Last Will & Testament of Thomas Newbery Proved 1820

This is the last Will and Testament of me Thomas Newbery of Reading in the County of Berks Esquire ffirst I direct all my debts ffunerall and testamentary expences to be paid and satisfied by my Executor hereinafter named I give and bequeath unto my Wife Martha Ann Newbery and her assigns during her life one annuity yearly rent or sum of one hundred pounds the same to be paid and payable by four quarterly payments on the four most usual days of payment in the year (that is to say)Lady day Midsummer day Michaelmas day and Christmas day the first quarterly payment thereof to begin and be made on such of the said days of payment as shall first and next happen after my decease I also give and bequeath unto my said Wife for and during the term of her natural life the use of all my Goods and furniture plate linen china and other household Effects in and about the messuage or tenement and premises in which I now reside and I direct that what I have by this my Will given to my said Wife shall be considered as a farther provision for her over and above the provision made for her by a Settlement previous to our Marriage and my will is and I do hereby request that an inventory of my said Goods and furniture plate linen china and other household effects so given to my said Wife for her life as aforesaid be made and taken as soon as conveniently can be after my decease and that Duplicates thereof may be made and signed by my said Wife and my Son Thomas Newbery and that one part of such Duplicates may be made & retained by each of them in order that the said goods chattles and effects may be the better known at the time of my said Wife's decease and as to all my real Estate and all my personal Effects whatsoever and wheresoever (subject to the beguests hereinbefore contained for the benefit of my Wife) I give devise and bequeath the same unto my Son Thomas Newbery his heirs executors administrators and assigns and I appoint him my said son Executor of this my Will In Witness whereof I the said Thomas Newbery the testator have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty fourth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eleven T Newbery

(Attestation Clause)

Wm Saunders Thos Smith Richd Pearson

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