

Will of Cecilia Montgomery née Markham (1792-1879)

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This is the last Will and Testament of me Cecilia Montgomery¹ Widow of The Reverend George Augustus Montgomery² late of Bishopstone Wilts deceased of which I appoint my Sister Sarah Markham³ and my Niece Isabella Henrietta Maria Chadwick⁴ to be the Executors

I give all my jewels plate and plated articles household furniture books pictures prints china glass linen wine liquors fuel housekeeping stores and provisions and other moveable effects of the like nature unto the said Isabella Henrietta Maria Chadwick for her absolute use

And I give to the said Sarah Markham and Isabella Henrietta Maria Chadwick their executors administrators and assigns the sum of £1000 Upon trust to invest the same in their names in the public stocks or funds of Great Britain or at interest upon the debentures or preferences shares of any Railway Company in Great Britain established by Act of Parliament and whose Railway shall have been made and brought into actual operation or in any Government or real security in England or Wales with power to vary the same for other investments of the like nature whenever they shall deem it necessary or expedient so to do

And upon further trust during the life of my late husband's Sister Elizabeth Gibbon⁵ (Widow of Arthur Gibbon⁶ Esquire) to pay the income and annual produce of all such investments to the said Elizabeth Gibbon during her life for her sole and separate use independently of the debts control or engagements of any husband and for which her

¹ Celia Montgomery née Markham (1792-1879), the Testatrix, daughter of Elizabeth Evelyn née Sutton (1771-1856) and the Very Rev George Markham (1763-1822), husband of the Rev George Augustus Montgomery (1793-1842).

² Rev George Augustus Montgomery (1793-1842), husband of the Testatrix, son of Susan née Maltass (1770-1851) and Augustus Retnuh Reebkomp aka Augustus Montgomery (1762-1797).

³ Sarah Markham (1802-1884), sister of the Testatrix, daughter of Elizabeth Evelyn née Sutton (1771-1856) and the Very Rev George Markham (1763-1822), never married.

⁴ Isabella Henrietta Maria Chadwick (1826-1878), niece of the Testatrix, daughter of Anne Isabella née Markham (1795-1870) and Major James Chadwick (1790-1859), never married.

⁵ Elizabeth née Montgomery (1796-1870), sister in law of the Testatrix, daughter of Susan née Maltass (1770-1851) and Augustus Retnuh Reebkomp aka Augustus Montgomery (1762-1797), wife of Arthur Gibbon (1780-1861).

⁶ Arthur Gibbon (1780-1861), son of Barbara née Yeats (1749-1791) and Robert Gibbon (1738-1831), husband of Elizabeth née Montgomery (1796-1870), sister in law to the Testatrix..

receipt or receipts alone shall from time to time (notwithstanding coverture) be a sufficient discharge

And subject as aforesaid I give and bequeath the said sum of £1000 or the stocks funds and securities on which the same may be invested unto Arthur Augustus Gibbon⁷ (Son of the said Arthur and Elizabeth Gibbon) for his absolute use and benefit and in addition thereto I give to the said Arthur Augustus Gibbon an immediate legacy of £1000

And I give to Margaret Stentysch⁸ (Widow of Baron Stentysch and one of the daughters of the said Arthur and Elizabeth Gibbon) a legacy of £1000

And I give to the surviving Son⁹ of Georgiana de Roëdur¹⁰ deceased (the late Wife of Baron de Roëdur and another daughter of the said Arthur and Elizabeth Gibbon) a legacy of £500

And I give to William Gibbon¹¹ (formerly an Officer in the Austrian Army) a legacy of £2000

And I give the following further legacies that is to say

To Miss Mary Frances Cole (Daughter of the late Thomas Cummins Cole) £500

To Louisa Bentinck formerly Louisa Burnaby of Baggrave Hall in the County of Leicester £30

To Miss Louisa Goodenough of Heath near Wakefield £100

⁷ Arthur Augustus Gibbon (1829-1907), nephew of the Testatrix' husband, son of Elizabeth née Montgomery (1796-1870) and Arthur Gibbon (1780-1861), husband of Mary Isabella Elizabeth née Kerr (1838-1900).

⁸ Margaret de Stentzsch née Gibbon (1818-1911), niece of the Testatrix' husband, daughter of Elizabeth née Montgomery (1796-1870) and Arthur Gibbon (1780-1861), wife of Baron Charles de Stentzsch.

