

Will of Job Eagleston Mason Middle Barton 27 Sept 1817

to wife Hannah messes cotts tenements in MB in several occupations myself, Thomas Wren, William Boddington the younger, Henry Brock and Samuel Wren and Close of Pasture Land in MB in my own occ
all other real estate to wife Hannah and her heirs for ever
to wife all Household Goods Furniture and other effects in my dwelling House and all my money and securities for money and all my other personal estate (subject to the payment of my debts and testamentary expenses)

Extrix my wife

mark of Job Eaglstone
Thomas Ren
George Fortnam
Wm East

Job died 30 Nov last Hannah sworn before John Faulkner

Probate 8 April 1820

Oxfordshire Archives 259/1/11

Translation from Latin of will of John Eggluston

Jesus have mercy on us

In the name of God Amen in the 1525th year of Our Lord and the 17th year of the reign of King Henry the Eighth on the penultimate day of the month of November I John Eggluston of Estegrenewyche* in the county of Kent diocese of Rochester and also servant of the pantry of the household of the ^{afore}said lord king being whole of mind and sound of memory but sick in body praising God compose constitute ordain and make my present testament containing my last will in this manner First I bequeath my soul to Almighty God the Blessed Virgin Mary and all the saints of His heavenly court and my body to be buried in the church of St. Alphege at Estegrenewyche aforesaid where I am a parishioner before the image of St. Clement in the body of the same church next to the burial place of Cecily[†] lately my wife Likewise I bequeath to the high altar of the same church for my tithes forgotten or negligently withheld for the relief of my conscience 2s. Likewise to the mother church of Rochester aforesaid 4d. Likewise for the lights of the church at Estegrenewyche aforesaid that is to say the light of the Blessed Virgin Mary within the chapel next to the chancel 8d. of the Blessed Mary of Mercy 8d. of St. Clement 8d. of St. Anne 8d. of the Holy Cross 8d. of Saints Christopher and James 8d. Likewise I give & bequeath to John Eggluston the son of James Eggluston[⊗] at the end of the term of his apprenticeship^x four pounds in money and two feather beds and bolsters[⊗] 2 coverings and 4 pairs of linen^x sheets to be delivered to him by the hands of John Champnes of Estegrenewyche aforesaid yeoman The residue of all my goods lands & tenements not above bequeathed and my whole term now to come in the house with appurtenances in which I dwell I give & bequeath to John Eggluston my son & Elizabeth his wife their executors and assigns for ever with the proviso however that if the aforesaid John Eggluston my nephew that is to say the son of my brother[‡] die before the time aforesaid before he come beyond the end of his apprenticeship[^] that thenceforward I will that all those things

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name not here given

Translation from Latin of will of John Eggluston (contd. - 2)

above bequeathed to him be used and disposed ining one
suitable priest to celebrate & pray in the church of St. Alphego
at Estegrenewych aforesaid for the salvation of my soul [and of the
souls of] * Thomas Hawkyns & Alice his wife*
Cecily my wife my parents friends and benefactors and
all the faithful deceased so long as the aforementioned things
extend in value at the discretion of the same John Champnes or
his executors And John Eggluston my son I constitute ordain &
make my sole executor that he may dispose for the salvation of my
soul as seems best to him to be pleasing to God Supervisor [to
be] John Champnes abovesaid & I give to him for his labour^{doing or acting} in the
abovementioned things 13s. 4d. in money And Thomas Furneux other-
wise called Hall the other supervisor to whom I give & bequeath
for his labour in doing the abovementioned things 10s.

Witnesses Hugh Stephynson writer of the present testament & will
Sir^o John Bonson chaplain Thomas Smyth parish^t clerk of the afore-
said town Thomas Tyce & others called to the promises on the day
year & in the place at which above &c

My codicil annexed of my present testament & will is that my
gold ring in English called an hope now in the keeping of William
Busshe servant of the pantry of the lord king aforesaid be
delivered to John Eggluston my son aforesaid when it shall be
sought by my said son &c

On corse:

Will of John Eglestone

..... (illeg.)

(and in later writing):

d. Nov. 1525

p? Feb

Reg^d 18. - VIII

Ex 1556

also: Eglestone and: ? for the business & ?

