

Accession number: 1992-24/39c/p

Description: Two large sheets of paper, both watermarked with a seated Britannia in a cartouche and the initials 'D & J 1820'. Each folded to form four pages, originally forming one document; only 6 of the pages written on. An abstract of the Will of Mrs Garrick. n.d. [See 1992-24/39d/f for a duplicate copy of the will dated 28 January 1819]

Transcript:

f. 1 Abstract of Will of M^{rs} Garrick dated 28 Jan[uary] 1819

Directs to be buried in West[minster]r Abbey near the remains of her Husband

To her Nephew Christopher Garrick gold Snuff Box with Diamonds given to her late Husband by the King of Denmark

To her Husband's Nephew Nathan Egerton Garrick Gold enamelled Snuff box, given by Duke of Parma

M ^{rs} Hannah More	£100	
M ^{rs} Martha More	£100	lapsed
M ^{rs} Nichol	£100	'lapsed' [added in pencil]
M ^{rs} Anne Mighels	£100	
Miss Cautherley	£100	'lapsed' [added in pencil]
M ^{rs} Gerlach	£100	
Tho[mas] Keate Esq[uir]e	£200	'lapsed' [added in pencil]
Coachman S White	£50	
M ^{rs} Messenger	£50	
M ^{rs} Wallis at Hampton	£50	
M ^{rs} Reynolds late Coachman's wife	£20	
M ^{rs} Carpenter late Gardener's wife	£20	
Every Child of M ^r Nathan Garrick living at decease of Testatrix		£100
Theatrical Fund of Drury lane	£200	

St. George's Hospital	£50
Lying in Charity	£50
Indigent Blind	£50

M^{rs} Catherine Payne her Husband's Niece apart from any Husband £1000 Stock 3 p/c

- Given Ex[ecut]ors in trust

M^{rs} Twalling at Hampton £1000 Stock 3 p/c

Rev^d Thomas Rackett £500 Stock 3 p/c

The duties on all legacies by will or any Codicil thereto to be paid out of the residue

Recites Bond of William Duke of Devonshire dated September 1778 and the assignment of the same by Ex[ecut]ors of late Husband dated 28 December 1788 for 6000 & int[erest] – her Ex[ecut]ors to call in principal & interest

f.2 Residue after deducting all expenses to be invested in Austrian Government Securities so as that the interest accrues may be paid to her Niece Eliza de Saar wife of M^r Peter de Saar of Vienna during her life & the principal after her decease to be divided among all the grandchildren of s[ai]d Eliza de Saar then living equally

Appoints s[ai]d Tho[ma]s Rackett & G.F. Beltz Ex[ecut]ors

First Codicil dated 28 Nov[ember] 1821

Christopher Garrick Esq[uir]e & his wife the Silver plate bought when the Testatrix married 22 June 1749, viz.

Tea kettle & lamp

One Coffee Pot

Two ladles for Cream

A Compleat Tea Chest

3 p[ai]rs of Candlesticks

2 doz[en] of dessert knives

2 doz[en] of forks

2 doz[en] of Table spoons

1 doz[en] of dessert spoons

1 soup ladle

2 Salters 2 spoons belonging to them

2 sauce boats & 2 ladles belonging to them

6 wine labels

1 Lemon Squeezer & a Crane

Also to s[ai]d Christopher & his Wife

1 chocolate pot

A plated Candlestick

Also to s[ai]d Christopher Garrick

A Table service of pewter which her late Husband made use of when a Bachelor & which she wishes may always remain with the heads of the family bearing the name of Garrick

Also to s[ai]d Christopher Garrick

The Picture of her late Husband in the Character of Richard the Third purchased by her after his decease

4 Children of Christ[opher] Garrick £ 100 each } £400

Nathan e. Garrick £300

f. 3 Confines the legacies to his Children by the will to such of them as were born at the date of her s[ai]d will

Nathan E. Garrick the Portrait of her late Husband by Zoffany in which he is represented without a wig

