

BE IT KNOWN, that at the date hereunder written, the last Will and Testament

of

John Bernard Locker late of
The Archberries in the Parish of Kingsley
in the County of Gafford gentleman

deceased, who died on the 14th day of June — 1891

at

Worcester in the said County

was proved and registered in the Principal
Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, and that administration

of the personal estate of the said deceased was granted by the aforesaid Court
to Ellen Locker of The Archberries aforesaid
Widow the Relick and James Keys
of Hanley in the said County proper the Nephew
of the deceased (Son of Testator's late sister Caroline
Keys) the Executors

named in the said

Will,

they

having been first sworn well

and faithfully to administer the same.

Dated the

12th

day of

August 1891

Gross value of Personal Estate £ 5,231 .. 10 .. 4

I. Resworn July 1892 £5,426-17-9.

to Thomas England Markham and Joseph Larder two of the Executors.

This is the last Will and Testament
of me John Bernard Locker of The Archbishops in the Parish of Kingsley
in the County of Stafford Gentleman First I direct payment of my just debts
funeral probate and testamentary expenses as soon as conveniently may
be after my decease I appoint my wife Ellen Locker and my nephew James
Keys of Hanley in the said County of Stafford Grocer the son of my late
sister Caroline Keys to be **Executors** of this my will I give and bequeath
all my household goods furniture plate and plated goods jewellery books
linen china pictures horses carriages live and dead farming stock
consumable stores chattels and effects of the like kind being in or about
my residence for the time being at my decease (but not money or securities
for money) to my said wife Ellen Locker absolutely And I give and bequeath
the following pecuniary legacies namely to my said wife the sum of two
hundred pounds sterling to be paid to her within one calendar month
after my decease To my nephew the said James Keys the sum of one
thousand pounds to be paid to him within twelve calendar months after
my decease free of legacy duty and to each of my servants John Finney
and Olive Finney if in my service at the time of my decease the legacy or
sum of five pounds each free of legacy duty for every full year that each of
the said legates shall respectively have been in my service And I give and
bequeath to my said wife in addition to the legacies and bequests herein
before given and bequeathed to her all my shares in the Manchester and
Liverpool District Banking Company Limited standing in my name in
the books of the said Company at my decease for her absolute use and
benefit but in case the market value of such shares at the date of my decease
shall exceed the sum of three thousand pounds sterling then I give and
bequeath to my said wife absolutely so much and so many of my said
bank shares only as shall not in the whole exceed in value the sum of
three thousand pounds sterling calculated according to the current market
price at the date of my decease such market price to be certified by the
Secretary for the time being of the said Banking Company whose certificate
in writing shall be final and binding on all parties And I give devise
and bequeath all the rest and residue of my personal estate and effects
and all my real estate whatsoever and wheresoever unto my said wife
to receive the annual income rents and profits thereof for the term of her
natural life with full power to sell timber and to work and lease mines
for her own benefit without impeachment of waste she nevertheless keeping
all the buildings in good tenantable order and repair and insured against
fire in an adequate amount and from and after her decease then I give
and devise and bequeath all my said real and residuary personal estate
whatsoever and wheresoever to my nephew the said James Keys absolutely
And I hereby revoke all former wills by me made and declare this to
be my last will In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name
this third day of August one thousand eight hundred and eighty eight
John B. Locker — Signed by the said John Bernard Locker 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 hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses all three being present
at one and the same time during such signing and subscribing —

John R. B. Masfield Sol^r Chandle Staffs — Walter E. Blagg
Articled Clerk to Messrs Blagg Son & Masfield Sol^r Chandle

On the 12th August 1891 Probate of this Will was granted to Ellen
Locker-Widow and James Keys the Executors.

This is the 12th of August 1891