⁹ Philipp Montgomery Arthur Carl Ferdinand Roeder von Diersburg (c1849-1897), son of Georgina Montgomery Roeder von Diersburg née Gibbon (1823-1850) and Adolph Felix Ferdinand von Roeder (1818-1887) Baron Roeder de Diersburg, husband of Anna née Martenstein

¹⁰ Georgina Montgomery Roeder von Diersburg née Gibbon (1823-1850), niece of the Testatrix' husband, son of Elizabeth née Montgomery (1796-1870) and Arthur Gibbon (1780-1861), wife of Adolph Felix Ferdinand von Roeder (1818-1887) Baron Roeder de Diersburg.

¹¹ William Henry Gibbon (1832-1894), nephew of the Testatrix' husband, son of Elizabeth née Montgomery (1796-1870) and Arthur Gibbon (1780-1861), husband of (i) Flora Elizabeth Francisca née Fogolari (1832-?) and (ii) Sarah Elizabeth née van Niekerk (1849-1930).

To my Nieces Josephine Chadwick¹² Margaret Chadwick¹³ and Alicia Chadwick¹⁴ each £1000

To my Niece Ellen Hayton¹⁵ Wife of the Reverend George Hayton¹⁶ Rector of Niton for her separate use for which her receipt shall be a good discharge £1000

To my Nephew Richard Augustus Chadwick¹⁷ £1000

To my Nephew Edward Chadwick¹⁸ £1000

To my Great Nephew Lieutenant George Rufane Donkin¹⁹ R. N. £1000

To my Great Niece Elizabeth²⁰ Wife of Mr Purefoy Bateman²¹ for her separate use and for which her receipt shall be a good discharge £600

To my Great Niece Cecilia²² Wife of Mr Tyrrell²³ for her separate use and for which her receipt shall be a good discharge £800

¹² Josephine Adelaide Chadwick (1830-1921), niece of the Testatrix, daughter of Anne Isabella née Markham (1795-1870) and Major James Chadwick (1790-1859), never married.

¹³ Margaret Emma Sheppard née Chadwick, niece of the Testatrix, daughter of Anne Isabella née Markham (1795-1870) and Major James Chadwick (1790-1859), wife of Philip Sheppard (1839-1895).

¹⁴ Alicia Rebecca Chadwick (1836-1921), niece of the Testatrix, daughter of Anne Isabella née Markham (1795-1870) and Major James Chadwick (1790-1859), wife of Rev William Moyle Rogers (1836-1920).

¹⁵ Ellen Louisa Hayton née Chadwick (1837-1899), niece of the Testatrix, daughter of Anne Isabella née Markham (1795-1870) and Major James Chadwick (1790-1859), wife of Rev George Hayton (1831-1926).

¹⁶ Rev George Hayton (c1831-1926), husband of niece of the Testatrix, son of Mary ____ (1801-?) and Joseph Hayton (1797-?), husband of Ellen Louisa Hayton née Chadwick (1837-1899).

¹⁷ Major Richard Augustus Chadwick (1832-1872), nephew of the Testatrix, son of Anne Isabella née Markham (1795-1870) and Major James Chadwick (1790-1859), husband of Rachel née Broderick (1842-1884).

¹⁸ Colonel Edward Frederick Chadwick (1829-1915), nephew of the Testatrix, son of Anne Isabella née Markham (1795-1870) and Major James Chadwick (1790-1859), husband of Amy née Torkington (1855-1929).

¹⁹ George Rufane Donkin (1841-1870), great nephew of the Testatrix, son of Caroline née West (1817-1877) and George David Donkin (1817-1857), never married.

²⁰ Elizabeth Mary Bateman née Donkin (1842-1922), great niece of the Testatrix, daughter of Caroline née West (1817-1877) and George David Donkin (1817-1857), wife of (i) Purefoy Lum Bateman (1821-1873) and (ii) Nathaniel Mayne (1844-1927).

²¹ Purefoy Lum Bateman (c1821-1873), husband of great niece of the Testatrix, son of Frances née Lum (?-1864) and John Bateman (?-1821), husband of Elizabeth Mary née Donkin (1842-1922).

²² Cecilia Louise Tyrell née Donkin (1845-1895), great niece of the Testatrix, daughter of Caroline née West (1817-1877) and George David Donkin (1817-1857), wife of William St Lawrence Tyrell.

