

On the eleventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty five the Reverend Edward Robert Hanson, Clerk of the Peace and so forth accompanied Administration of said said deceased the goods chattels and credits of Thomas Smith Esquire of Longfield in the County of South Down in the County of the Peace Shopkeeper deceased who died intestate to the John Smith of Newcastle the said County, hereover his sole surviving brother of the said Thomas Smith Esquire in first sworn well and lawfully to administer to the same and so forth. And that the said Goods &c. were worth the value of six hundred pounds.

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The said John Smith and John Charles son of the said Thomas Esquire and John Paulson of Saint Thomas in the Cliff near Newcastle in the said County of South Down respectively have in this behalf in the sum of six hundred pounds.

This is the last Will and Testament of me John Bridge of Buxted in the County of Sussex Farmer being of sound mind disposing thereof. Henry and Understanding provided to God for the same. First I give and devise All that my Copyhold the messuage or tenement buildings some nine Lands several tenements and premises with the appurtenances thereto belonging situate lying and being in Buxted aforesaid and now in the several Occupations of me John Bridge Michael Dadswell and John Smith and which I have surrendered to the use of my Will unto my brother in Law William Wilmshurst of Buxted aforesaid Farmer To have and to hold the said Copyhold Messuage or tenement buildings lands tenements and premises to him my said brother in Law William Wilmshurst his heirs and assigns forever according to the tenor of the Statute of which the same in writing that subject never to be torn with the payment of the sum of one hundred pounds for which the said premises are now mortgaged. And as touching my personal Estate I give and devise thereof as follows (that is to say) First I give and devise the

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