton Clovelly in the County of Devon Yeoman.

I Give and bequeath unto my Brother William Jackman the Sum of Fifty Pounds of lawful Sterling Money to be paid to him by my Executor hereinafter named within twelve Calendar Months next after my decease

I Give and bequeath unto each and every of my four Sisters Susanna, the Wife of William Stanbury, Grace, the Wife of John Hatch, Joanna, the Wife of Stephen Voaden, and Mary, the Wife of Robert Northcott, the Sum of Ten Pounds of lawful Sterling Money to be paid them respectively by my Executors hereinafter named within twelve Calendar Months next after my decease

And as to for and concerning All my Cattle Goods Chattels Money and Effects and Real and Personal Estate whatsoever and weresoever I Give devise and bequeath the same, Subject nevertheless to the Payment thereof of the aforesaid Several and respective Legacies given by this my Will unto

and equally between my two Brothers John Jackman and Roger Jackman their Heirs Executors and Administrators according to the Nature thereof Share and Share alike

And I appoint the said John Jackman and Roger Jackman joint Executors of this my Will and revoke all other Wills by me at any time heretofore made.

Dated this seventh day of June One thousand Eight hundred and fifty three. [signed] Richard Jackman

This Will was signed by the said Richard Jackman as and to be his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence have subscribed our Names as Witnesses [signed] Sally Cory Henry Churchward

The above Writing contains a true Copy of the original Will of Richard Jackman late of Fursdon in the Parish of Bratton Clovelly in the County of Devon Yeoman deceased the same having been carefully examined therewith by us. [signed] Wm Giles M. H. Laskey Clerks to Geo. Farwell Dy Regr Totnes

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