

Probate for the will of Mary Jordan of Burford - Written in 1755 proved in 1756

Transcription

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Summary

Will

Mary JORDAN of Burford in the County of Oxford Widow
Great Nephew Henry TASH and heirs – the Bull Inn, Charlbury (Copyhold of Inheritance), defaulting in turn to Great Nephew William TASH then Niece Ann GRIFFITHS
Great Nephew William TASH and heirs – Messuage and Tenement in Sheep Street, Burford, defaulting in turn to Great Nephew Henry TASH and then Niece Ann GRIFFITHS
£250 to establish a trust (administered by John HOWELL of Lincoln's Inn, London, Gentleman and David LEA of Burford in the County of Oxford Apothecary)
The increase to be used for the use of Niece Ann GRIFFITHS until she is 21 when the capital was to be handed over to her, by default the principal was to be divided between the Great Nephews, Henry TASH and William TASH
Niece Ann GRIFFITHS – various personal effects and household items
£150 to establish a trust (again administered by John HOWELL and David LEA), the interest to be used towards the education and maintenance of Great Nephew Henry TASH who was then to receive the principal at age 21. This to discharge the £20 given to Henry by Mary's late sister WARREN. The default being that the money go to William TASH
£150 to establish a trust (again administered by John HOWELL and David LEA), the interest to be used towards the education and maintenance of Great Nephew William TASH who was then to receive the principal at age 21. The default being that the money go to Henry TASH
To Niece Ann TASH (Widow of Thomas TASH) - £10
To John HOWILL[sic] and his wife - £15 a piece
To William DEER and Sarah his Wife - £5 each
To Niece Sarah ASTON - £10
To Niece Sarah ASTON late the wife of John ASTON deceased - £5
To Nephew Thomas ASTON - £30

To Nephew James PAITFIELD - £10
 To Niece Sarah the Wife of John GODFREY - £30 (by default to her children equally divided), several personal and household effects
 Niece Susanna the wife of Charles MILLS - £30 (by default to her children equally divided)
 Reverend Mr Christopher SHUTE and his wife – one Guinea each for a ring
 Christopher SHUTE (son of the above Christopher) and his wife - £10
 Ann the wife of Mr John LENTHALL – her best diamond ring
 Son in law John JORDAN Gentleman – one Guinea for a ring
 George DEACON and his sister Sarah DEACON - £5
 Thomas DEACON of Faringdon - £5
 Mary the Wife of William PAGETT - £5
 Mary the Wife of John A[VER or RE*]Y - £5
 Elizabeth the Wife of John SMITH - £3 (default to her eldest daughter)
 William TAYLOR Son of William TAYLOR late of Taynton deceased - £3
 Mary MORGAN of Lidney in Gloucestershire - £10 (by default to her children equally divided)
 40/- to each of

- Elizabeth LARDNER of Barrington
- Thomas DAY of Burford
- My Maid Servant that shall live with me till my Death
- Sarah the wife of Henry TIT***BT
- Sarah the wife of William COOK

To the Vicar of Burford – one Guinea to preach funeral sermon
 To the poor of Burford - £5 in bread
 One Guinea Value to each of

- Mary the wife of James TAYLOR
- Nephew William TASH
- Charlotte TASH sister of her Nephew William TASH
- Thomas TASH and his Wife
- Mr JACKSON and his Wife
- Mrs MITCHELL
- Mr GILLIARD and his wife
- Mrs Mary SIMMONS and her Two Daughters
- Robert OVERBURY
- Simon BADGER Junior

Henry TASH, personal effects and household objects including Six Silver Spoons with the Family Coat of Arms
 William TASH, personal effects and household objects
 Wearing apparel to be divided at Executor's discretion
 To David LEA - £5 for his trouble
 Rest & Residue shared between the Trusts for Henry TASH and William TASH

Codicil

There is a lengthy codicil necessitated by the death of Great Nephew William TASH and whereby the trusts are revised. The codicil doesn't mention anybody additional except the witnesses.