²³ William St Lawrence Tyrell (c1832-1885), husband of great niece of the Testatrix, son of Isabella Louisa née rotter (1805-1848) and Rev Gerald Wensley Tyrell (1807-1884), husband of Cecilia Louise Tyrell née Donkin (1845-1895).

To my Great Nieces Frederica Donkin²⁴ and Fanny Donkin²⁵ and my Great Nephews Edward Donkin²⁶ and Arthur Donkin²⁷ each £500

To my Sister in law Mrs Edward Markham²⁸ £500

To Ellen Harris²⁹ Widow of my Nephew George Harris³⁰ £500

To Alfred Jameron³¹ £500

and to the three Sons³² of the said Alfred Jameron and my deceased Niece Louisa Cecilia Jameron³³ each £500 And I declare that the legacy of each one of the said three Sons of the said Alfred Jameron who at the time of my decease may be under the age of 21 years may be paid to the said Alfred Jameron whose receipt shall be a good discharge for the same

And I give to the said Sarah Markham and Isabella Henrietta Maria Chadwick their executors administrators and assigns the further sum of £4000 Upon trust to invest the same in such stocks funds Railway or other securities as aforesaid with the like power to vary the investments from time to time as aforesaid and to stand possessed thereof Upon trust out of the annual income arising therefrom to pay to my Housekeeper Mary

²⁴ Frederica Caroline née Donkin (1846-1895), great niece of the Testatrix, daughter of Caroline née West (1817-1877) and George David Donkin (1817-1857), wife of John Sanders (1843-?).

²⁵ Frances Ellen 'Fanny' née Donkin (1850-1941), great niece of the Testatrix, daughter of Caroline née West (1817-1877) and George David Donkin (1817-1857), wife of Richard I William Chaworth Levinge (1843-1905).

²⁶ Edward Francis Donkin (1849-1910), great nephew of the Testatrix, son of Caroline née West (1817-1877) and George David Donkin (1817-1857), husband of Margaret Russeel née Wilford (1848-1884).

²⁷ Arthur Henry Donkin (1853-?), great nephew of the Testatrix, son of Caroline née West (1817-1877) and George David Donkin (1817-1857).

²⁸ Harriet Markham née Rumsey (1808-1887), sister in law of the Testatrix, daughter of Charlotte née Eagles (1779-1816) and Rev John Rumsey (1779-1821), wife of Edward Markham (1801-1865).

²⁹ Ellen Henriette Harris née Magniac (1837-1887), wife of nephew of the Testatrix, daughter of Elizabeth Frances née Sansom (1809-1876) and Daniel Snaith Magniac (1798-1879), husband of George Harris (1816-1857).

³⁰ George Harris (1816-1857), nephew of the Testatrix, son of Maria née Markham (1794-1851) and Rev Hon Thomas Alfred Harris (1782-1823), Prebendary of York, husband of Ellen Henriette née Magniac (1837-1887).

³¹ Alfred Urbain Jameron (1820-?), husband of niece of Testatrix, son of Aurore née Petit (1793-?) Col Charles Joseph Jameron (1768-1847), husband of Louisa Cecilia Harris (1820-1852).

³² Charles Alfred Jameron (1849-?); Louis George Jameron (1851-1926) husband of Elise née Devanne (1848-?); and Edouard Auguste Jameron (1852-1902).

³³ Louisa Cecilia Harris (1820-1852), niece of the Testatrix, daughter of Maria née Markham (1794-1851) and Rev Hon Thomas Alfred Harris (1782-1823), Prebendary of York, husband of Alfred Urbain Jameron (1820-?).

Owen Widow an annuity of £60 for her life and to my Housemaid Judith Helstone and annuity of £40 during her life such annuities to be paid half yearly on the 10th day of January and the 10th day of July in each year and the first half yearly payments to be made on such of these days as shall happen next after my decease

And subject to the said annuities I direct that the said £4000 and the securities for the same and the income arising therefrom shall be held In trust for my said Niece Isabella Henrietta Maria Chadwick absolutely

I give to the Salisbury Infirmary a legacy of £50

and to the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts a like legacy of £50

And I direct that the two last mentioned legacies be paid out of such part of my personal estate as may by law be applied in payment of legacies for charitable purposes And I declare that the receipts of the respective Treasurers of the said Infirmary and Society shall be sufficient discharges for the legacies given to them respectively