Evan Protheroe Esq[uir]e Dolewlim the Gold Repeater which she usually wears

Emma wife of the s[aid] E[van] Protheroe, her Cabinet in the picture room at Hampton with the shells therein & the white breakfast Service thereon

Lady Amherst, ring set with diamonds having King Charles' Oak thereon

Her small gold box used for keeping black sticking plaister

Lady Anson, dejeuner set of Dresden porcelain

Sir W[illia]m Anson – gold antique cameo ring

John Dickinson esq[uir]e gold fruit knife

M^{rs} Anderson, dau[ghter] of Lady Cecilia Johnston gold snuff box & a little marble table given by Lady Lyttleton

M^{rs} Blunt, Silver bread basket

M^{rs} Carr Silver Epergne & a set of breakfast Tea things of blue & gold

Tho[ma]s Carr Esq[uir]e a silver Cup & a silver Porter Pot

Rev^d Thomas Rackett books or prints as he shall choose of the value of £100

G.F. Beltz books as he shall choose of the value of £50

To s[ai]d G.F.B. further legacies of £100 100

To s[ai]d G.F.B. Her silver reading Candlestick for 2 candles & the flat one, with an exting[uishe]r

f.4 M^{rs} Rackett her complete silver Tea Chest containing

Silver boiler

Tea pot Stand

2 coffee pots

A Cream pot

2 Silver boats for sugar

24 Tea Spoons

4 Candlesticks 2 of silver & 2 plated

All in the same case

M^{rs} Dorothea Solly

Little Silver Coffee pot for 2 dishes

Little Silver Cup

All her garnets & Jets for bracelets & the portrait of her Husband in younger years, which is upon one of the bracelets

- Solly Esq[uir]e a gold watch

Archdeacon Poll Vicar of St Martin's in the Fields in support of the Institution for maintenance and educating of poor children of that parish £200

Rev. M^r Archer of Warwick Street Chapel £100

To him in trust for the relief of the Charity Children of that Chapel £100

St. George's Hospital in Addition £50

Indigent Blind Charity in addition £50

Midd[lesex] Hospital £100

Magdalen Asylum £100

Refuge for the Destitute £100

London Orphan Asylum £50

Vicar of the Parish of Hampton in trust to purchase stock & to apply the dividend in the annual purchase of coals to be distributed amongst the poor people of said parish £300

M^{rs} Messenger in addition £50

M^{rs} Wallis in addition £100

M^{rs} Anne Mighells in addition £150

f. 5 M^{rs} Twalling, all body Linen, as Shifts, petticoats, nightgowns, Stockings, White Calico gowns, Night caps, 5 Muslin Handkerchiefs, 2 silk gowns & all the Servants linen at Hampton, as Old Sheets Pillow Cases, Table Cloths, round Towels and rubbers

Footman George (Harris) £50 & one year's wages

Cook Susan Baylis	£50 & one year's wages
Housemaid Clara (Taylor)	£50 & one year's wages
Housemaid Mary at Hampton	£20 & one year's wages
Joseph Neale Gardener 100 but revoked in the Codicil , & orally	£50

Second Codicil dated 15 August 1822

Goddaughter Eva Maria de Saar of Odenburg [?] in Hungary – in addition to whatever she may be entitled to as her share of residue £1000

To be laid out in Austrian Government Securities for her benefit – the interest to be applied for her Education & maintenance during her minority,

- Executors not answerable for her application

To M^{rs} Siddons a pair of Gloves which were Shakespeare's & were presented by one of the family to the late M^r Garrick during the jubilee at Stratford

M ^{rs} Dorothea Solly	100	£100
Miss Helen Beltz [blank]		
f.6 Miss Helen Beltz	£100	
Miss Louisa Beltz	£100	
Cecilia Davies spinster	£50	
M ^r Cautherley of Ludgate Hill	£50	
M ^{rs} Barker her smelling bottle Ornamented with Gold		
George Wiltshire Coachman	£30	
Decent Mourning to all her Servants		

Note: See 1992-24/39d/f for a copy of the will dated 28 January 1819. The final full version as proved at the Prerogative Court of Canterbury is at the National Archive, Kew, PROB11/1662.