* these words interlined in the will without omission mark
o from dominus which can also have meaning of lord; also used as
courtesy title for cleric without degree
t clerk can be in the sense of cleric or otherwise; parochialis
might have been expected here - parochianus can mean diocesan.
* or Cecilia

James Dns 1623 Anno Regni J^o Jacobi 2^o Scotiae, 16 die mensis Junij 12
 In the name of God Amen I William Egleston of Enniscam in the county of
 Duberidge being sicke in Bede but in good and profite Memorie thinke to
 doe make my last will and Testament in manner and forme followinge first
 I bequeathe my soule into the hands of the almighty God is my maker saviour
 and redemer bye whose death and passion I hope to be saved And my Body
 to be buried in the Church yeards of the parische of St Leonard in Enniscam
 aforesaid upon it shall please God to call me In whiche I give to the mother
 church in the town of give and bequeathe unto the Mayne church of the parische
 church of St Leonard in Enniscam the sum of five poundes and six pence
 of the parische of St Leonard in Enniscam the sum of five poundes and six pence
 unto Richard Egleston my eldest sone the sum of five poundes and six pence
 unto John Egleston my scond sone some three poundes of currant money of
 Englande to be payed wth in one year after the death and funerall of me the
 said William Egleston and Marye my wife the sum of five poundes and six pence
 unto William Egleston my third sone some three poundes six shillings and six pence
 p^{er} ann^o of like currant money of Englande to be payed in manner & forme
 aforesaid of either of my sones doe die an married my will is that his part
 shall remaine to the other and if they both die an married or contracted then my
 will is that portions shall remaine unto my sones Richard and John
 to be divided betwene them All my goods and chattels moveable and immoveable
 wth I have or of right ought to have I give and bequeathe unto Richard
 Egleston my eldest sone wth in my last will and Testament in full

of or part of the same towards me & my heirs
unto John Eggleston my eldest son some 20 a pound of gold and bequeathed
unto John Eggleston my second son some two pounds of currant money of
England to be payed within one year after the death and funeral of me the
said William Eggleston and Mary my wife Item I give and bequeath
unto William Eggleston my third son some five shillings and six pence
of like currant money of England to be payed in manner & form
aforesaid of either of my sons do die unmarried my will is that his part
shall remaine to the other and if they both die unmarried or contracted then my
will is that portions shall remaine unto my son Richard and his heirs
to be divided between them All my goods and chattels moveable and immoveable
with all such or of right ought to have I give and bequeath unto Richard
Eggleston my eldest son my last will and testament in full
and sole executor paym^{ts} and perform^{ts} of my last will and testament funeral
and all other charges that an executor ought to do pay and perform and for
the better perform^{ts} of this my last will and testament I make my good
knight William Bolton and William Parrot overseers of this my last
will and testament who by do now have all former wills & gifts what
soever and towards them payed I give to either of them five pence a piece
In witness whereof I have wrote these my last will and testament the day and
year above written

I sealed and delivered in the presence of
me Thomas Bennett of Mablethorpe

Wm Eggleston



and all other charges that an executor ought to doe paye and performe and for
 the better performance of this my last will and testament I make my good
 neighbours William Bolton and William Parson overseers of this my last
 will and testament utterly disallowing all former wills & gifts made
 before and towards them payed if any of them first, second or third
 in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20th day of
 June about 1624

Wm Bolton
 Wm Parson

I sealed and delivered in the presence of
 Wm Bolton & Wm Parson



Probatum apud London 29 die mensis Maij Anno Domini 1624 coram nobis Ernesto Surrogo vobisabilis viri mtri
 Jusepho Episcopo Legum Doctoris & ceteris in xpo fratribus et Dni Dni Joannis episcopi Dia Episcopi
 vicarij et commissarij facti et esse p se adio ex lictis Ego Episcopus filio nati et deditur
 in dno testis vocatis in forma iuris rixate saluo ex