Executors: John HOWELL, David LEA

Witnessed:

- Will - J ROGERS, William HULLS, Jn THORNTON
- Codacil - J ROGERS, Rich'd LEA, Elizabeth BUTLER

Signed - 31 Mar 1755, with a codicil signed 18 Dec 1755

Proved - 19 Jun 1756

Text

In the name of God Amen...

I **Mary Jordan** of **Burford in the County of Oxford** Widow being of perfect and Disposing mind and memory thanks be to Good[sic] Do make my last will and testament in manner following First I commend my Soul to God hoping to be Saved through the merits of my Lord and Saviour Jesus ~ Christ and my Body I Commit to the Earth to be decently buried at the Discretion of my Executors herinafter named And as for my Worldly Estate (my Debts if any there shall be and ffuneral Expenses being first paid) I dispose thereof as followeth Imprimis I give Devise and appoint unto my ~
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Great Nephew Henry Tash all that Messuage or Tenement Situate and being in **Charlbury in the county of Oxford**, commonly called~ **the Bull Inn** together with all the Stables Edifices Buildings ~ Lands Courts yards Gardens and Appertenances thereunto ~ belonging and all other of my Lands Tenements and Heriditaments in **Charlbury** aforesaid (which said Messuage and premesis are Copyhold of Inheritance and have been by me Surrendered to the use of my last Will and Testament To hold unto the said **Henry Tash** and the heirs of his Body lawfully to be begotten and for Default of such Issue I Give and Appoint the same messuage and premises unto my **Great Nephew William Tash**~ To hold the same unto the said **William Tash** and the heirs~ of his Body Lawfully to be begotten and in Default of such Issue I Give and Appoint the same Messuge and premises unto my **Niece Ann Griffiths** her heirs and Assignes for ever. Item I Give and Devise unto my said **Great Nephew William Tash** All~ that my Messuage and Tenement Situate and being in Burford~ in a Street there called Sheep Street together with all Outhouses Edifices Buildings Lands Courts yards Gardens and Appurtenances thereunto belonging To hold unto the said **William Tash** and the Heirs of his Body lawfully to be begotten And for Default of such Issue I Give the same messuage and premises unto my said **Great Nephew Henry Tash** To hold the same~ unto the said **Henry Tash** and the heirs of his Body Lawfully to be begotten And in Default of such Issue I Give the same ~ Messuge and premises to my **Neice Ann Griffiths** her ~

heirs and Assignes for ever. Item I give and bequeath unto **John Howell of Lincolns In London Gentleman and David Lea of Burford in the County of Oxford Apothecary** the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds In Trust Nevertheless that they the said **John Howell** and **David Lea** or the Survivor of them or the Executors or Administrators of such Survivor shall put this Same out at Interest from time to time on Security of Lands of Inheritance or for long Terms of years to come or on ~ ~ Government Security or other Good and Sufficient Securities and shall pay and Dispose of the Interest and produce thereof to and for the use of my said **Niece Ann Griffiths** until she shall Attain her aige of Twenty One years and upon further ~ Trust that when and as soon as the said **Ann Griffiths** shall ~ shall have attained her age of Twenty one years then the **said John Howell and David Lea** and the Survivor of them and the ~ Executors and Administrators of such Survivor do and shall pay the said principall Sum or Two hundred and fifty pounds to the said **Ann Griffiths** to and for her own use and benefit Exclusive of the Sum of One hundred and ffifty four pounds ~ principall money which is her own proper money in my ~ name / But if it shall happen that the said **Ann Griffiths** shall depart this life before She shall have attained her age of ~ Twenty one years Then and in such Case my will is that the ~ said **John Howell** and **David Lea** and the Survivor of them ~ and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor shall ==New page==

