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*The Will of William Fishburn of Castle Hill in the Colony of New South Wales, Farmer, written 26 Jan 1871, proved 5 Jun 1872.*

This is the last Will and Testament of me William Fishburn of Castle Hill in the Colony of New South Wales, Farmer. I revoke all former Wills and testamentary dispositions by me at any time heretofore made. I give and devise my farm at Baulkham Hills containing one hundred acres more or less unto and equally between and among the children of my late wife Elizabeth Fishburn namely Elizabeth the wife of Thomas Tipple Smith, Priscilla the wife of J. B. Casey, Adelaide the wife of William Henry Smith, Mary the wife of R. W. Newman, Jemima Widow of the late - - - McKenny and George Thomas Bean, but in case any of them shall predecease me I give and devise his or her share equally between and among such of his or her children as shall be living at the time of my decease. And if any of the above named Children of my said wife shall predecease me without leaving issue living I give and devise his or her share equally between the remaining children of my said wife. I give and devise to my son James Fishburn and his heirs forever Twelve acres of land being a portion of my farm of sixty acres situated at Castle Hill aforesaid having twenty one rods frontage to the Castle Hill road bounded on the South by William's farm on the East by the Castle Hill road and on the North by his brother John Fishburn's farm. To my son John Fishburn and his heirs forever twelve acres of land and the house and premises erected therein and situate as aforesaid having eighteen rods frontage to the Castle Hill road and twenty four rods at the back being bounded on the South by his brother James Fishburn's farm on the East by the Castle Hill road and on the north by his brother Edward Fishburn's farm. To my son Edward Fishburn and his heirs forever Twelve acres of land as aforesaid having twenty four rods frontage to the Castle Hill road and eighteen rods at the back being the remainder of the frontage of my farm to the Castle Hill road. To my son Henry Fishburn and his heirs forever twelve acres of land situated as aforesaid bounded on the North by Mr. John Kentwell's farm and in the South by Mr. William's farm. To my daughter Ann Worick the wife of John Worick of Castle Hill aforesaid and her heirs forever Twelve acres of land situated as aforesaid bounded on the North by Mr. John Kentwell's farm and on the West by Mr. James' Farm. I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Moore the wife of Samuel Moore of Castle Hill aforesaid the sum of Fifty pounds. To my daughter Amelia James the wife of James James of Castle Hill aforesaid the sum of Fifty pounds. To my daughter Sarah England the wife of Charles England of Sydney aforesaid the sum of Fifty pounds. To my son Andrew Fishburn the sum of Twenty five pounds. To William Henry Smith of Prospect near Parramatta in the said Colony the sum of Twenty pounds. And to my said son James Fishburn the sum of Twenty pounds. I give and bequeath all horses cattle carts gigs or other vehicles and all harness thereto belonging which may belong to me at the time of my decease to my said sons James Fishburn and Henry Fishburn and my said daughter Ann Worick to be equally divided between them share and share alike. I give and bequeath the residue of all moneys left in the hands of my Executors after payment of the legacies above mentioned and of all my just debts funeral and testamentary expenses unto

and equally between and among my said sons James Fishburn and Henry Fishburn and my said daughters Ann Worick Amelia James Sarah England and Hannah Johnston the wife of William Johnston of Sydney aforesaid. I empower my Executors to collect and get in all debts due to me by any person or persons at the time of my decease and to give receipts for the same. And I declare that such receipts shall be good valid and effectual discharges for the same. And I appoint the said William Henry Smith and James Fishburn Executors of this my Will. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this twenty sixth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy one. Wm. Fishburn.

Signed by the said testator as and for his last Will and testament in the presence of us preseat at the same time who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses: Chas. H. Bean, Alfred S. Bean.

5 June 1872. This day upon Petition Probate of the last Will and testament of William Fishburn deceased was granted to William Henry Smith and James Fishburn the Executors in the said Will; named Testator died the 19th day of April 1872. Goods sworn at £2570. Probate dated the same day as granted.