Lyddington Manor History Society

Lewis WOODCOCK the Elder, of Caldecott

Will proved 1829

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- 1 I LEWIS WOODCOCK the Elder of Caldecott in
- 2 the County of Rutland Gentleman do hereby revoke all Wills Codicils and other
- 3 testamentary dispositions by me at any time heretofore made and do publish
- and declare this to be my last Will and testament First I give and bequeath to
- 5 the several persons hereinafter named the several Legacies or sums of Money
- 6 following (that is to say) To my Son Thomas Woodcock of Leicester the sum
- of Ten pounds to my Daughter Catherine Tilley the wife of William Tilley of
- 8 Cottingham in the County of Northampton the sum of Ten pounds to my Son
- 9 John Woodcock of Middleton in the said County of Northampton Yeoman the
- sum of Ten pounds To my son Lewis Woodcock of Caldecott aforesaid Yeoman
- the sum of Ten pounds To my Daughter Maria Sculthorpe Wife of Joseph
- Sculthorpe of Great Easton in the County of Leicester Yeoman the sum of Ten
- pounds to my Son Simons Woodcock of Caldecott aforesaid Yeoman the sum of
- ten pounds to my Son Robert Woodcock of Great Easton aforesaid Miller the
- 15 sum of Ten pounds To my daughter Rhoba the wife of John Ashby of Rothwell
- otherwise Rowell in the said County of Northampton Blacksmith the sum of
- 17 Ten ponds and to my Daughter Sarah Woodcock of Caldecott aforesaid Spinster
- the sum of Ten Pounds All which said several legacies I direct shall be paid to
- the several Legatees respectively within Twelve Calendar months next after my
- 20 decease All that my Copyhold Messuage or Tenement with the Yard Garden and
- 21 homestead outbuildings and Appurtenances thereto adjoining and belonging
- 22 situate and being in Cottingham aforesaid now in the Occupation of
- 23 Thomas Hindley and all other my hereditaments and real Estate whatsoever and
- 24 wheresoever And also my household goods plate linen china and household
- 25 furniture ready money securities for money debts owing to me and all the rest
- 26 residue and remainder of my Personal Estate whatsoever and wheresoever and of
- 27 what nature and kind soever (subject nevertheless to the payment of my just debts
- funeral and testamentary expenses and the charges of proving this my will and to
- 29 the payment of the several Legacies hereby given) I give devise and bequeath unto
- 30 and to the use of my youngest Son William Woodcock of Caldecott aforesaid Baker

- 31 his heirs executors and administrators and assigns for ever according to the nature and
- quality of such real and personal Estates respectively I give devise and bequeath
- to my said Son William Woodcock his heirs executors administrators and assigns
- 34 All the estates vested in me or any Trusts or by way of Mortgage and which I have
- power to dispose of by this my Will with the appurtenances attending to the nature
- and quality of respectively Upon the several Trusts and subject to the equity of
- 37 redemption which at the time of my decease shall be subsisting or capable of
- taking effect But the money secured to me by or upon any such Mortgages shall be
- considered and taken as part of my Personal Estate and I appoint my said Son William
- 40 Woodcock sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof
- I have hereunto set my hand and seal this thirty first day of July in the year of
- Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty eight S Woodcock sen*ior* signed sealed published les[?see]
- and declared by the above named Lewis Woodcock the Testator as and for his
- last Will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence at his request
- and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto
- 46 (videlicet) Henry Shuttleworth Tho[ma]s. Ingram H. Wartnaby Junior
- 47 Attorneys M Harbrough
- PROVED at London 27th June 1829 before the judge by the Oath of
- 49 William Woodcock the Son and Sole Executor to whom Administration was granted
- 50 having been first sworn by Commission duly to Administer

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