pay the said principal Sum of Two hundred and fifty pounds and all Interest the**after to become due for the same to the ~ said **Henry Tash** and **William Tash** equally to be divided ~ between them and if either of them shall dye before he attains the age of Twenty one years my Will is that the Survivor shall have the whole principal Sum of Two hundred and fifty pounds Item I give to my said **Niece Anne Griffiths** at her age of ~ Twenty one years All such Sums of Money as have been by me Expended on her for her board maintenance Education or ~ otherwise and my Will is that she shall not be answerable for the same or any part thereof to my Executors herinafter named or to any other person or persons whatsoever Item I Give to my said neice **Ann Griffiths** my Gold watch large ~ Silver Tankard Silver Coffee pott Silver Ladle Strainer and Sugar Dish my Silver Pint Cup and Silver Cream Pott marked with her own name my long Scarlett Cloak Six Damask ~ Napkins my best picture her mothers picture and wax work Two pairs of Holland Sheets One pair of Holland pillow ~ Cases with strings the usual furniture of the yellow Room and the Remainder of the half dozen chairs there the pe** Glass in the parlour and al the chinaware whatsoever ~ Provided nevertheless and my Will is that the Several ~ Legacies herinafter by me given unto my said **niece Ann**

Griffiths shall be in full satisfaction of all sums of money by me had or Received for the Interest of the said principal Sum of One hundred and fifty four pounds her own proper money as before mentioned and in Case my said niece or any *****ing by or under her shall at any time hereafter Sue for or recover any such Interest so by me received as aforesaid Then and in such Case my Will is that all and every the Legacy and ~ Legacies hereinbefore by me given unto her shall Cease Determine and be utterly Void Item I give unto the said **John Howell** and **David Lea** the Sum of One hundred and fifty pounds upon Trust that they the said **John Howell** and **David Lea** or the Survivor of them or the Executors or Administrators of such Survivor shall~ put the same out at Interest from time to time on Security of Lands Government Securities or other Good and Sufficient ~ Securitys and shall Pay and Dispose of the Interest thereof for or towards the Education and Maintenance of my said **Great Nephew Henry Tash** until he shall attain the age of Twent one years And upon further Trust that they the said **John Howell** and **David Lea** and the Survivor of them and the Executors and ~ Administrators of such Survivor shall and will pay the said principal Sum of One hundred and fifty pounds unto the said~ **Henry Tash** when and so Soon as he shall attain his said age of Twent one years And my Will is that the same Sume of one~ Hundred and ffifty pounds shall be in full Discharge of the Sum of Twenty pounds Given unto the Said **Henry Tash** in and by the the last Will and Testament of my **late Sister Warren** and of all~ Interest for the same But in case the said **Henry Tash** shall Depart this life before he shall attain his age of Twenty one~ year then and in such Case my Will is that Eighty pounds part
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of the said Sum of One hundred and ffifty pounds shall be paid unto the said **William Tash** Item I give and bequeath unto the said **John Howill** and **David Lea** the Sum of one ~ Hundred and fifty pounds upon Trust that they the said **John Howell** and **David Lea** or the Survivor of them or the Ex'tors or Administrators of such Survivor shall put the same out at ~ Interest from time to time on Securitys of Land on Government Securities or other Good and Sufficient Securitys and shall pay and Dispose of the Interest thereof for or towards the Education and Maintenance of my said **Great Nephew William Tash** until he shall attain his age of Twent one years And upon further Trust that they the said **John Howell** and **David Lea** and such Survivor of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor shall and will pay the same principal Sum of One hundred and fifty pounds unto the said **William Tash** when and as soon as he shall ~ attain his said age of Twenty one years But in Case the said **William Tash** shall Depart this life before he shall attain his age of Twenty one year then and in such Case my Will is that the same Sum of One hundred and fifty shall go