And I give to my Sister Anne Isabella³⁴ Chadwick £4000

And I give to the said Sarah Markham and Isabella Henrietta Maria Chadwick the further sum of £8000 Upon trust to invest the same in such stocks funds Railway or other securities as aforesaid with the like power to vary the investments from time to time as aforesaid and to stand possessed thereof upon the trusts following that is to say

As to £4000 one moiety of the said sum of £8000 and the securities for the same Upon trust during the life of my Sister Henrietta Alicia Markham³⁵ to pay to her the income and annual proceeds thereof for her own use And after her decease to stand possessed of the same moiety and the securities for the same as to one equal half part thereof In trust for the said Edward Chadwick and as to the other equal half part thereof In trust for the said Richard Augustus Chadwick Josephine Chadwick Margaret Chadwick Alicia Chadwick and Ellen Hayton in equal shares the share of the said Ellen Hayton to be for her separate use and her receipt to be a good discharge for the same

And as to £4000 the other moiety of the said sum of £8000 and the securities for the same Upon trust during the life of the said Sarah Markham to pay to or permit her to receive and retain the income and annual proceeds thereof for her own use And after her decease to stand possessed of the same moiety and the securities for the same As to one equal half part thereof In trust for the said George Rufane Donkin and as to the other equal half part thereof In trust for the said Elizabeth Bateman Cecilia Tyrrell Frederica Donkin Fanny Donkin Edward Donkin and Arthur Donkin in equal shares the

³⁴ Anne Isabella née Markham (1795-1870), sister of the Testatrix, daughter of Elizabeth Evelyn née Sutton (1771-1856) and the Very Rev George Markham (1763-1822), wife of Major James Chadwick (1790-1859).

³⁵ Henrietta Alicia Markham (1791-1872), sister of the Testatrix, daughter of Elizabeth Evelyn née Sutton (1771-1856) and the Very Rev George Markham (1763-1822), never married.

shares of the said Elizabeth Bateman and Cecilia Tyrrell respectively to be for their respective separate use and their respective receipts to be good discharges for the same respectively

And I give to each of my Servants living with me at my death who shall have been in my service five years or upwards a legacy of 19 guineas

And I declare and direct that the legacy duty payable in respect of the annuities and legacies as well specific as pecuniary hereby given or which I may give by any Codicil to this my Will shall be borne and paid out of my residuary personal estate

And that as to all the residue and remainder of my personal estate and effects whatsoever and wheresoever after and subject to the payment of my debts funeral and testamentary expenses and legacies I give and bequeath the same unto the said Isabella Henrietta Maria Chadwick her executors administrators and assigns for her and their own use benefit and disposal

And hereby revoking all other Wills I declare this alone to be my Will In Witness whereof I have set my hand at the foot hereof this 14th day of April 1866

Signed as her Will by M^{rs} Cecilia Montgomery in the presence of us both then present together who in her presence and in the presence of each other have at the same time hereto subscribed our names as witnesses attesting the same *Cecilia Montgomery*

R. F. Burnett
18 Carey St London Sol^r

G. R. Clarke
His Clerk

This is a Codicil to the Will of me Cecilia Montgomery Widow of The Reverend George Augustus Montgomery late of Bishopstone Wilts deceased which Will bears date the 14th day of April 1866

Whereas the said George Augustus Montgomery duly made his last Will dated the 13th day of June 1835 and afterwards made a Codicil thereto dated the 14th day of April 1837 which contains among other the words following that is to say "After my Wifes death the interest of £5000 to be paid to my Mother during her life after her death the principal to go as my dear Wife shall direct"

And whereas the said George Augustus Montgomery died on the 1st day of December 1842 and his said Will with the said and another Codicil was duly proved on or about the 25th day of February 1843 in the Prerogative Court of the Archbishop of Canterbury

Now in exercise of the power given to me by the said Codicil as aforesaid and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf I hereby direct that the said sum of £5000 shall go to my Niece Isabella Henrietta Maria Chadwick her executors administrators and assigns for her and their own use benefit and disposal

And I hereby confirm my said Will In Witness whereof I have set my hand at the foot hereof this 20th day of November 1868

Signed as a Codicil to her Will by Mrs Cecilia Montgomery in the presence of us both then present together who in the presence of her and each other have at the same time hereto subscribed our names as witnesses attesting the same *Cecilia Montgomery*

J. Pinkney Banker, Salisbury

C. J. Woodrow Banker's Clerk, Salisbury

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