

Prerogative Court of Canterbury and related Probate Jurisdictions: Will Registers, PROB 11/1040/207.

*Abstract of the Will of John Pender of the Town of Penzance in the County of Cornwall, Merchant, written 24 May 1775, proved 17 Mar 1778.*

Gives to his wife the house and garden where he now lives, with the household furniture, for the term of her life. He also gives her the annual interest of £1,200 for her maintenance—the same which he receives from the three per centum consolidated funds, along with the annual rent of a field in the town of Penzance called Trenear Close, the rent being £12 12s. per annum.

Gives £200 to his wife to give to those of their children still living at the time of her death.

Gives £200 to **his daughter Constance the wife of Mr. Simeon Warner.**

Gives £300 to **his daughter Mary the wife of William Michell** of this town.

Gives £500 to **his daughter Ann.**

Gives £300 to **his granddaughter Margaret Pender**, to be paid to her when she turns twenty-one.

Gives £100 each to **his granddaughters Mary and Margaret Dickinson**, to be paid to them when they turn twenty-one.

All the rest of his estate and fortune he gives to his wife and to his friends the Rev. Mr. James Tonkin and Mr. David Dennis of this town, as executors in trust, for **his grandson John Pender**, whom he appoints sole executor of his will.

Witnesses: Geo. Harrold, C D<sup>d</sup> Cloak, Joseph Beard