and be paid unto the said **Henry Tash** Item I Give to my~
Neice Ann Tash Widow of Thomas Tash Ten pounds Item I Give
to the said **Mr John Howill and his Wife** ffifteen pounds each
Item I Give to **Mr William Deer and Sarah his Wife** ffive
pounds each Item I Give to my **Neice Sarah Aston** Ten pounds
Item I Give to my **Neice Sarah Aston late the wife of John
Aston deceased** ffive pounds Item I give to my **Nephew Thomas
Aston** Thirty pounds Item I give to my Nephew James ~
Paitfield Ten pounds Item I give to my **Niece Sarah [nee Aston] the Wife
of John Godfrey** Thirty pounds and in case she shall dye before
me then I Give the same unto all her Children to be Equally~
Divided amongst them share and share alike and I also Give
to the said **Sarah Godfrey** My Diamond Ring with hair in
the middle and four Sparks on each side and my Silver porringer
Six Silver tea Spoons and Tea Tongs and my Silver pepper~
Caster Item I give to my **Niece Susanna the wife of Charles
Mills** thirty pounds And also all such money as is now due to
me from her husband the said Charles Mills and in Case
she shall dye before me the then I give all the same Legacy~
unto all her children to be Equally Divided between them~
Share and share alike Item I Give to the **Reverend Mr
Christopher Shute and his wife** one Guinea each for a ring
and to their son **Christopher Shute and his Wife** Ten pounds Item I give
to **Ann the wife of Mr John Lenthall** my best Diamond Ring~
Item I Give to my son in law **John Jordan Gentleman and to
his wife** each one Guinea for a Ring Item I give to **George
Deacon and his sister Sarah Deacon** ffive pounds each Item
I Give to **Thomas Deacon of ffaringdon** ffive pounds Item
I give to **Mary the Wife of William Pagett** ffive pounds ~
Item I give to **Mary the Wife of John A[ver or re*]y** ffive pounds
Item I give to **Elizabeth the Wife of John Smith** three
pounds and in case she dyes before me I Give the same to
her Eldest Daughter Item I give to **William Taylor** Son of
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William Taylor late of Taynton deceased three pounds Item
I give to **Mary Morgan of Lidney in Gloucestershire** Ten ~
pounds and in case she shall be dead at the time of my ~
Decease I Give the same to all her children equally to be
Divided between them Item I Give to **Elizabeth Lardner of
Barrington Thomas Day of Burford** and my **Maid Servant**
that shall live with me till my Death fforty Shillings each ~
Item I give to **Sarah the wife of Henry Tit***bt** fforty ~
Shillings Item I give to the **vicar of Burford** aforesaid~
one Guinea for a ffuneral Sermon and my Desire is that the
Text may be taken from the Nineteenth Chapter of Job the
Twenty fifth and Twenty Sixth verses Item I give to the Six
Under bearers at my ffuneral ffive shillings each Item I give
five pounds to be laid out in Bread and given to the **poor of Burford** ~
aforesaid by my Executors herinafter named within Twenty ~

days next after my Decease Item I Give to **Mary the wife of ~ James Taylor** one Guinea Item I give to my **Nephew William Tash** to his sister **Charlotte Tash** to **Thomas Tash** and his ~ Wife **Mr Jackson** and his Wife **Mrs Mitchell Mr Gilliard** and his wife to **Mrs Mary Simmons** and her Two Daughters to ~ **Robert Overbury** and **Simon Badger Junior** and to each of them One Guinea Value Item I give to **Sarah the wife of William Cook** fforty Shillings Item I give to the said ~ **Henry Tash** Six Silver Spoons with the ffamily Coat of Arms three Silver Salvers One Silver Punch Ladle and my Gold Buttons Item I Give to the said **William Tash** One quart Silver ~ Tankard and Six large Silver Spoons All my wearing apparill of all Sorts I Desire may be Divided amongst such of my ~ relations as my Executors shall think proper and in such ~ proportions as they shall think best for their Advantage Item I give to the said **David Lea** ffive pounds for his Trouble~ in the Trusts aforesaid All the Rest and Residue of my ~ Goods Chattels Ready Money Credits and Real and personal Estate of what nature and kind soever or where soever being and not herein before disposed off I Give unto the said ~ **John Howell** and **David Lea** In Trust Nevertheless for the said **Henry Tash** and **William Tash** to be Equally Divided ~ between them share and share alike And I do hereby ~ Nominate constitute and appoint the said **John Howell** and **David Lea** Joynt Executors of this my last Will and ~ Testament In Trust for the said **Henry Tash** and **William Tash** and also Guardians and Trustees for the said **Henry Tash William Tash** and **Ann Griffiths** respectively and his~ her and their respective Goods and Chattels Lands and ~ Tenements during his her and their minority respectively ~ And my Will further is that it shall and may be lawful to and for my said Executors In Trust respectively and their ~ respective Heirs Executors and Administrators from time to Time to Deduct and default unto himself and themselves~ respectively out of all or any part of my personal Estate~ All such Costs charges and Expences as they or either rof them shall be put unto in or about the managing and performing