Will of William Eggleston Eynsham Labourer 12 June 1623

Year 1623 Year of Reign etc 21, Scotland 56, 12th day of June
 In the name of God Amen I William Eggleston of Ensham in the countye of O[xon]
 Laberer being sicke in bodye but in good and pfitte memorye thanks be to God
 doe make my last will and Testament in maner and Forme folowinge First
 I bequeathe my Soule into the handes of the Almightye how [who?] is my maker saviour
 and redemer bye whose death and passion I hope to be saved And my bodye
 to be buried in the Churche yearde of the parish of St Leonards in Ensham
 aforesaid when it shall please God to call me Imprimis I give to the mother
 churche ii d Item I give and bequeathe unto the Maynetenannce of the parish
 church of St Leonards in Ensham vi d Item I give and bequeathe to the poor
 of the parish of St Leonards in Ensham xii d Item I give and bequeathe unto
 Richard Eggleston my eldest sonne [*] Item I give and bequeathe
 unto John Eggleston my seconde sonne three poundes of currannte moneye of
 Englande to be payed within one yere after the deaths and Funeralls of me the
 said Willyam Eggleston and Marye my wife Item I give and bequeathe
 unto Willyam Eggleston my third sonne three pounds six shillinges and eight
 pence of like currante money of Englande to be paied in maner & forme
 aforesaide if either of my sonnes do dye un married my will is that his portion
 shall remayne to the other and if they both dye un married or contracted then my
 will is those portions shall remayne unto my sonne Richard chyldren equally
 to be devided betweene them All my goodes and Chattels moveable and unmove
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 Eggleston my eldest sonne whom by this my last will and Testamente I make my full
 and sole executor payinge and pformynge my debts[?] [??] funerall
 and all other charges that an executor ought to doe paye and pforme and for
 the better pformynge of this my last will and Testamente I make my good
 Neyghbours Willyam Bolton and William [?] overseers of this my laste
 will and Testamente utterly denoucinge all former wills [eg. 16?]] what
 soever and toward their paynes I give to either of them sixe pence a peace
 In witness whereof I have hereto sette my hand and Sealle the daye and
 yere above writtyn

William Eggleston Sen
 mark

Sealed and delivered in the prsence of

Thomas ^eBonnett and Mathew Crostake [?]
 mark

Probate 29 May 1624, Richard Egglestone son

* squiggles put so that no amount could wrongfully be inserted

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WILLIAM EGLESTON

1624

An inventory of the good & chattels of Mr. Eggleston late of Suffolk deceased
 taken & presented by his wife's names are here under written by
 this 20th day of May do. 1624

Item one Subbord in the hall	—	vjs
Item one old rubbord in the hall	—	vij
Item one table & forms in the hall	—	viii
Item one chair & frame	—	viii
Item one horse bedstead	—	vii
Item one pot & hangings	—	vii
Item one chamber one little chest 3 dishes 5 spoons	—	vii
Item one chest & one chamber	—	vii
Item one saltcellar	—	vii
Item one doorknob	—	vii
Item one blanket	—	vii
Item one ...	—	vii

How one Corcellett 2	ij
How one blaubott 2	ij
How one Dable skate 2	ij
How two pillowbers 2	ij
How two pairs of soapen pusses 2	ij
How one fugg pot 2	ij
How one Corde 3 payls 2	ij
How two drink bursolls 2	ij
How one Dremm 2	ij
How one spale 3 a mattshe 2	ij
How one Droyus pot 3 a bowls 2	ij
How ij Deyte 2	ij
How ij playne bedfords 2	ij
How ij pillows 2 3 a bouster 2	ij
How wearinge apperrell 2	ij
How wearinge Linen 2	ij
How one kiffe yearlinge bullocks 2	ij
How one mare 3 roll 2	ij
How 3 bottles 2	ij
How for 1 cow 3 a calf of rosm 2	ij
How sold pusses 2	ij

prepared by:
John Charles

the Grand Infirmary Coude Edward Coude / Emma 14 5 to 9 6

An Inventorie of the goods & chattles of Wm Eggleston late of Ensham deceased
 taken & praysed by us whose names are here under written
 this 30th day of May Ao dni 1624

		s	d
Item one cubbord in the hall	vis	6	
Item one old cubbord in the hall	xiid		12
Item one table & forme in the hall	xviid		18
Item one chaire & forme	vid		6
Item three bottles	vis	6	
Item one pott & hangells [?]	iis vid	2	6
Item one skimer one little possnett 3 dishes 5 spoones	xiid		12
Item one spit & one andiron	xiid		12
Item one saltcellar	iid		2
Item one coverledd	iis vid	2	6
Item one blankett	xiid		12
Item one table cloath	viiid		8
Item two pillowbers	xiid		12
Item two paire of hempen sheets	iiis iiiid	3	4
Item one jugg pott	iiid		3
Item one Cowle & paile	vid		6
Item two drinke barrells	iis	2	
Item one churne	vid		6
Item one spade & a mattocke	xviid		18
Item one Creyme? pott & a bowle	iiid		4
Item two Chests	iis	2	
Item two playne bedsteeds	iiiiis	4	
Item two pillows & a boulster	iisvid	2	6
Item wearinge apparrell	xiis	12	
Item wearinge Linnen	iiis iiiid	3	4
Item one yearlinge bulloke	xs	10	
Item one mare & colt	xxs	20	
Item 3 bottles	xiid		12
Item fo [??] acre[??] and a half of corne	xxs	20	
Item old [??] tythes syt es	xiid		12
Total 5li 9s		£5 9s	1d [?]

Praysed by John Charles [??] the mark of

[??]

Justinian Goode [?], Edward Goode

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