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of the Trusts hereby in them reposed or otherwise byreason thereof or of this my Will And my Will farther is that if my said Executors In Trust or the Survivor of them or the Executors or Administrators of such Survivor shall put out at Interest any Sum or Sums of Money according to the Directions of this my Will that then my ~ said Executors In Trust their Heirs Executors or Administrators or any of them shall not be Compelled or Compellable to make up Supply or be Accountable for any Loss or Damage that shall or may happen thereby unless the same shall be Occasioned by the Wilfull Neglect or Default of my said Executors In Trust or of the Survivor of them or of the Heirs Executors or ~

Administrators of such Survivor And my Will further is that my said Executors In Trust shall not be answerable th eone~ for the other of them or for the Acts or Receipts of th eother of them But each for their own Acts and Receipts only And my ~ Will further is that al and every the Legecy and Legacys ~ herein before by me Given (for the payment whereof no time ~ is herein mentioned) shall be paid within Twelve months next after my Decease And I do hereby revoke and make void all~ former Wills by me at any time heretofore made and do~ Declare this to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I the said Mary Jordan have to this my last Will ~ and Testament contained in Six Sheets of paper sett my~ hand and seal to each sheet this thirty first day of March In the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and fifty ffive **Mary Jordan** Signed Sealed published and declared by the said **Mary Jordan** as and for her last Will ~ and Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence have Subscribed our names as Witnesses ~ hereunto the following Interlineations and Erasures being first made (to wit) the words (& ffifty) interlined in the first line of the third sheet and the Erasure in the word (five) in the ~ last line but one of the same sheet And also the words (& to his wife each) between the twelfth and thirteenth lines of the fourth Sheet and the Legacy to **Overbury Badger** in the Seventeenth line of the same Sheet being Struck out with the pen. J Rogers - William Hulls - Jn Thornton...

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Will was proved at London before Right Hon Sir George Lea knight etc.

Notes

1. Mary JORDAN was the Daughter of Robert ASTON and married first William TASH and then John JORDAN. Robert ASTON was Innkeeper at the Bull Inn in Burford, Oxon
2. Her Great Nephews Henry and William TASH appear to be grandchildren from the marriage of her brother in law Henry TASH and her sister Ann ASTON.
3. The property in Charlbury was probably part of a larger estate as a Lease of 4 Jul 1721 mentions property in Charlbury lately purchased from one Mary TASH, widow by Sir Robert JENKINSON of Walcott (see East Sussex Record Office: Archive of the Portman family of Buxted Place, SAS/PN/1149)
4. Her Niece Ann GRIFFITHS appears to be Ann TASH, daughter of here brother in law Henry TASH. She Married Alexander GRIFFITHS of London, Apothecary. After Alexander died she re-married William PATRICK.
5. John HOWELL of Lincoln's Inn, London, Gentleman. A copy of the will of

- Mary JORDAN and papers relating Ann Patrick are to be found amongst the papers of the PROBYN family
6. One David LEA possessed a message in Burford, part of the legacy in the 1735 Will of Mark NOBLE of Burford (see Oxfordshire Record Office: Bradwell Grove Estate, Hey/VIII/viii/5).
 7. Mary's late sister WARREN was Susannah ASTON who married Thomas WARREN. Her husband may be the Thomas WARREN of Swinbrook, gent who received £20 in the 4th Sep 1686 Will of William LENTHALL (see Oxfordshire Record Office: Bradwell Grove Estate, Hey/II/vii/1)
 8. Niece Ann TASH, Widow of Thomas TASH probably refers to Ann MITCHEL who married Thomas TASH son of Henry Tash and the Testator's sister Ann ASTON
 9. I can find no trace of William DEER and his wife Sarah. However, the 1777 Will of John HOWELL mentions a William DARE and his late wife Sarah who may be the same couple.
 10. No further information is available on Niece Sarah ASTON
 11. No further information is available on Niece Sarah ASTON late the wife of John ASTON
 12. No further information is available on Nephew Thomas ASTON
 13. James PAITFIELD is almost certainly the James PAITFIELD mentioned in the 1777 Will of John HOWELL
 14. Niece Sarah the Wife of John GODFREY is likely to be the Sarah AUSTON who married one John GODFREY in Shipton-Under-Wychwood in 1741 (source IGI). He was probably related to the GODFREY family of Milton-Under-Wychwood. The 1777 Will of John HOWELL mentions one Sarah the Wife of John GODFREY of Williamstrip near Burford, [f?]armer
 15. On 12th June 1734 a transaction involving John LENTHAL and Thomas GODFREY was witnessed by D. LEA and Alex READY (see Oxfordshire Record Office: Bradwell Grove Estate, Hey/X/vii/6). Thomas GODFREY held a copyhold estate called Hopkins at Hayley (see his 1738 Will, Oxfordshire Record Office: Bradwell Grove Estate, Hey/X/vii/9) HOPKINS was the original name of John HOWELL's heir John PROBYN.
 16. Niece Susanna the wife of Charles MILLS is likely to be the Susannah ASTON who married Charles MILLS in 1741 in Swinbrook.
 17. The 1777 Will of John HOWELL mentions children of [blank] MILLS deceased late Sister of Sarah GODFREY by Charles MILLS
 18. Reverend Mr Christopher SHUTE and his wife appear to refer to the Rev SHUTE MA who died in 1767 in Olveston. He married Ann JORDAN of Bourton on the Water who was probably related to the Testator
 19. Ann the wife of Mr John LENTHALL is likely to be Anne SHUTE, daughter of the Rev Christopher SHUTE. Her Grandmother was another of the Burford JORDAN family Jane JORDAN who married William HILL.
 20. Her Son in law John JORDAN is likely to be her husband's son by an earlier wife, either Ann ROOKE or Frances BARTHOLOMEW
 21. There was a DEACON family in Faringdon which may relate to the DEACON family in Chieveley where there was a 1742 christening of a Sarah DEACON by Thomas DEACON, however can not find an equivalent George. Probate for one Thomas DEACON of Faringdon, mason dated 1719 (see Berkshire Record Office: Peculiar of Faringdon Probate Records, D/A3/2/138)

22. Mary the wife of William PAGETT is almost certainly the Mary DEACON who married Wm PAGET in 1750 at Fulbrook. This could be the Mary DEACON christened by Thom. DEACON and Mary in 1725 at Faringdon
23. Mary the Wife of John A[ver or re*]y. No AVERY records found that may relate
24. Elizabeth the Wife of John SMITH. There were several SMITH / JORDAN marriages that may relate to this family but none of the links are certain. Much more likely is that this is the John SMITH of Leafield and Elizabeth OVERBURY of Burford for which there is a Marriage Bond dated 1721. The GALLIARD family mentioned below married into a SMITH family.
25. There are several William TAYLOR christenings in Burford at around this time
26. Mary MORGAN of Lidney. Lidney is probably Lydney in the Forest of Dean. MORGAN was a common name in that area.
27. One James TAYLOR married MARY EELLS in 1741 in Swinbrook.
28. There were Thomas DAY marriages in likely areas that involved SAVAGE, CLARKE and BROWN but no clear links
29. There was an Elizabeth LARDNER christening in Burford in 1742 (to Edward) but no clear link. Benjamin OVERBURY was married to one Mary LARDNER in 1694
30. One Robert OVERBURY married Joane KEMPSTER in 1713 in Burford. She was probably the daughter of Christopher KEMPSTER and Margaret BARTHOLOMEW who was christened in 1686 at Burford (and possibly a distant relative). There is a Robert OVERBURIE christening in 1683 in Enfield, Middlesex (an area with which John HOWELL and James PAITFIELD had links).
31. From 1716 there was a Marriage Bond for Simon BADGER of Burford and Mary OVERBURY of Burford. One Simon BADGER married Ann BOLT in 1745 in Burford, there was a much earlier marriage in 1673 between Hester BADGER and one Thomas TAYLOR.
32. The Vicar of Burford at this time appears to have been Charles KNOLLYS who took up the post in 1747 and resigned in 1771 (source Clergy of the Church of England Database, URL: <http://eagle.cch.kcl.ac.uk:8080/cce/persons/CreatePersonFrames.jsp?PersonID=34837>, accessed 28 Feb 2007)
33. In 1698 one Edward JACKSON married a Mary MITCHEL in Great Barrington. Edward died in 1711 so he cannot be this Mr JACKSON however as the next name mentioned in the Will is Mrs MITCHELL there may be a link.
34. Sarah TASH, daughter of the London based Inn chain owner Sir John TASH married Thomas JACKSON. Sir John TASH is probably a relative of the Testator's late husband and had a son William and a daughter Charlotte.
35. Mrs MITCHELL may have been a widow as there is no mention of a husband. The Testator's Great Nephew Thomas TASH married one Ann MITCHEL in 1742 at Swinbrook.
36. The occurrence of the MITCHELL, TASH and JACKSON surnames within the same item is of interest as these three surnames are all associated with Broomfield House, Southgate, Enfield, Middlesex. Louisa MICHELL was 'Of Broomfield House' and her parents were Richard MICHELL (1704-1748) and Elizabeth TASH (-1759), daughter of Sir John TASH. William TASH,

- grandson of Sir John TASH married Mary JACKSON, Sarah TASH, daughter of Sir John married Thomas JACKSON of Broomfield House (source Lybbe-Powys database). In 1808 William TASH of Broomfield House and his wife subscribed to a book of poetry by Felicia Dorothea BROWNE (source Nancy Kushigian and Charlotte Payne, Davis British Women Romantic Poets Series, Poems, [Hemans], Felicia Dorothea Browne, Shields Library, University of California, 1997, URL: <http://digital.lib.ucdavis.edu/projects/bwrp/Works/HemaFPoems.htm> accessed 28 Feb 2007)
37. Mrs GILLIARD. The Parish of Edmonton was at some point given 1,231 acres of Enfield Chase. This land was divided between William TASH of Broomfield House (who also happened to be Lord of the Manors of Bowes and Dernsford) and one Mrs Mary BOWLES, nee GALLIARD a citizen of Edmonton. Part is now Oakwood Park (source Park Explorer entry for Oakwood Park URL:http://www.parkexplorer.org.uk/park_intro.asp?ID=enf19 accessed 28 Feb 2007)
 38. The Bagshaw Collection (Sheffield Archives: Bagshawe Collection [Bag C/3361A - Bag C/310]). The papers for Eaglesfield SMITH contain an account of expenses as agent for the estates of BOWLES, GALLIARD and SMITH. The same collection also contains miscellaneous pedigrees and genealogical notes (Bag C/3361B) including WRIGHT of Kelvedon, SPOONER of Crookes, TAYLOR of the Eaves and MITCHELL. The JORDAN family of Burford are related to the WRIGHT family of Kelvedon via mutual TRINDER ancestors. There is also a declaration concerning ownership of a pew in Eyam, Derbyshire that once belonged to Pierce GILLIARD (Bag C/612/2). Pierce was from Edmonton, Middlesex and in 1784 had freehold land at Eyam on which he entered into an agreement to allow lead mining dated 4 Apr 1748 (Bag C/725a,b). A later member of the BOWLES family was involved in the restoration of Eyam Church (Bag C/776/3). A note in the records office catalogue states 'Elizabeth, sister and heiress of George Bradshaw, married Joshua Galliard of Edmonton (co. Middlesex) in 1706. Their son, Pierce, had a daughter, Anne who inherited the Eyam, Bretton and Foolow estates, and married Eaglesfield Smith of Langshaw, Scotland (d. 1838).'
 39. One Piercy GALLIARD was allotted land in Upton upon Sygnett, Oxfordshire under the 9 Dec 1773 Upton Enclosure Awards (Gretton, Pg 702-703)
 40. 'Elizabeth married Joshua GALLIARD, of Bury Hall, County Middlesex, descended from Henry GALLIARD, Sheriff for Norwich in 1599. There was one son of this union, whose two daughters became his co-heiresses. Anna inherited the Eyam estate, and brought it to Eaglesfield SMITH; and Mary came in for Bradshaw and Abney, which she took to Charles Bowles, of East Sheen, County Surrey, Sheriff of that County in 1794.' From <http://www.genuki.org.uk/big/eng/DBY/Tilley/VolumeI/WhitehoughBradshawHalls.html>
 41. Lots more on the GALLIARD family here <http://www.wishful-thinking.org.uk/genuki/DBY/Eyam/Stafford/BradHall.html> including a lot of genealogical details
 42. Eyam Hall was the residence of an important local family by the name of BRAY who sold the property to WRIGHTs <http://www.genuki.org.uk/big/eng/DBY/Eyam/Wood/BradshawHall.html>

43. The London Metropolitan Archives: Connop family collection contain many documents mentioning Pierce GALLIARD of Edmonton, he owned considerable land in Enfield and on at least one occasion (1771) received land by lease and release from John HOWELL of Enfield (ACC/0801/0899-0900). In 1779 there was an extraction of fine in which Bradwhaw GALLIARD was plaintive and Pierce GALLIARD and his wife Elizabeth were defendants (ACC/0801/0902). In 1787 a copy of a court roll records one Pierce GALLIARD surrendering a parcel of meadow land in Wild Marsh in the Manor of Enfield to one Charles BOWLES (ACC/0801/0058)
44. The London Metropolitan Archives: Chandos Family papers contain an 11 part indenture relating to a marriage settlement and created on 21 Mar 1753. One of the 11 parties are Pierce GALLIARD of Edmonton and John PROBYN of Lincoln's Inn. PROBYN was John HOWELL's main heir. Amongst the many names some other familiar surnames appear in the form of Margaret NICHOLL of Minchendon House, Edmonton the only child of John NICHOLL and Margaret (nee KECK), widow', 'Anthony CHUTE of the Vine, Hants.', 'Rev Joshua HARRISON of West Titherley, Hants.'
45. Mrs Mary SIMMONS could not be traced
46. The witness J ROGERS may be related to the John ROGERS who married Mary SPIRE in Charlbury in 1699. The SPIRE family were related to the JORDAN family via the TIPPING family (through whom the testators Charlbury lands may have come as several TIPPINGS married in Charlbury in the later half of the 17th C)
47. The 1737 Will of Hatton TASH of Iver mentions a quadripartite indenture dated 8 Dec 1722 in which two of the parties were Edward LEIGH of Iver, Esq, and John ROGERS of Fenny Compton in Warwickshire, Clark.
48. The Witness William HULLS is probably the William HULLS that married Joan OSMAN in Shipton Under Wychwood in 1729. Elizabeth JORDAN married one Rich OSMUND in 1675 in Burford
49. Elizabeth BUTLER could not be traced
50. John THORNTON could not be traced
51. The JORDAN surname families of Burford have another possible link to Enfield. Jane TRINDER wife of William JORDAN was sister of Barbara TRINDER. Barbara married William RAINTON. One Sir Nicholas RAINTON Lord Mayor of London, owned Forty Hall, Enfield. The Hall was later owned by a BOWLES family (source 'Enfield: Manors', *A History of the County of Middlesex: Volume 5: Hendon, Kingsbury, Great Stanmore, Little Stanmore, Edmonton Enfield, Monken Hadley, South Mimms, Tottenham* (1976), pp. 224-29. URL: <http://www.british-history.ac.uk/report.asp?compid=26951>. Date accessed: 02 March 2007.)
52. The London Metropolitan Archives: Enfield Parochial Charities papers contain a Final Concord dated 15 July 1672 and which is amongst the deeds for lands left to Charitable use in Enfield. One of the parties was Nicholas RAINTON, Henry DIXON, George HOOPER and others (See ACC/903/101)

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